

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON
ACTING AS THE PUBLIC CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD

In the Matter of exempting from the three)
year contract limitation contracts for Long) ORDER
Distance Services, Telecommunications) 97-22
Equipment and Maintenance)

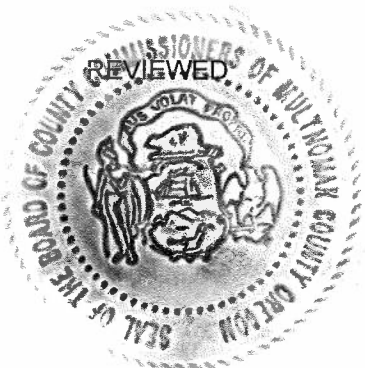
The above entitled matter is before the Board of County Commissioners, acting in its capacity as the Multnomah County Public Contract Review Board, to review, pursuant to ORS 279.017 and PCRB Rule 20.050, a request from the Department of Support Services, Information Services Division, an exemption to the three year contract limitation for Long Distance Services, Telecommunication Equipment and Maintenance and allow for a contract period of up to five years.

It appearing to the board that the request for exemption, as it appears in the application, is based upon the fact that seeking competition every five years rather than every three years will result in cost savings, less disruption to County customers and will not diminish competition or promote favoritism.


It appears to the Board that this exemption request is in accord with the requirements of ORS 279.017 and PCRB Rule 20.050; now therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the contracts for Long Distance Services, Telecommunication Equipment and Maintenance may be let for up to a five year contract period.

Dated the 13th day of February, 1997



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