

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the matter of:)	
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CENTURY COMMUNICATIONS)	CSB-A-0347
CORPORATION)	
)	
Request to Dismiss Petition for Review of Rate)	
Order Setting Basic Service and Equipment Rates)	
Issued by the City of Bayard, New Mexico)	
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ORDER

Adopted: March 18, 2003

Released: March 21, 2003

By the Deputy Chief, Policy Division, Media Bureau:

1. On September 4, 1996, Century Communications Corporation (“Century”) filed with the Commission a Petition for Review of Rate Order adopted by the City of Bayard, New Mexico (“City”), on August 5, 1996. Century also filed an Emergency Petition for Stay of Enforcement Pending Review on October 28, 1996. The Cable Services Bureau granted the petition for stay in a *Memorandum Opinion and Order* on January 24, 1997.¹

2. In a letter filed on March 10, 2003, Comcast Cablevision Corporation of California, a subsidiary of Comcast Cable Communications, Inc. (“Comcast”) informed the Commission that subsequent to the submission of the petitions, Comcast acquired the Bayard system and now requests that the petitions filed by Century be dismissed.

3. Accordingly, **IT IS ORDERED** that the Request to Dismiss the Petition for Review of Rate Order filed by Comcast Cablevision Corporation of California, a subsidiary of Comcast Cable Communications, Inc. **IS GRANTED**, the Petition filed by Century Communications Corporation on September 4, 1996 **IS DISMISSED**, and the *Memorandum Opinion and Order* granting the Emergency Petition for Stay of Enforcement Pending Review **IS VACATED**.

4. This action is taken pursuant to authority delegated by Section 0.283 of the Commission’s rules, 47 C.F.C. § 0.283.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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¹ 12 FCC Rcd 987 (1997).

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