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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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D.P.U. 90-34

US TELECOM, INC.

U.S. Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint Services ("Company"), a Kansas corporation, seeks permission from the Department of Public Utilities to obtain a certificate of public convenience and necessity in order to operate as a telecommunications common carrier within Massachusetts. Specifically, the Company proposes to provide "900" pay-per-call telephone services. The proposed "900" service would allow information providers, companies who develop, organize and deliver information or interactive programs to provide pay-per-call programs within Massachusetts. The Company has also filed a tariff of proposed rates and charges for the "900" services which will be investigated by the Department in docket D.P.U. 90-45

The above investigation is officially captioned:

Application of US Telecom, Inc., under the provisions of Chapter 159 of the General Laws as amended, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a resale, value-added or interexchange common carrier within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

D.P.U. 90-45

US Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint Services ("Company"), a Kansas corporation, has filed a tariff of proposed charges for "900" pay-per-call telephone service which would allow information providers, companies who organize, develop and deliver information on interactive programs, to offer the pay-per-call service in Massachusetts. The Company has also filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to offer such services. The application has been docketed as D.P.U. 90-34

The above investigation is officially captioned:

Investigation by the Department on its own motion as to the propriety of the rates and charges set forth in the following tariff: M.D.P.U. No. 1, original pages 1 through 23, filed with the Department on February 7, 1990 to become effective March 9, 1990 by US Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint Services or Sprint Gateways.

The Department of Public Utilities will conduct a public hearing on the above matters at its hearing room, 1210 Leverett Saltcnstall Building, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Massachusetts on Tuesday, April 10, 1990 at 10:00 a.m.

The petitioner, US Telecom, Inc., is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof once at least twenty-one (21) days prior to said date in the Boston Globe, The Morning Union (Springfield), the Berkshire Eagle (Pittsfield) and The Evening Gazette (Worcester), and to serve a copy hereof at least twenty-one days prior to said date on the attached list, and to make return of service and publication at the time of the hearing.

By Order of the Department,



MARY L. COTTRELL, SECRETARY

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Notice of a public hearing was received from DPU for a hearing to be held on Tuesday, April 10, 1990 at 10:00 a. m. at 100 Cambridge St., Boston on the request of US Telecom, Inc. for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a resale, value-added or interexchange common carrier within the Commonwealth.

In City Council,

March 19, 1990

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