

Service Date: May 1, 1984

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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IN THE MATTER Of The Application)
Of BIG SKY BEEPER CO. For Authority) UTILITY DIVISION
To Modify The Current Tariff.) DOCKET NO. 84.3.9
_____) DEFAULT ORDER NO. 5056

On March 12, 1984, COMPAK d/b/a WYMO Communications/Big Sky Beeper Co. (Applicant) filed a request with the Montana Public Service Commission for an order authorizing Applicant to revise its tariff, deleting optional services, re-defining the method used in charging for air time, and offering quantity discounts.

Having considered the application and the documentation furnished by Applicant in support of its application and deeming itself fully advised in the premises, the Commission makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. A Notice Of Opportunity For Public Hearing was published in the Billings Gazette on April 3, 1984. The notice stated that if no requests for a public hearing were received by April 27, 1984, the Commission would consider the matter and a default order would be issued.

2. No request for hearing was received and no hearing was scheduled.

3. Applicant states air time was computed and compiled using numerous time factors. Therefore, a flat rate per minute charge is being proposed. The overall average monthly air time billed will change slightly downward.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The schedules applied for are needed to offer improved service to Applicant's customers.

2. The resulting rate levels are reasonable and just.

ORDER

1. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following pages are approved:

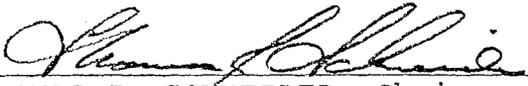
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2. The revised tariffs are effective for service rendered on or after April 30, 1984.

DONE IN OPEN SESSION at Helena, Montana on the 30th day of April, 1984 by a 5 - 0 vote.

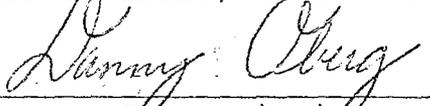
BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.


THOMAS J. SCHNEIDER, Chairman

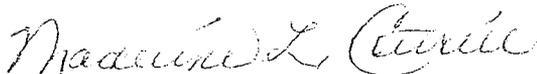

CLYDE JARVIS, Commissioner


JOHN B. DRISCOLL, Commissioner


HOWARD L. ELLIS, Commissioner


DANNY OBERG, Commissioner

ATTEST:


Madeline L. Cottrill
Commission Secretary

(SEAL)

NOTE: Any interested party may request the Commission to reconsider this decision. A motion to reconsider must be filed within ten (10) days. See 38.2.4806, ARM.