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- LIMITED GLOBAL FACILITIES-BASED SERVICE
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- SWITCHED RESALE SERVICE
- TRANSFER OF CONTROL
- SUBMARINE CABLE LANDING LICENSE
- INTERNATIONAL SPECIAL PROJECT

Description of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

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Via Hand Delivery

Magalie Roman Salas, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
1919 M Street, N.W., Room 222  
Washington, D.C. 20054

Attention: International Bureau, Telecommunications Division

Re: Application For Streamlined International Section 214 Authority

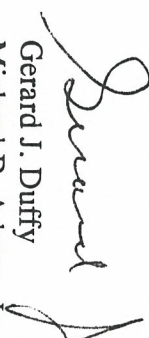

Dear Ms. Salas:

Transmitted herewith, on behalf of New Hampshire Telephone Co., Inc. d/b/a MCT Long Distance, are an original and five (5) copies of an Application for Streamlined Section 214 Authority to resell switched international telecommunications services.

In accordance with Section 1.1105 of the Commission's Rules, this Application and duplicate copies are being filed this day at the Commission's commercial lockbox with Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. A check in the amount of seven hundred and forty five dollars (\$745.00), the fee associated with this Application, accompanies this filing.

Any questions regarding this application may be directed to the undersigned at  
(202) 828-5528.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Gerard J. Duffy  
  
Michael B. Adams, Jr.

Enclosures

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CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

**MCT**  
**LONG DISTANCE**  
11 KEARSARGE AVENUE  
P.O. BOX 337  
CONTOOCOOK, NH 03229-0337

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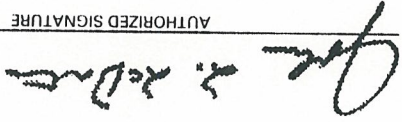
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**SECTION A - PAYER INFORMATION**

(2) PAYER NAME (if paying by credit card, enter name exactly as it appears on your card)  
New Hampshire Telephone Co., Inc.

(3) TOTAL AMOUNT PAID (dollars and cents)  
\$ xxx745.00

(4) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1  
d/b/a/ MCT Long Distance

(5) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 2  
11 Kearsage Avenue, P.O. Box 337

(6) CITY  
Contoocook

(7) STATE  
NH

(8) ZIP CODE  
03229

(9) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code)  
(888) 336-2853

(10) COUNTRY CODE (if not in U.S.A.)

**IF PAYER NAME AND THE APPLICANT NAME ARE DIFFERENT, COMPLETE SECTION B  
IF MORE THAN ONE APPLICANT, USE CONTINUATION SHEETS (FORM 159-C)**

**SECTION B - APPLICANT INFORMATION**

(11) APPLICANT NAME (if paying by credit card, enter name exactly as it appears on your card)

(12) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1

(13) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 2

(14) CITY (15) STATE (16) ZIP CODE

(17) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code) (18) COUNTRY CODE (if not in U.S.A.)

**COMPLETE SECTION C FOR EACH SERVICE. IF MORE BOXES ARE NEEDED, USE CONTINUATION SHEETS (FORM 159-C)**

**SECTION C - PAYMENT INFORMATION**

(19A) FCC CALL SIGN/OTHER ID	(20A) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (P/T/C)	(21A) QUANTITY	(22A) FEE DUE FOR (P/T/C) IN BLOCK 20A	FCC USE ONLY
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(24A) FCC CODE 2				

(19B) FCC CALL SIGN/OTHER ID	(20B) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (P/T/C)	(21B) QUANTITY	(22B) FEE DUE FOR (P/T/C) IN BLOCK 20B	FCC USE ONLY
(23B) FCC CODE 1			\$	
(24B) FCC CODE 2				

(19C) FCC CALL SIGN/OTHER ID	(20C) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (P/T/C)	(21C) QUANTITY	(22C) FEE DUE FOR (P/T/C) IN BLOCK 20C	FCC USE ONLY
(23C) FCC CODE 1			\$	
(24C) FCC CODE 2				

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(24D) FCC CODE 2				

**SECTION D - TAXPAYER INFORMATION (REQUIRED)**

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**SECTION E - CERTIFICATION**

(27) CERTIFICATION STATEMENT I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing and supporting information are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

(PRINT NAME)

(28) are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION F - CREDIT CARD PAYMENT INFORMATION**

(29) MASTERCARD/VISA ACCOUNT NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

EXPIRATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

MASTERCARD

VISA

MONTH YEAR

I hereby authorize the FCC to charge my VISA or MASTERCARD for the service(s)/authorization(s) herein described.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

DATE

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FCC FORM 159 JULY 1997 (REVISED)

Before the  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of

NEW HAMPSHIRE TELEPHONE CO., INC.  
d/b/a MCT LONG DISTANCE

Application for Authority to  
Resell International Switched  
Telecommunications Service  
(Formal Section 63.18)

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*ITL-214-19980911-00646*

APPLICATION FOR STREAMLINED  
INTERNATIONAL SECTION 214 AUTHORITY

New Hampshire Telephone Co., Inc. d/b/a MCT Long Distance ("MCT" or "Applicant") requests authorization, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act and Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules, to resell the switched telecommunications services of other common carriers services between the United States and international points. See 47 U.S.C. § 214 (1988); International Section 214 Streamlining Order, 61 Fed. Reg. 15,724, 15,729 (1995) (codified at 47 C.F.R. § 63.18).

