

In the Matter of

INTERNATIONAL
TELECOM, INC.

File No. I-T-C-91-062

Application for authority to operate
as an international resale carrier.

George S. Li
Chief, International Facilities Division
Common Carrier Bureau

ORDER, AUTHORIZATION AND CERTIFICATE

Adopted: March 29, 1991;

Released: April 9, 1991

By the Chief, International Facilities Division:

FOOTNOTES

¹ See, e.g., the cases cited in *Telcel Saving Communications Co.*, File No. I-T-C-86-062, Mimeo No. 3548, (released April 4, 1986) at n.2.

² *FCC v. RCA Communications, Inc.*, 346 U.S. 86 (1953); *Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co.*, 38 FCC 231 (1960).

1. The above-captioned application, filed on February 13, 1991 by International Telecom, Inc. (ITI), requests authority pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to resell the switched message telephone services of existing common carriers to provide international switched voice services between the U.S. and various overseas points. The application was placed on public notice on February 20, 1991. No comments were received.

2. The applicant is a non-dominant start-up company which proposes to resell international switched voice services in competition with other common carriers already providing resale of such services. In authorizations of new entrants over the past decade, the Commission has recognized that increased competition in international markets is beneficial.¹ We find that the market will support additional carriers and that the added competition will be in the public interest.²

3. For the foregoing reasons, IT IS CERTIFIED that the present and future public convenience and necessity require the provision of international switched voice services to the general public by ITI.

4. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that application File No. I-T-C-91-062 IS GRANTED, and ITI is authorized to provide international switched voice services by the resale of the international switched voice services set forth in AT&T's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, MCI's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, US Sprint's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 and Alascom's Tariff F.C.C. No. 10 between the United States and the points listed in those tariffs.

5. Copies of any operating agreements entered into between the applicant and its correspondents shall be filed with the Commission within 30 days of their execution.

6. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the applicant shall file a tariff pursuant to Section 203 of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 203, and Part 61 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. Part 61, for the services authorized in this Order.

7. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the applicant shall file the annual reports of overseas telecommunications traffic required by Section 43.61 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. §43.61 (October 1, 1989).

3. This order is issued under Section 0.291 of the Commission's Rules and is effective upon adoption. Petitions for reconsideration under Section 1.106 or applications for review under Section 1.115 of the Commission's Rules may be filed within 30 days of public notice of this order (see Section 1.4(b)(2)).

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION