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STATE OF INDIANA

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

NEW COMMUNICATIONS ONLINE AND ) LONG DISTANCE INC. APPLICATION ) FOR A CERTIFICATE OF TERRITORIAL ) AUTHORITY FOR COMMUNICATIONS ) SERVICE PROVIDERS )	CAUSE NO. 43864  APPROVED: MAY 06 2010
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**BY THE COMMISSION:**

**David E. Veleta, Administrative Law Judge**

On February 25, 2010, New Communications Online and Long Distance Inc. (“Applicant”) filed with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (“Commission”) its Application for a Certificate of Territorial Authority (“CTA”) to provide communications services, **specifically telecommunications services as defined in 47 U.S.C. 153(46)** as described in the Application within the State of Indiana. The Commission published notice that Applicant filed an application for a CTA to provide communications services within the State of Indiana. Absent a timely request, the Application may be granted without a hearing.

Based upon information contained in the Application and applicable law, the Commission makes the following findings:

**1. Commission Notice and Jurisdiction.** Due, legal and timely notice of the Application was given and published by the Commission in accordance with General Administrative Order (“GAO”) 2009-4 and I.C. § 8-1-32.5-9. Applicant requests the issuance of a CTA pursuant to I.C. § 8-1-32.5 and, therefore, the Commission has jurisdiction over the Applicant and the subject of this Cause.

**2. Commission Discussion and Findings.** The Applicant filed an application for a CTA and information describing its legal authority and demonstrating its financial, managerial and technical ability to provide the proposed communications services in certain identified service areas. The Applicant also provided information indicating the type, means and location of service that the Applicant proposes to provide.

The Application was filed with the Commission on February 25, 2010. Applicant amended the application on March 29, 2010, and again on April 8, 2010. Notice of the Application was posted to the Commission’s website. No timely written request for intervention or a hearing was made by any entity during the 30-day posting period, and the Commission has not, on its own motion, determined a need for a hearing in this Cause. Accordingly, no hearing is required in this Cause.

Therefore, based upon the information provided by the Applicant in its Application, the Commission finds that a Certificate of Territorial Authority for resold interLATA and intraLATA interexchange services, wide area telecommunications services and operator services

proposed to be offered within the service areas identified in the Application should be issued to the Applicant, consistent with and subject to the following findings.

The Applicant shall comply with all applicable legal requirements pertaining to the provision of the communications services authorized by this CTA, including, but not limited to, the following.

a. **Public Utility Fees.** Payment of all public utility fees assessed by the Commission, pursuant to I.C. § 8-1-6, *et seq.*

b. **InTRAC.** Establishing and maintaining contact with the Indiana Telephone Relay Access Corporation for the Hearing and Speech Impaired (“InTRAC”) and payment of all fees required by I.C. § 8-1-2.8 *et seq.*

c. **Indiana Universal Service Fund.** Payment of all required assessments into the Indiana Universal Service Fund (“IUSF”), based on the “net billed intrastate retail telecommunications revenue”, pursuant to the “Implementation Guidelines” attached to the July 25, 2007, docket entry issued in Cause No. 42144, or pursuant to any subsequently issued IUSF-related requirements, rules, or procedures.

d. **Notice of Initiation of Service.** Pursuant to I.C. §§ 8-1-32.5-6(b)(3)(D) and 8-1-32.5-6(a)(9)(A), filing of a notice with the Secretary of the Commission of Applicant’s “in service” dates (i.e., the dates on which Applicant commences offering communications service in each service area identified in the Application in accordance with I.C. § 8-1-32.5-6(a)(4)) within ninety (90) days of each “in service” date.

e. **Additional Filing Requirements.** Filing of any other data, information, or reports required or requested by the Commission, including but not limited to information concerning the types of service offered, the areas in which the services are offered and any information needed by the Commission.

f. **Notice of Changes.** Notifying the Commission, pursuant to I.C. § 8-1-32.5-12, of any change involving either the Applicant or the CTA occurring after the issuance of this CTA. Such notice shall be provided using a Notice of Change form in accordance with GAO 2009-4. If the change involves the provision of other types of services than those approved herein or the reclassification of a communications service approved in this CTA, additional obligations and fees may apply.

g. **Other Customer Notifications.** Providing appropriate notice to customers when Applicant offers new communications services, discontinues communications services, and/or increases rates and charges for communications services in any of the Applicant’s service areas in Indiana pursuant to I.C. § 8-1-32.5-11(b) and any regulations adopted by the Commission.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION that:**

1. Subject to the Findings set forth in this Order, the Applicant New Communications Online and Long Distance Inc. is hereby issued a Certificate of Territorial Authority as a Communications Service Provider to provide **Telecommunications Services including resold interLATA and intraLATA interexchange services, wide area telecommunications services and operator services**, as requested in the Application that is the subject of this Order (including all amendments thereto).

2. This Order shall be effective on and after the date of its approval.

**HARDY, ATTERHOLT, MAYS AND ZIEGNER CONCUR; LANDIS ABSENT:**

**APPROVED:** MAY 06 2010

**I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Order as approved.**



**Brenda A. Howe**  
**Secretary to the Commission**