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Public Service Commission

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DATE: January 7, 2000

RE:

TO: Phil Trubelhorn, Division of Communications

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FROM: Eva Samaan, Division of Auditing and Financial Analysis

Docket No. 991861-TI, Coastal Telephone Company, Interest Calculation for Refund

of Overcharges

Staff has calculated the interest on the overcharges in this show cause proceeding based on a memo received on January 5, 2000 from the Division of Communications. Based on the assumptions provided in the memo, finance staff prepared two analyses for the overcharges. Schedule A reflects the overcharges which occurred from March 1998 to March 1999, while Schedule B calculates the interest on the overcharge and interest brought forward. The appropriate interest rate is the average 30-day commercial paper rate for each month. The last available interest rate was 5.58% for December 1999. The overcharges will be refunded by March 15, 2000. The total refund is \$5,302.81, which consists of \$4,892.36 in overcharges and \$410.45 in interest accrued through March 15, 2000 as shown on the attached schedules.

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SCHEDULE A

COASTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY

•		AVERAGE MONTHLY INTEREST RATE	MONTHLY INTEREST FACTOR	MONTHLY OVER CHARGE	ACCUM. OVER CHARGE	INTEREST ON MONTHLY OVER CHARGE	MONTHLY OVERCHARGE PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST	BALANCE FORWARD PLUS INTEREST	REFUND BALANCE	ACCUM INTEREST
	MAR 98	5.54%	0.46%	\$376.34	\$376.34	0.87	\$377.20	\$0.00	\$377.20	\$0.87
	APR	5.54%	0.46%	\$376.34	752.67	0.87	\$377.20	378.95	756.15	\$3.48
	MAY	5.52%	0.46%	\$376.34	1,129.01	0.86	\$377.20	759.62	1,136.82	\$7.82
	JUNE	5.55%	0.46%	\$376.34	1,505.34	0.87	\$377.21	1,142.08	1,519.29	\$13.95
	JULY	5.58%	0.47%	\$376.34	1,881.68	0.87	\$377.21	1,526.35	1,903.56	\$21.89
	AUG	5.54%	0.46%	\$376.34	2,258.01	0.87	\$377.20	1,912.35	2,289.56	\$31.54
	SEP	5.37%	0.45%	\$376.34	2,634.35	0.84	\$377.18	2,299.80	2,676.98	\$42.63
	OCT	5.16%	0.43%	\$376.34	3,010.68	0.81	\$377.14	2,688.49	3,065.63	\$54.95
	NOV	5.30%	0.44%	\$376.34	3,387.02	0.83	\$377.17	3,079.17	3,456.34	\$69.32
	DEC	5.20%	0.43%	\$376.34	3,763.35	0.82	\$377.15	3,471.32	3,848.47	\$85.12
	JAN 99	4.86%	0.40%	\$376.34	4,139.69	0.76	\$377.10	3,864.04	4,241.14	\$101.45
,	FEB	4.83%	0.40%	\$376.34	4,516.02	0.76	\$377.09	4,258.21	4,635.30	\$119.27
	MAR	4.87%	0.41%	\$376.34	4,892.36	0.76	\$377.10	4,654.09	5,031.19	\$138.83
									OVERCHARGE	\$4,892.36
									INTEREST	\$138.83
									<u>TOTAL</u>	\$5,031.19

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SCHEDULE B

COASTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY

<u>MONTH</u>	AVERAGE MONTHLY INTEREST RATE	MONTHLY INTEREST FACTOR	MONTHLY OVER CHARGE	ACCUM. OVER CHARGE	INTEREST ON MONTHLY OVER CHARGE	MONTHLY OVERCHARGE PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST	BALANCE FORWARD PLUS INTEREST	<u>REFUND</u> <u>BALANCE</u>	ACCUM INTEREST
APR 99	4.84%	0.40%	\$5,031.19	5,031.19	\$20,29	\$5,051.48	\$0.00	\$5,051.48	\$20.29
MAY	4.83%	0.40%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,071.79	5,071.79	40.60
JUN	4.95%	0.41%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,092.71	5,092.71	61.52
JUL	5.08%	0.42%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,114.25	5,114.25	83.06
AUG	5.21%	0.43%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,136.46	5,136.46	105.27
SEP	5.31%	0.44%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,159.19	5,159.19	128.00
OCT	5.30%	0.44%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,181.97	5,181.97	150.78
NOV	5.43%	0.45%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,205.40	5,205.40	174.21
DEC	5.58%	0.46%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,229.58	5,229.58	198.39
JAN 00	5.58%	0.46%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,253.88	5,253.88	222.69
FEB	5.58%	0.46%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,278.29	5,278.29	247.10
MAR	5.58%	0.46%	0.00	5,031.19	0.00	0.00	5,302.81	5,302.81	271.62

BAL. FORWARD \$5,031.19
INTEREST \$271.62

TOTAL REFUND \$5,302.81