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- SWITCHED RESALE SERVICE
- TRANSFER OF CONTROL
- SUBMARINE CABLE LANDING LICENSE
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Description of Application: _____

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VIA BERRY BEST COURIER

Federal Communications Commission
International Bureau - Telecommunications
P. O. Box 358115
Pittsburgh, PA 15251-5115

Re: VMR TEL INC.
Application for Section 214 Authorization

Dear Sirs:

On behalf of our client, VMR TEL INC., we hereby submit six copies of its application for authority, under Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to acquire and operate common carrier and non-common carrier facilities to provide telecommunications services between the United States and all permissible international points and to resell certain international services of authorized U. S. carriers between the United States and permissible international points. We have enclosed a Form 159 and a check in the amount of \$780.00 to cover the required filing fee.

For our records, please date-stamp the enclosed extra copy of the instant filing, and return it to our office in the hand-delivery envelope provided. Please direct all questions and correspondence regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Kira A. Merski

Kira A. Merski
Attorney for VMR TEL INC.

Enclosures

READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY
BEFORE PROCEEDING

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
REMITTANCE ADVICE

APPROVED BY OMB 3060-0589

(1) LOCKBOX # 558115

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SPECIAL USE
FCC USE ONLY

SECTION A - PAYER INFORMATION

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

VMR TEL INC. (3) TOTAL AMOUNT PAID (dollars and cents)
\$ 780.00

(4) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1

2440, rue de l'Acajou

(7) STATE (8) ZIP CODE
Canada H4R 2R9

(9) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code) (10) COUNTRY CODE (if not in U.S.A.)
(888) 645-7245 CAN

St. Laurence, Quebec

ITA-214 19981102-00764

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)

VMR TEL INC.

(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 (PTC) (21A) QUANTITY (22A) FEE DUE FOR (PTC) IN BLOCK 20A
Sec - 214 C U T 1 \$ 780.00

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(23A) FCC CODE 1 (24A) FCC CODE 2

(19B) FCC CALL SIGN/OTHER ID (20B) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (PTC) (21B) QUANTITY (22B) FEE DUE FOR (PTC) IN BLOCK 20B
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(23B) FCC CODE 1 (24B) FCC CODE 2

(19C) FCC CALL SIGN/OTHER ID (20C) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (PTC) (21C) QUANTITY (22C) FEE DUE FOR (PTC) IN BLOCK 20C
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(23C) FCC CODE 1 (24C) FCC CODE 2

(19D) FCC CALL SIGN/OTHER ID (20D) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (PTC) (21D) QUANTITY (22D) FEE DUE FOR (PTC) IN BLOCK 20D
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(23D) FCC CODE 1 (24D) FCC CODE 2

SECTION D - TAXPAYER INFORMATION (REQUIRED)

(25) COMPLETE THIS BLOCK ONLY IF APPLICANT NAME IN B-11 IS DIFFERENT FROM PAYER NAME IN A-2)

PAYER TIN 0 - t n d t a p p l c a b l e - -

APPLICANT TIN 0

SECTION E - CERTIFICATION

(27) CERTIFICATION STATEMENT I, _____, Certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing and supporting information

(PRINT NAME)

are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. SIGNATURE _____

SECTION F - CREDIT CARD PAYMENT INFORMATION

(28) MASTERCARD/VISA ACCOUNT NUMBER: _____ EXPIRATION DATE: _____

MASTERCARD

MONTH YEAR

VISA

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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

SEE PUBLIC BURDEN ESTIMATE ON REVERSE

**BEFORE THE
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of
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)
)
VMR TEL INC.)

) File No. I-T-C-__ - __
)
) Application pursuant to Section 214 of the
) Communications Act of 1934, as amended,
) for global authority to acquire and operate
) U.S. common carrier and non-common carrier
) facilities for the provision of international
) common carrier service between the
) United States and all permissible foreign points
) and to provide such service via resale.)

APPLICATION

VMR TEL INC. (hereinafter referred to as "VMR") hereby
applies for authority, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of
1934, as amended, and Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules and
Regulations (the "Rules"), to: (1) acquire and operate U.S. common carrier and
non-common carrier facilities previously and subsequently authorized by the
Commission to provide telecommunications services between the United States
and all permissible foreign points, and (2) resell the international services of
authorized U.S. common carriers -- including, consistent with the Commission's
Report and Order and Order on Reconsideration in Rules and Policies on
Foreign Participation in the U.S. Telecommunications Market,^{1/} the resale of
private line services for the provision of international basic switched services to
certain countries -- to all international points.

