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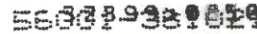
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Bankruptcy cancellation of CLEC
Certificate No. 8867 issued to Discount CLEC
Services Corporation.

DOCKET NO. 20230093-TX
ORDER NO. PSC-2023-0317-PAA-TX
ISSUED: October 20, 2023

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

ANDREW GILES FAY, Chairman
ART GRAHAM
GARY F. CLARK
MIKE LA ROSA
GABRIELLA PASSIDOMO

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION
ORDER CANCELLING COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY CERTIFICATE
AND SERVICE SCHEDULE DUE TO BANKRUPTCY
ON THE COMMISSION'S OWN MOTION

BY THE COMMISSION:

NOTICE is hereby given by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are substantially affected files a petition for a formal proceeding, pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

Case Background

This order addresses a telecommunications company with an active certificate of authority that has completed Chapter 7 bankruptcy proceedings. In a Chapter 7 bankruptcy proceeding, the company stops all operations and goes completely out of business.¹

Pursuant to Section 364.335(2), Florida Statutes (F.S.), applicants for certificates of authority must “. . . ensure continued compliance with applicable business formation, registration, and taxation provisions of law.” A liquidated company would be unable to comply with these requirements.

¹ U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, “*Bankruptcy: What Happens When Public Companies Go Bankrupt*,” modified January 19, 2016, <https://www.sec.gov/reportspubs/investor-publications/investorpubsbankrupthtm.html>, accessed August 11, 2023.

**Discount CLEC Services Corporation
United States Bankruptcy Court
Final Decree**

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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

District of New Jersey
MLK Jr Federal Building
50 Walnut Street
Newark, NJ 07102

Case No.: 16-27574-SLM
Chapter: 7
Judge: Stacey L. Meisel

In Re: Debtor(s) (name(s) used by the debtor(s) in the last 8 years, including married, maiden, trade, and address):

Discount CLEC Services Corporation
650 E. Palisades Ave.
Suite #101
Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632

Social Security No.:

Employer's Tax I.D. No.:
81-0737090

FINAL DECREE

The estate of the above named debtor(s) has been fully administered.

If this case is a Chapter 11 or 13, the deposit required by the plan will be distributed, and it is

ORDERED that Donald V. Biase is discharged as trustee of the estate of the above named debtor(s) and the bond is canceled; and the case of the above named debtor(s) is closed.

Dated: July 27, 2018

Stacey L. Meisel
Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court