MCT requests authorization to operate as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Rules. Unless formally opposed, the present application qualifies for streamlined treatment under Section 63.12 of the Rules. See International Section 214 Streamlining Order, supra at 15,728 (codified at 47 C.F.R. §§ 63.12).

MCT's proposal will permit it to purchase switched inter-

national telecommunications services from other carriers at volume discounts, and to pass through some of its savings to its resale customers. The public interest will be served by MCT's ability to offer additional service options and reduced rates to its customers.

Grant of this application will serve the public interest, convenience and necessity and in support thereof, the following information is submitted pursuant to Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules:

a) Name, address, and telephone number of the Applicant are:

New Hampshire Telephone Co., Inc.  
d/b/a MCT Long Distance  
11 Kearsarge Avenue  
Contoocook, New Hampshire 03229-0337  
Telephone: (603) 746-9528  
Facsimile: (603) 746-3567

b) The Applicant is organized under the laws of:  
  
New Hampshire

c) Correspondence concerning the application should be addressed to:

Beth H. Osler  
New Hampshire Telephone Co., Inc.  
d/b/a MCT Long Distance  
11 Kearsarge Avenue  
Contoocook, New Hampshire 03229-0337  
Telephone: (603) 746-9528  
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with copies to legal counsel:

Gerard J. Duffy  
Blooston, Mordkofsky, Jackson and Dickens  
2120 L Street, N.W., Suite 300  
Washington, D.C. 20037  
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d) MCT itself has not previously received authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. 214. With the grant of this application, MCT will have international switched resale authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act. Merrimack County Telephone Company (Merrimack), a local exchange carrier owned by MCT's parent company, previously has sought and received authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act to operate cable television systems within its telephone service area.

e) MCT is requesting authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. § 214, to operate as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

C E R T I F I C A T I O N S

Affiliations

MCT certifies that it is not a foreign carrier, and that it does not have an affiliation with any foreign carrier.

MCT certifies that it does not have an affiliation with any of the U.S. carriers whose facilities-based international services it proposes to resell.

The name, address, citizenship and principal business of the only entity with a ten percent (10%) or greater interest in MCT is:

<u>Name/Address</u>	<u>Owned</u> %	<u>Citizen</u>	<u>Principal Business</u>
MCT, Inc. 11 Kearsarge Avenue Contoocook, NH	100%	NH Corp.	Telecommunications

MCT, Inc. also owns Merrimack County Telephone Company (Merrimack), a local exchange carrier. The name, address, citizenship and principal business of the entities having a ten percent (10%) or greater interest in MCT, Inc. are:

<u>Name/Address</u>	<u>Owned</u> %	<u>Citizen</u>	<u>Principal Business</u>
Alderic O. Violette Warner, NH	17.7%	U.S.A.	Telecommunications
Robert B. Cutting Trust Warner, NH	17.4%	NH Trust	Telecommunications

MCT: (1) will maintain separate books of account from Merrimack, its affiliated local exchange carrier; (2) will not jointly own transmission or switching facilities with Merrimack; and (3) will take any tariffed services from Merrimack pursuant to the terms and conditions of Merrimack's generally applicable tariff.



MCT will be treated as a nonregulated affiliate of Merrimack for purposes of local exchange carrier accounting under the Commission's joint cost and affiliate transactions rules as set forth in Parts 32 and 64 of the Commission's Rules.

Foreign Concessions and Arrangements

MCT hereby certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions, directly or indirectly, from any foreign carrier or foreign administration with respect to traffic and revenue flows between the United States and any foreign country which the Applicant may serve under the authority sought; and that it will not enter into such agreements in the future.

Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification

MCT certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no party to the application is subject to denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. 862.

CONCLUSION

In light of the foregoing, MCT respectfully submits that the public interest, convenience and necessity would be served by a grant of the Section 214 authorization sought, and that such authorization should be issued to it for purposes of reselling the switched services of other common carriers to provide international switched telecommunications services between the United States and international points.

Respectfully submitted,  
NEW HAMPSHIRE TELEPHONE CO., INC.  
d/b/a MCT LONG DISTANCE

By: Paul E. VirollePrinted Name: Paul E. VirolleTitle: President + CEODate: Sept. 10, 1998

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Craig A. Costa, hereby certify that I am an employee of the law firm of Blooston, Mordkofsky, Jackson & Dickens and that a copy of the foregoing "APPLICATION FOR STREAMLINED INTERNATIONAL SECTION 214 AUTHORITY" was served this 1st day of September 1998, by First Class U.S. Mail, to the persons listed below.

The Honorable Jeanne Shaheen  
Office of the Governor  
State House  
Concord, NH 03301

The Honorable Madeleine Albright  
Secretary of State  
State Department  
2201 C Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20520

The Honorable William S. Cohen  
Secretary of Defense  
Attn: Special Assistant for Telecommunications  
The Pentagon  
Washington, DC 20301

  
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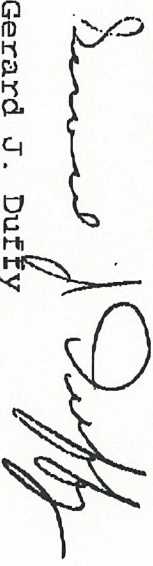
Re: New Hampshire Telephone Co.,  
Inc., d/b/a MCT Long Distance;  
Application for Streamlined Section 214 Authority

Dear Ms. Eisenstein:

This letter is to confirm that Robert B. Cutting, the subject of the Robert B. Cutting Trust addressed in the above-referenced application, is a citizen of the United States.

Please call us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Gerard J. Duffy  
Michael B. Adams, Jr.