

**GOVERNMENT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS  
OF THE UNITED STATES**

*Public Services Commission*

<b>IN RE:</b>	)	<b>Docket No. 589</b>
	)	<b>Order No. <u>37</u>/2010</b>
<b>Choice Communications, LLC Application</b>	)	
<b>For Eligible Telecommunications Carrier</b>	)	
<b>In the U.S. Virgin Islands</b>	)	
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**Order**

**WHEREAS**, on January 29, 2010, Choice Communications, LLC (hereinafter "Choice") filed an application with the Virgin Islands Public Services Commission ("PSC" or the "Commission") for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") in the U. S. Virgin Islands; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 19, 2010, the PSC telecommunications consultants filed a preliminary analysis of Choice's application; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 2, 2010, the Commission met in regular session at its offices located at Barbel Plaza, St. Thomas, U. S. Virgin Islands; and

**WHEREAS**, 30 V.I.C. §45a expressly grants jurisdiction to the Commission to determine and designate Eligible Telecommunications Carriers in the U. S. Virgin Islands; and

**WHEREAS**, after review and deliberation, the Commission voted to appoint PSC Commissioner M. Thomas Jackson as hearing examiner pending his acceptance of the position to preside over the proceedings of Choice's application in PSC Docket 589; and

**NOW THEREFORE**, it is hereby **ORDERED** that PSC Commissioner M. Thomas Jackson is appointed as hearing examiner pending acceptance of the position to preside over the proceedings of Choice's application in PSC Docket 589.

*So Ordered.*

Dated: 03/18, 2010

For the Commission

  
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Joseph B. Boschulte, Chair