

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A
MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

To All Interested Parties:

Pursuant to California Public Utilities Code Section 1001 and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) General Order 131-D, Looking Glass Networks, Inc. (LGN) submitted an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) for the proposed project to install fiber optic conduits and related facilities to urban areas of the San Francisco Bay Area and Los Angeles Basin known as the Looking Glass Networks Fiber Optics Project (A.02-05-029). LGN proposes to install conduit and related facilities as a means of creating metropolitan area networks (MANs) to serve aggregation points in the San Francisco Bay Area and the Los Angeles Basin within California. Fiber optic equipment would be installed to provide Ethernet and optical networking access, switching, and multiplexing equipment. The proposed project would utilize existing conduit networks, limit new conduit construction (primarily only to interconnect existing systems), and/or use backbones of existing (or future) fiber optic networks. Where existing facilities may not be in place, the Applicant may be required to build laterals from these backbones to connect to the targeted buildings. Construction is expected to utilize State and local Right of Ways (ROWs) and other designated utility corridors.

Based on the information provided in the IS/MND, it has been determined that the proposed project would not have any significant effects on the environment.

Documents Available for Review:

Environmental documents and notices published by the CPUC related to this project, as well as those prepared by LGN, may be reviewed at the following locations:

Northern California Locations

California Public Utilities Commission
Attn: Central Files
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102
(415) 703-2045

San Francisco Main Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
100 Larkin Street
San Francisco, CA 94102-4796
(415) 557-4200

Alameda County Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
2450 Stevenson Boulevard
Fremont, CA 94538-2326
(510) 745-1500

San Mateo County Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
25 Tower Road
San Mateo, CA 94402-4000
(650) 312-5258

Santa Clara County Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
1095 N. Seventh Street
San Jose, CA 95112-4446
(408) 293-2326

Marin County Free Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
3501 Civic Center Drive
San Rafael, CA 94903-4188
(415) 499-3220

Southern California Locations

County of Los Angeles Public Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
7400 E. Imperial Highway
Downey, CA 90242-3375
(562) 940-8462

Orange County Public Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
1501 E. St. Andrew Place
Santa Ana, CA 92705-4937
(714) 566-3000

West Los Angeles Regional Branch
Attn: Reference Librarian
11360 Santa Monica Boulevard
Los Angeles, CA 90025-3152
(310) 575-8323

Central Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
630 West Fifth Street
Los Angeles, CA 90071-2097
(213) 228-7475

Pasadena Central Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
285 E. Walnut Street
Pasadena, CA 91101-1598
(626) 744-4033

Costa Mesa Branch Library
Attn: Reference Librarian
1855 Park Avenue
Costa Mesa, CA 92627-2778
(949) 646-8845

Electronic access to the Mitigated Negative Declaration and other project information or copies of reports is available on the CPUC web site at: www.cpuc.ca.gov/Environment/info/asp/looking_glass/lookingglass.htm

For questions or information about the CPUC's IS/MND process, you may leave a voice message or a fax on the project hotline at (800) 646-5308 or e-mail us at lookingglass@aspeneq.com.

Public Review Period:

Written comments on the Mitigated Negative Declaration must be received via e-mail, fax (to the 800 number above) or by U.S. postal mail no later than **December 26, 2002**. Please be sure to include your name, address, and telephone number. Written comments on the Mitigated Negative Declaration should be sent to:

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