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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo Director, Division of Records & Reporting Florida Public Service Commission Capital Circle Office Center 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

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Re: United States Telecommunications, Inc. Application for Authority to Provide Alternative Local Exchange Service

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Transmitted herewith on behalf of United States Telecommunications, Inc. are an original and six (6) copies of its Application for Authority to Provide Alternative Local Exchange Service Within the State of Florida. Enclosed is a check for \$250 to cover the requisite filing fee.

Please date-stamp the "Receipt" copy of this filing and return it to the undersigned in the enclosed, self-addressed stamped envelope. Please direct any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

and A Koy Glenn S. Richards

David S. Konczal Counsel for United States Telecommunications, Inc.

Enclosures

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION CAPITAL CIRCLE OFFICE CENTER - 2540 SHUMARD OAK BOULEVARD TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399-6850

APPLICATION FORM for

AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE ALTERNATIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE WITHIN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. This form is used for an original application for a certificate and for approval of sale, assignment or transfer of an existing alternative local exchange certificate. In case of a sale, assignment or transfer, the information provided shall be for the purchaser, assignce or transferee.
- 2. Respond to each item requested in the application and appendices. If an item is not applicable, please explain why.
- 3. Use a separate sheet for each answer which will not fit the allotted space.
- 4. If you have questions about completing the form, contact:

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Communications, Certification & Compliance Section 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Taliahassee, Florida 32399-0866 (904) 413-6600

5. Once completed, submit the original and six (6) copies of this form along with a non-refundable application fee of \$250 made payable to the Florida Public Service Commission at the above address.

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FORM PSC/CMU 8 (07/95) Required by Chapter 364.337 F.S.

- 1. This is an application for (check one):
 - (X) Original authority (new company)
 - () Approval of transfer (to another certificated company) <u>Example</u>, a certificated company purchases an existing company and desires to retain the original certificate authority.
 - () Approval of assignment of existing certificate (to a noncertificated company)

Example, a non-certificated company purchases an existing company and desires to retain the certificate of authority rather than apply for a new certificate.

- Approval for transfer of control (to another certificated company) <u>Example</u>, a company purchases 51% of a certificated company. The Commission must approve the new controlling entity.
- 2. Name of applicant: United States Telecommunications, Inc.
- A. National mailing address including street name, number, post office box, city, state, zip code, and <u>phone number</u>.
 13902 N. Dale Mabry, Suite 212
 Tampa, Florida 33618
 (813, 963-0004

B. Florida mailing address including street name, number, post office box, city, state, zip code, and <u>phone number</u>.
13902 N. Dale Mabry, Suite 212
Tampa, Florida 33618
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C. Physical address of alterative local exchange service in Florida including street name, number, post office box, city, zip code and <u>phone number</u>. N/A.

- 4. Structure of organization:
 - () Individual
 - () Foreign Corporation
 - () General Partnership
 - () Joint Venture

- (X) Corporation
- () Foreign Partnership
- () Limited Partnership
- () Other, Please explain
- 5. If incorporated, please provide proof from the Florida Secretary of State that the applicant has authority to operate in Florida.

Corporate charter number: _____P97000098483___

A copy of Applicant's Articles of Incorporation is attached hereto as Exhibit IV.

- 6. Name under which the applicant will do business (d/b/a): None
- 7. If applicable, please provide proof of fictitious name (d/b/a) registration.

Fictitious name registration number:

- 8. If applicant is an individual, partnership, or joint venture, please give name, title and address of each legal entity.
- 9. State whether any of the officers, directors, or any of the ten largest stockholders have previously been adjudged bankrupt, mentally incompetent, or found guilty of any felony or of any crime, or whether such actions may result from pending proceedings. If so, please explain. None.

10. Please provide the name, title, address, telephone number, Internet address, and facsimile number for the person serving as ongoing liaison with the Commission, and if different, the liaison responsible for this application.

