



Public Service Commission

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DATE: October 18, 2000

TO: Division of Legal Services (Peña)

FROM: Dan Hoppe, Director, Division of Regulatory Oversight ANN

RE: Docket No. 001539-TP Request for approval of name change on ALEC Certificate No.

7315 and IXC Certificate No. 7352 from Empire Telecom Services, Inc. to LecStar

Telecom, Inc.

Empire Telecom Services, Inc. has requested a name change on its Certificate Nos. 7315 and 7352 to LecStar Telecom, Inc.

Since the changes do not involve a change in control or transfer of assets, it is my recommendation that the name changes be acknowledged and that the certificates be reissued.

As required in Chapter 2.07, Section C.3 of the Administrative Procedures, this is to inform you that I concur with the name changes on the Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7315 and No. 7352.

c: Records and Reporting (2) Regulatory Oversight (Pruitt)

