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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

March 15, 1994

D.P.U. 94-22

SOUTHNET SERVICES, INC./ COMCENTRAL CORP.

Southnet Services, Inc. ("Southnet"), a Florida Corporation which provides telecommunications services in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and ComCentral Corporation ("ComCentral"), a Utah corporation, have filed a joint application requesting approval by the Department of Public Utilities ("Department") for the transfer of the certificate of public convenience and necessity ("Certificate") held by Southnet.

Pursuant to an agreement and plan of reorganization dated September 30, 1993 between ComCentral and National Communications of Sarasota, Inc. ("National Communications"), a Florida corporation, ComCentral acquired the assets of National Communications. Those assets of National Communications include assets which National Communications acquired from Southnet. As a result of these transactions, ComCentral is a direct provider of operator services and, thus seeks to provide such services in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Customers formerly served by Southnet would receive operator services from ComCentral.

This investigation is officially captioned:

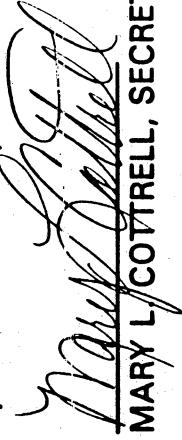
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Application for the transfer of a certificate of public convenience and necessity from Southnet Services, Inc., to ComCentral Corp.

Comments, objections and requests for a public hearing on the proposed transfer must be made in writing and filed with the Secretary of the Department on or before April 22, 1994.

The petitioners, Southnet and ComCentral, are required to complete the following:
(1) Give notice of this request by publication hereof once, on or before April 1, 1994 {which is twenty-one (21) days prior to April 22, 1994}, in the Boston Globe, the Morning Union (Springfield), the Berkshire Eagle (Pittsfield), and the Worcester Telegram; (2) Give notice by mailing a copy hereof on or before April 1, 1994 to the Local Exchange and Other Common Carriers on the attached Interexchange Carriers list; and (3) Make return of service and publication no later than April 29, 1994.

By Order of the Department,


MARY L. COTTRELL, SECRETARY

Consent Communication #8 S-120

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities investigating Southnet Services Inc and Concentral Corp. in regard to a joint filing application.

In City Council March 28, 1994

*Referred to City
Manager*