

**05-705 GLOBAL CROSSING TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. V.
METROPHONES TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

DECISION BELOW: 423 F.3d 1056 (9th Cir. 2005)

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: 04-35287

QUESTIONS PRESENTED

1. Whether 47 U.S.C. § 201(b) of the Communications Act of 1934 creates a private right of action for a provider of payphone services to sue a long distance carrier for alleged violations of the FCC's regulations concerning compensation for coinless payphone calls.

~~2. Whether 47 U.S.C. § 276 the Communications Act of 1934 preempts state law claims for *quantum meruit* and breach of implied contract based on a long distance carrier's alleged failures to compensate a payphone service provider for coinless payphone calls.~~

Cert. Granted 2/21/06 limited to Question 1 presented by the petition.