BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for cancellation of Pay Telephone Certificate No. 7499 by Coin-Tel of Pennsylvania, Inc., effective 1/23/02, and application for certificate to provide pay telephone service by International Payphone Corporation. DOCKET NO. 020064-TC ORDER NO. PSC-02-0261-PAA-TC ISSUED: March 1, 2002

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

LILA A. JABER, Chairman J. TERRY DEASON BRAULIO L. BAEZ MICHAEL A. PALECKI RUDOLPH "RUDY" BRADLEY

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION ORDER CANCELING PAY TELEPHONE CERTIFICATE NO. 7499 AND GRANTING CERTIFICATE NO. 8053 TO PROVIDE PAY TELEPHONE SERVICE

BY THE COMMISSION:

NOTICE is hereby given by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are substantially affected files a petition for a formal proceeding, pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

Coin-Tel of Pennsylvania, Inc., holder of Pay Telephone (PATS) Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7499, has requested that Certificate No. 7499 be canceled and applied for a certificate to provide PATS service pursuant to Section 364.3375, Florida Statutes, for a new company, International Payphone Corporation.

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Coin-Tel of Pennsylvania, Inc. has complied with the provision of Rule 25-24.514(2), Florida Administrative Code, by providing adequate notice in writing of its request for cancellation of its Pay Telephone certificate and by submitting its Regulatory Assessment Fees for the year 2001. Accordingly, we find it appropriate to cancel PATS Certificate No. 7499, effective January 23, 2002.

Upon consideration of International Payphone Corporation's application, it appears to be in the public interest to grant PATS Certificate No. 8053 to International Payphone Corporation. We are vested with jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Section 364.3375, Florida Statutes.

If this Order becomes final and effective, it shall serve as International Payphone Corporation's certificate. It should, therefore, be retained as proof of certification.

PATS providers are subject to Chapter 25-24, Florida Administrative Code, Part XI, Rules Governing Pay Telephone Service Provided by Other Than Local Exchange Telephone Companies. PATS providers are also required to comply with all applicable provisions of Chapter 364, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 25-4, Florida Administrative Code.

In addition, under Section 364.336, Florida Statutes, certificate holders must pay a minimum annual RAFs of \$50 if the certificate was active during any portion of the calendar year. A RAFs Return notice will be mailed to both Coin-Tel of Pennsylvania, Inc. and International Payphone Corporation for payment by January 30th. Neither the cancellation of the certificate nor the failure to receive a RAFs Return notice shall relieve Coin-Tel of Pennsylvania, Inc. and International Payphone Corporation from their obligation to pay RAFs for the year 2002.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the request by Coin-Tel of Pennsylvania, Inc. to cancel Pay Telephone Certificate No. 7499 is hereby approved. It is further ORDER NO. PSC-02-0261-PAA-TC DOCKET NO. 020064-TC PAGE 3

ORDERED that Coin-Tel of Pennsylvania, Inc. shall remit Regulatory Assessment Fees for the year 2002. It is further

ORDERED that we hereby grant Certificate No. 8053 to International Payphone Corporation, which shall authorize it to provide Pay Telephone service, subject to the terms and conditions specified in the body of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that this Order shall serve as International Payphone Corporation's certificate and should be retained by International Payphone Corporation as proof of certification. It is further

ORDERED that the provisions of this Order, issued as proposed agency action, shall become final and effective upon the issuance of a Consummating Order unless an appropriate petition, in the form provided by Rule 28-106.201, Florida Administrative Code, is received by the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on the date set forth in the "Notice of Further Proceedings" attached hereto. It is further

ORDERED that in the event this Order becomes final, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this $\underline{1st}$ Day of $\underline{March},\ \underline{2002}.$

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing that is available under Section 120.57, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

The action proposed herein is preliminary in nature. Any person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed by this order may file a petition for a formal proceeding, in the form provided by Rule 28-106.201, Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on <u>March 22, 2002</u>.

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become final and effective upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

Any objection or protest filed in this/these docket(s) before the issuance date of this order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.