

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Application of Comcast Phone of California LLC (U5698C) to expand its existing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide limited facilities-based telecommunication service in the service territory of Ponderosa Telephone Co.

Application 19-01-003

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE’S RULING REQUESTING INFORMATION**

On January 4, 2019, Comcast Phone of California, LLC (Comcast) filed an application to expand its existing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) to provide limited facilities-based telecommunication service in the service territory of Ponderosa Telephone Company (Ponderosa). The application states that Comcast will “rely largely on the facilities of its cable service provider affiliate to provide services.”<sup>1</sup> Additionally, Comcast’s services will enable its “wholesale customers to offer innovative IP-enabled and voice over Internet protocol services ....”<sup>2</sup> Information provided in the application is inadequate to determine what specific services Comcast proposes to provide in Ponderosa’s service territory. Therefore, within 15 calendar days of this ruling, Comcast shall submit responses to the following inquiries:

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<sup>1</sup> Application at 2.

<sup>2</sup> *Id.* at 4.

- 1) Describe in detail the specific services Comcast proposes to provide in Ponderosa's service territory;
- 2) Describe in detail any new facilities that Comcast intends to deploy; and
- 3) If Comcast will not be offering any services in Ponderosa's service territory, then describe in detail for what purpose will it need to expand its existing CPCN.

**IT IS SO RULED.**

Dated May 13, 2019, at San Francisco, California.

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/s/ ZHEN ZHANG  
Zhen Zhang  
Administrative Law Judge