

TO AVOID PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES, THE REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEE RETURN MUST BE FILED ON OR BEFORE 01/30/2001

ORIGINAL

Alternative Local Exchange Company Regulatory Assessment Fee Return

STATUS:

- Actual Return
- Estimated Return
- Amended Return

PERIOD COVERED: 01/01/2000 TO 12/31/2000

Florida Public Service Commission

(See Filing Instructions on Back of Form)

TX094-00-0-R DEPOSIT DATE  
 Hart Communications 01810 OCT 22 2001  
 P. O. Box 2151  
 Valdosta, GA 31604-2151  
 Docket No. 011132-TX

FOR PSC USE ONLY  
 Check# 8154  
 \$ 50.00 0603006  
 \$ 23.10 003001  
 \$ 11.37 0603006  
 004011  
 Postmark Date 10/18/01  
 Initials of Preparer MK

Please Complete Below If Official Mailing Address Has Changed

Tel West Communications (Name of Company) PO Box 94447 (Address) Seattle, WA (City/State) 98124 (Zip)

LINE NO.	ACCOUNT CLASSIFICATION	FLORIDA	
		GROSS OPERATING REVENUE	INTRASTATE REVENUE
1.	Basic Local Services	\$ 228,132.00	\$ 228,132.00
2.	Long Distance Services (IntraLATA only)**		
3.	Access Services		
4.	Private Line Services		
5.	Leased Facilities & Circuits Services		
6.	Miscellaneous Services		
7.	TOTAL REVENUES		\$ 228,132.00
8.	LESS: Amounts Paid to Other Telecommunications Companies* (see "2. Fees" on back)		327,798.00
9.	Net Intrastate Operating Revenue for Regulatory Assessment Fee Calculation (Line 7 less Line 8)		\$ 50.00
10.	Regulatory Assessment Fee Due (Multiply Line 9 by 0.0015)		
11.	Penalty for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by Due Date" on back)	23.10	
12.	Interest for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by Due Date" on back)	11.37	
13.	TOTAL AMOUNT DUE		\$ 84.47

- \* These amounts must be intrastate only and must be verifiable.
- \*\* Other long distance revenue must be listed on the Interexchange Regulatory Assessment Fee Return.

None

AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 364.336, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE MINIMUM ANNUAL FEE IS \$50

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 CAF \_\_\_\_\_  
 COM \_\_\_\_\_  
 CTR \_\_\_\_\_  
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 LEG \_\_\_\_\_  
 CPC \_\_\_\_\_  
 PAI \_\_\_\_\_  
 RGO \_\_\_\_\_  
 SEC \_\_\_\_\_  
 SEP \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT COMPANY STATUS  
 Reseller  
 Other

BILLING INFORMATION  
 Complete below if billing agent if other than yourself.  
 (Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (Address: City/State/Zip) \_\_\_\_\_ (Telephone) \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY INFORMATION  
 Do you lease telecommunications facilities?  YES  
 If YES, who do you lease these facilities from? Name: Bell South, Alltel, Sprint, Verizon  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned owner/officer of the above-named company, have read the foregoing and declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above information is a true and correct statement. I am aware that pursuant to Section 337.06, Florida Statutes, whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his/her duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree.

Donald O. Taylor (Signature of Company Official) Manager (Title) 10-17-01 (Date)  
 Telephone Number 253-678-4076 Fax Number (same)  
 F.E.I. No. 86-0919710

DISTRIBUTION CENTER

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October 17, 2001

VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Ms. Blanca Bayo  
Director  
Division of Clerk & Administrative Services  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket 011132-TX                      PLEASE EXPEDITE

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed please find the 2000 Regulatory Assessment Form (RAF) and associated payments for Tel West Communications, LLC, fka HTR&L Enterprises (dba Hart Communications). The enclosed check, in the amount of \$84.47, is payment for the Year 2000 RAF, plus penalty and interest, and also includes previous years' penalties and interest in the amount of \$17.47, as instructed by staff member Paula Isler. These charges are itemized on the enclosed spreadsheet.

Please note that Tel West/Hart Communications shows an operating loss in Florida for the Year 2000, due to higher than expected acquisition and conversion costs.

Tel West regrets the lateness of this report and associated payments. Tel West purchased HTR&L Enterprises in September, 2000, and until recently was **unaware** of these **reporting** requirements.<sup>1</sup> Tel West now has staff members specifically charged with **monitoring** and **complying** with all regulatory requirements, and commits to submitting all future reports and payments in accordance with Florida PSC regulations. Tel West therefore respectfully requests waiver of any penalties other than those calculated and submitted with this report.

"Waiver of Objection": Tel West agrees to waive any objection to the administrative cancellation of its certificate should it fail to pay in accordance with Florida PSC regulations.

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<sup>1</sup> Transfer of HTR&L's operating certificate to Tel West Communications is currently pending in Docket 011176-TX

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If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Don Taylor at 253-639-4076 or via email at [dotaylor@qwest.net](mailto:dotaylor@qwest.net).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeff Swickard". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "J" and "S".

Jeff Swickard  
President

Enclosures

cc: Paula Isler

HTR&L Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a Hart Communications (TX094)  
 Certificate No. 4867, Effective 05/13/97  
 Docket No. 011132-TX

Year	Fee	Penalty	Interest	Notes
1997	N/A	\$2.50	\$0.50	Payment was due 1/30/98. The company's payment for the RAF was postmarked 2/4/98, leaving a penalty and interest balance of \$3.00
1998	N/A	\$8.10	\$1.62	Payment was due 2/1/99. The company's payment for the RAF was postmarked 2/6/99, leaving a penalty and interest balance of \$9.72
1999	N/A	N/A	\$4.75	Payment was due 1/31/00. The company's payment for the RAF and penalty was postmarked 3/6/00, leaving an interest balance of \$4.75.
2000	\$50.00	\$12.50	\$4.50	
Total	\$50.00	\$23.10	\$11.37	Payment overnight mailed 10/17/01 in the amount of \$84.47 for all outstanding fees, penalties and interest payments.