



**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE**

MEMORANDUM OF DISMISSAL

TO: West Safety Communications Inc. f/k/a Intrado Communications, Inc.

FROM: William Bendetson, Hearing Officer

RE: D.T.C. 19-AR-63

Investigation by the Department of Telecommunications and Cable on its own motion, pursuant to G.L. c. 159 §§ 12, 32 and 39, and G.L. c. 166 §§ 11 and 12, regarding the failure by individually-named common carriers of telecommunications services to file annual returns for calendar years 2016 and/or 2017.

DATE: February 18, 2020

On December 20, 2020, the Department of Telecommunications and Cable (“Department”) issued a Notice of Investigation and Hearing (“Notice”) and Order Opening Investigation (“Order”) in docket D.T.C. 19-AR, regarding the failure of 67 telecommunications carriers to file annual returns for calendar years 2016 and/or 2017. The Notice and Order directed the named companies to respond by January 29, 2020 with information, in part, on whether the company: (1) could produce the relevant annual returns; (2) could provide an explanation regarding the reasonableness of the failure to file; and (3) provided telecommunications services within the Commonwealth during the applicable calendar year(s).

On January 2, 2020 and January 3, 2020, the Department received a response from West Safety Communications Inc. formerly known as Intrado Communications, Inc. (“West Safety”) with certified letters stating that it did not generate any reportable Massachusetts revenue, in lieu of its annual returns for 2016 and 2017. The Department determines that West Safety has fulfilled its annual return filing requirement for 2016 and 2017, and dismisses the case for docket D.T.C. 19-AR-63.

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