Ongoing Operations:	Applications:		
Stephen D. Henderson	Glenn S. Richards, Esq.		
Vice President/Operations	David S. Konczal, Esq.		
United States Telecommunications, Inc.	Fisher Wayland et. al, LLP		
13092 N. Dale Mabry, Suite 212	2001 Pennsylvania Ave., NW		
Tampa, Florida 33618	Suite 400		
(813) 963-0004 (phone)	Washington, D.C. 20006		
(813) 968-6418 (fax)	(202) 659-3494		
	(202) 296-6518 (fax)		

- Please list other states in which the applicant is currently providing or has applied to provide local exchange or alternative local exchange service.
 Applicant plans to file applications to provide alternative local exchange service in California, New Jersey, New York, Massachusettz, Pennsylvania, and Rhode Island.
- Has the applicant been denied certification in any other state? If so, please list the state and reason for denial.
 No.
- Have penalties been imposed against the applicant in any other state? If so, please list the state and reason for penalty.
 No.
- 14. Please indicate how a customer can file a service complaint with your company. Customers may inquire about their bills and/or file a service complaint by contacting the company during normal business hours.
- 15. Please provide all available documentation demonstrating that the applicant has the following capabilities to provide alternative local exchange service in Florida.
 - A. Financial capability. See Exhibit I.

Regarding the showing of financial capability, the following applies:

The application should contain the applicant's financial statements,

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including:

- 1. the balance sheet
- 2. income statement
- 3. statement of retained earnings for the most recent 3 years.

If available, the financial statements should be audited financial statements.

If the applicant does not have audited financial statements, it shall be so stated. The unaudited financial statements should then be signed by the applicant's chief executive officer and chief financial officer. The signatures should affirm that the financial statements are true and correct.

Pursuant to Section 364.337(1)(3) and 364.339(2), Florida Statutes, effective July 1, 1995, United States Telecommunications, Inc.'s Balance Sheet attached hereto as **Exhibit I** demonstrates that United States Telecommunications, Inc. has the financial ability to:

- (1) Provide the requested service in the geographic area proposed to be served;
- (2) Maintain the requested service; and
- (3) Meet its ownership obligations.

United States Telecommunications, Inc. does not have a chief financial officer or a chief executive officer. Stephen D. Henderson, Vice President/Operations, has certified that the unaudited financial statement is true and correct.

Because United States Telecommunications, Inc. was only recently incorporated on November 19, 1997, it is unable to provide an income statement nor a statement of retained earnings at this point.

- B. Managerial capability. See Exhibit II.
- C. Technical capability. See Exhibit III.



By my signature below, I, the undersigned officer, attest to the accuracy of the information contained and attached documents and that the applicant has the technical expertise. managerial ability, and financial capability to provide alternative local exchange service in the State of Florida. I have read the foregoing and declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information is true and correct. I attest that I have the authority to sign on behalf of my company and agree to comply, now and in the future, with all applicable Commission rules and orders.

Further, I am aware that pursuant to Chapter 837.06, Florida Statutes, "Whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree. punishable as provided in §775.082 and §775.083."

Official: Signature

Title: Vice President/Operations

(813) 963-0004 Telephone Number

Address: United States Telecommunications. Inc. 13902 N. Dale Mabry, Suite 212 Tampa, Florida 33618

FORM PSC/CMU 8 (07/95) Required by Chapter 364.337 F.S.

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<u>EXHIBIT I</u>

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BALANCE SHEET

INCOME STATEMENT

STATEMENT OF RETAINED EARNINGS FOR 3 YEARS

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Financial Statement United States Telecommunications, Inc.

11/30/97

Current Assets

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Operating Accounts Due from Affiliates (Prom. Notes) Accounts Receivable (Fees) Business Interests at Cost License Fees Total Current Assets	\$ 139,650 1,422,500 120,000 2,000,000 240,000 \$3,922,150
Fixed Assets	
Furniture and Fixtures Equipment Accrued Depreciation Net Fixed Assets	\$ 19,875 9,860 <1,211> \$ 28,524
Total Assets	\$3,950,674
Current Liabilities	
Loans From Shareholders Salaries Accrued Expenses License Fee	\$ 91,820 9,260 18,155 240,000 <\$ 359,235>
Shareholders Equity	\$3,591,439
Total Liabilities and Shareholders Equity	\$3,950,674

CERTIFICATION OF APPLICANT

I, Stephen D. Henderson, am Vice President/Operations of United States Telecommunications, Inc., the Applicant herein. I certify that, based on my information and belief, the attached unaudited financial statements are true and correct.

