

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners: Mark Sievers, Chairman
Ward Loyd
Thomas E. Wright

In the Matter of the Audit of Cellular Network)
Partnership, d/b/a Pioneer Cellular by the)
Kansas Universal Service Fund Administrator)
Pursuant to K.S.A. 2010 Supp. 66-2010(b) to) Docket No. 12-CNPZ-028-KSF
Verify Contributions to the Kansas Universal)
Service Fund Year 14, March 1, 2010 through)
February 28, 2011.)

ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

The above-captioned matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) for consideration and determination. Having examined its files and records, and being duly advised in the premises, the Commission finds and concludes as follows:

1. On February 21, 2012, the Commission issued an Order Adopting Audit Report Recommendations (Order), accepting and adopting GVNW Consulting, Inc.'s (GVNW) audit of Cellular Network Partnership, d/b/a Pioneer Cellular (Pioneer) for Kansas Universal Service Fund (KUSF) purposes. The Commission's Order directed GVNW, as KUSF Administrator, to issue to Pioneer a refund of \$5,787.46 from the KUSF. The Commission further directed Pioneer to refund to its customers through one-time equal bill credits the sum of \$5,787.46. Pioneer was also directed to file in this docket an Affidavit by an officer of the company attesting to the company's completion of the \$5,787.46 refund. The refund to customers and filing of the Affidavit were to be accomplished within sixty (60) days from the date of the Commission's Order.

2. On April 5, 2012, Pioneer filed a Notice and Request for Waiver requesting waiver of the 60-day deadline for completing the customer refund and filing the required

affidavit. On April 16, 2012, the Commission responded by issuing an Order Granting Request for Waiver, extending the deadline for Pioneer's completion of the customer refund and filing the Affidavit to May 21, 2012.

3. On May 4, 2012, Pioneer filed the Affidavit of Richard Ruhl, General Manager of Cellular Network Partnership d/b/a Pioneer Cellular, dated April 30, 2012, affirming that Pioneer had received from the KUSF a refund of \$5,787.46 and that the company, in turn, refunded this amount equally to its customers as a line item on their bills dated April 21, 2012.

4. On May 14, 2012, GVNW filed an update with the Commission dated May 10, 2012, acknowledging that both GVNW and Pioneer have complied with the requirements of the Commission's February 21 and April 16, 2012 Orders and recommends that this docket be closed. GVNW and Pioneer, having fully satisfied the requirements imposed under the foregoing orders, the Commission finds that this docket should be closed.

IT IS, THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED THAT:

A. GVNW Consulting, Inc. and Cellular Network Partnership, d/b/a Pioneer Cellular have fully satisfied the requirements of the February 21 and March 16, 2012 Orders issued in this matter and this docket is hereby closed.


B. The parties have fifteen (15) days, plus three days if service of this Order is by mail, from the date this Order was served in which to petition the Commission for reconsideration of any issue or issues decided herein. K.S.A. 66-118b: K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 77-529(a)(1).

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and the parties for the purpose of entering such further order, or orders, as it may deem necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED

Sievers, Chmn.; Loyd, Comm.; Wright, Comm.

Dated: MAY 23 2012


ORDER MAILED MAY 23 2012
Patrice Petersen-Klein
Executive Director

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PLEASE FORWARD THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT (S) ISSUED IN THE ABOVE-REFERENCED DOCKET TO THE FOLLOWING:

NAME AND ADDRESS	NO. CERT. COPIES	NO. PLAIN COPIES
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ORDER MAILED **MAY 23 2012**

The Docket Room hereby certified that on this _____ day of _____, 20_____, it caused a true and correct copy of the attached ORDER to be deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, and addressed to the above persons.