BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for name change on ALEC Certificate No. 7222, IXC Certificate No. 7221, and PATS Certificate No. 6081 from Meridian Telecommunications, Inc. to Meridian Telecom, Inc. DOCKET NO. 011210-TP
ORDER NO. PSC-01-2282-FOF-TP
ISSUED: November 20, 2001

ORDER ACKNOWLEDGING NAME CHANGE

BY THE COMMISSION:

By letter dated September 17, 2001, Telecommunications, Inc., holder of Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications (ALEC) Certificate of Public Convenience and Interexchange Telecommunications Necessity No. 7222, Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7221, and Pay Telephone (PATS) Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 6081, requested that Certificate No. 7222, Certificate No. 7221, and Certificate No. 6081 be amended to reflect the new corporate name, Meridian Telecom, Inc. Upon review of the Department of State, Division of Corporations' records, it appears that Meridian Telecommunications, Inc. has properly registered the new corporate name. Accordingly, we find it appropriate to amend Certificate No. 722?, Certificate No. 7221, and Certificate No. 6081 to reflect the new corporate name.

This Order will serve as the amended ALEC Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7222, IXC Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7221, and PATS Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 6081 for Meridian Telecom, Inc.. Meridian Telecom, Inc. should retain this Order as evidence of the name change. We are vested with jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Section 364.335, Florida Statutes.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the request by Meridian Telecommunications, Inc. to change the name on Certificate No. 7222, Certificate No. 7221, and Certificate No.

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6081 from Meridian Telecommunications, Inc. to Meridian Telecom, Inc. is hereby approved. It is further

ORDERED that this Order will serve as Meridian Telecom, Inc.'s amended certificate and that this Order should be retained as evidence of the name change. It is further

ORDERED that this change will be effective upon issuance of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that this Docket is hereby closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this <u>20th</u> Day of November, <u>2001</u>.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director

Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

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Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water and/or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal Division of the Commission Clerk and with the Director, Administrative Services and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.