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Stephen D. Henderson Vice President/Operations United States Telecommunications, Inc.

Date: 12/22/97

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United States Telecommunications, Inc.

EXHIBIT II

MANAGERIAL CAPABILITY

United States Telecommunications, Inc., the Applicant herein, has the managerial capability to provide the proposed services. The management team is composed of individuals who, collectively, have significant experience in business and the telecommunications industry. Below is a brief description of the experience of some key management personnel:

Richard H. Inzer is President of United States Telecommunications, Inc. Educated with a concentration in business at the University of Arkansas, Mr. Inzer has over thirty-three years of experience in the insurance industry, including eleven years as President of R.L. Inzer & Company, Inc. Throughout his career, Mr. Inzer has been extremely successful in generating sales and developing insurance products. In addition to his articles published in the insurance trade press, Mr. Inzer has received numerous awards for his insurance sales achievements.

Stephen D. Henderson is Vice-President/Operations of United States Telecommunications, Inc. Mr. Henderson, a Certified Management Accountant, has over 25 years of significant management experience in the telecommunications industry, with particulzr expertise in the implementation of billing systems. Mr. Henderson holds a M.S. in Account ng from California State University at Northridge and a B.S. in Business Administration (Accounting) from California State College at Los Angeles. Most recently, as a consultant with Technology Staffing Resources, Mr. Henderson organized the implementation schedule for MCI's local billing system. From 1989 to 1996, Mr. Henderson served as a Program Manager and a Customer Billing Manager with GTE-Florida in Tampa. In both of these positions, Mr. Henderson managed and directed changes in billing systems. From 1987 to 1989, Mr.



successfully implemented a system for cellular credit card phones. From 1971 to 1987, Mr. Henderson served in various managerial capacities with GTE California. In all of these positions, Mr. Henderson was intimately involved with GTE's accounting and billing processes.

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United States Telecommunications, Inc.

EXHIBIT III

TECHNICAL CAPABILITY

United States Telecommunications, Inc., the Applicant herein, has the technical capability to provide the proposed services. As noted earlier, the management team has held various positions within the telecommunications industry. As a reseller of local basic services, Applicant will not own, control, operate or manage facilities in the State of Florida. Any technical issues that cannot be resolved by Applicant will likely be resolved by the underlying carrier whose services United States Telecommunications, Inc.'s resells.



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United States Telecommunications, Inc.

EXHIBIT IV

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION



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The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

United States Telecommunications, inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and melling address of this corporation shell be:

13902 N. Dele Mabry, Suite 212 Tempa, Floride 33618

ARTICLE III SHARES The number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is:

Twenty-five Thousand (25,000) shares

ARTICLE IV INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent are:

Joseph P. Cillo 13902 N. Dele Mebry, Suite 212 Tempe, Floride 33618

ARTICLE V INCORPORATOR The name and address of the incorporator to these Article of Incorporation are:

> Joseph P. Cillo 13902 N. Dele Mabry, Suite 212 Temna, Florida 33618

Joseph P. Cillo

(An additional article must be added if an effective data is requested

Hadry been named as registered egent and to accept service of process for the above stated expenden of the piece designated in this antifade. I have accept the appointment as registered agent and agent in activities capacity. I hather agen to except all the providence of all states relating to the proper and complete performance of my dates, and I am familier with and accept the eligibless of my peoplem as registered agent

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records of this office UNITED STATES certify from the that 1 TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on November 19, 1997.

The document number of this corporation is P97000098483.

I further certify that said corporation has paid all fees and penalties due this office through December 31, 1997, and its status is active.

I further certify that said corporation has not filed Articles of Dissolution.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida at Tallahassee, the Capitol, this the Thirtieth day of December, 1997

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Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State



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