^{1/} FCC 97-398, released November 26, 1997 (the "Foreign Participation
Order").

In accordance with Section 63.18 of the Rules, VMR submits the following information in support of its application:

- (a) The applicant is VMR TEL INC. The address of the Company's registered office is: 2440, rue de l'Acajou, St. Laurent (Quebec), Canada H4R 2R9. The phone number at that address is (888) 645-7245.
- (b) VMR is a Canadian corporation.
- (c) Correspondence concerning this Application should be directed to:

Jean-Jacques Rousseau
 President and CEO
 VMR TEL INC.
 2440, rue de l'Acajou
 St. Laurent (Quebec)
 Canada H4R 2R9
 (888) 645-7245

With a copy to:

Jeffrey H. Olson, Esq.
 Kira A. Merski, Esq.
 Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison
 1615 L Street, N.W., Suite 1300
 Washington, D.C. 20036
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- (d) As a non-dominant carrier, VMR may acquire facilities to provide domestic common carrier services without obtaining certification pursuant to Section 214.^{2/} Under Section 63.12 of the Rules, this application is subject to the Commission's streamlined processing rules as VMR is a non-dominant carrier, pursuant to Section

^{2/} See Policies and Rules Concerning Rates for Competitive Common Carrier Services and Facilities Authorization Therefor (Second Report and Order), 91 FCC 2d 59 (1982).

63.10 of the Rules, and is not otherwise affiliated with a foreign carrier.

(e) VMR hereby requests Section 214 authority:

(1) to operate as a facilities-based international carrier between the United States and all permissible points, pursuant to the terms and conditions of Sections 63.18(e)(1) and 63.21 of the Rules, as well as to any and all other provisions of the Rules applicable hereto;

(2) to resell international services, between the United States and all permissible points -- including, consistent with the Foreign Participation Order, the resale of private line services for the provision of international basic switched services to certain countries -- pursuant to the terms and conditions of Sections 63.18(e)(2) and 63.21 of the Rules, as well as any and all other provisions of the Rules applicable hereto.

The authorization sought in this application will be used to provide a full range of telecommunications services, including switched voice and data, private line and business services, between the United States and all permissible foreign points.

(f) VMR hereby certifies, under penalty of perjury, that it has no affiliation with any foreign carrier. The following owns and controls 55% of VMR:

Victor Vainstein
285 Clarke Ave. Apt. 501
Westmount (Quebec)
Canada H3Z 2E3
(514) 934-5590
Citizen of Canada
Businessman

The following owns and controls 30% of VMR:

Jean-Jacques Rousseau
 2440, rue de l'Acajou
 St. Laurent (Quebec)
 Canada H4R 2R9
 (888) 645-7245
 Citizen of Canada
 Business Executive

The following owns and controls 15% of VMR:

Dr. Alexander Markovski
 134 East Partridge Lane
 Cherry Hill, NJ 08003
 (609) 751-7862
 Citizen of the United States
 Businessman

VMR certifies that it has no affiliation with any United States carrier whose facilities-based services it proposes to resell. With the exception of Alexander Markovski -- who sits on the board of directors of both VMR and Intersviaz, Inc. -- no member of VMR's board of directors sits on the board of any other unaffiliated telecommunications company. Intersviaz, Inc. is a U.S. telecommunications company licensed under Section 214 to act as a non-dominate carrier providing facilities-based and resale services. See File No. ITC-97-601, Public Notice of Overseas Common Carrier Section 214 Applications Actions Taken: Intersviaz, Inc., DA 97-2521 (Nov. 28, 1997).

- (g) VMR hereby certifies, under penalty of perjury, that it has not agreed to accept -- nor will it agree to accept -- special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier or

of private line services for the provision of international basic switched services to certain countries -- to all international points.

Respectfully submitted,

VMR TEL INC.

By: 

Jean-Jacques Rousseau
President and CEO

Date: October 29, 1998

Of Counsel

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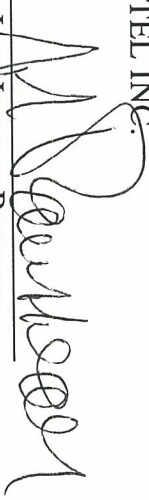
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CERTIFICATION OF APPLICANT

I hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, that neither the
applicant nor any party to this application is subject to a denial of Federal
benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to section 5301 of the Anti-Drug
Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. Section 862. Executed on this 29 day of
October, 1998.

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By: 
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