

Categories of Services for 214 Applications  
(Streamline/Non-streamline)

- ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE
- GLOBAL FACILITIES-BASED SERVICE
- GLOBAL FACILITIES-BASED/GLOBAL RESALE SERVICE
- GLOBAL RESALE SERVICE
- INDIVIDUAL FACILITIES-BASED SERVICE
- INTERCONNECTED PRIVATE LINE RESALE SERVICE
- LIMITED GLOBAL FACILITIES-BASED SERVICE/LIMITED GLOBAL RESALE SERVICE
- LIMITED GLOBAL FACILITIES-BASED SERVICE
- LIMITED GLOBAL RESALE SERVICE
- INMARSAT AND MOBILE SATELLITE SERVICE
- SWITCHED RESALE SERVICE
- TRANSFER OF CONTROL
- SUBMARINE CABLE LANDING LICENSE
- INTERNATIONAL SPECIAL PROJECT

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

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

In re Application of

TOLEDO AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC.

For Authorization under Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended, to Resell the International Services of Authorized U.S. Common Carriers for the Provision of International Switched, Private Line Data, Television and Business Services To All International Points

File No. \_\_\_\_\_

ITC - 214 - 19981117 - 00803

To: Chief, Telecommunications Division, International Bureau

SECTION 214 APPLICATION

Toledo Area Telecommunications Services, Inc. ("Applicant") hereby seeks authorization to provide international switched, private line, data, television and business services to all international points through resale of the existing facilities of authorized U.S. common carriers, and to resell private lines for the purpose of providing international basic switched services to countries found to offer equivalent resale opportunities. In support of this request, the following information is provided, as required by Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules:

- a) Name and address of Applicant:  
 Toledo Area Telecommunications Services, Inc.  
 5566 Southwyck Blvd.  
 Toledo, Ohio 43614  
 (419) 724-9881

- b) State law under which Applicant is organized:  
Ohio

- c) Correspondence concerning the application should be addressed to:

Mr. David G. Huey  
Toledo Area Telecommunications Services, Inc.  
5566 Southwyck Blvd.  
Toledo, Ohio 43614

with a copy to:

Thomas J. Moorman, Esq.  
Kraskin, Lesse & Cosson, LLP  
2120 L Street, N.W., Suite 520  
Washington, D.C. 20037  
202/296-8890  
202/296-8893 (FAX)

- d) Applicant has not previously received international authority under Section 214 of the Act.
- e) Applicant seeks authorization to operate as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) to resell the international services of authorized U.S. common carriers for the provision of international switched, private line, data, television and business services to all international points, and to resell private lines for the purpose of providing international basic switched services to countries found to offer equivalent resale opportunities.
- f) Not applicable.
- g) Not applicable.
- h) Applicant hereby certifies that it has no affiliation with any foreign carrier or U.S. carrier whose facilities-based services the Applicant proposes to resell.

The following information is provided with respect to shareholders of 10% or greater of Applicant's equity interest:

Applicant is wholly owned by Blade Communications, Inc.

William Block, Sr., and the estate of the late Paul Block, Jr., are the shareholders with 10 percent or greater ownership of Blade Communications, Inc. The principal business of Applicant's direct and indirect shareholders is the provision of newspapers, cable and broadcast television, and telecommunications services.

Common directors and officers among Applicant and its parent are:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position with Applicant</b>	<b>Position with Blade Communications, Inc.</b>
Allan Block	Director	Director, Vice Chairman
John Block	Director	Director, Executive Vice President
Fritz Byers	Secretary	Secretary
Gary Blair	Assistant Secretary	Treasurer

Blade Communications, Inc., also wholly owns Buckeye TeleSystem, Inc., a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) and Competitive Access Provider (CAP) headquartered in Toledo, OH. Its operations are limited to the Toledo metropolitan area.

Common officers and directors of Blade Communications, Inc., Applicant and Buckeye TeleSystem, Inc. are:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position with Blade Communications, Inc.</b>	<b>Position with Applicant</b>	<b>Position with Buckeye TeleSystem, Inc.</b>
Allan Block	Director, Vice Chairman	Director	Director
John R. Block	Director, Executive Vice President	Director	
Fritz Byers	Secretary	Secretary	Secretary
Gary Blair	Treasurer	Assistant Secretary	Assistant Treasurer

All Shareholders, Officers and Directors are U.S. Citizens.

The principal address for the Shareholders, Board of Directors and Officers is:

5566 Southwyck Blvd.  
Toledo, OH 43614

(i) Applicant certifies that it has not agreed and will not agree to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier or administration with respect to traffic or revenue flows between the US and any foreign country which the Applicant may serve under the authority granted hereunder.

(j) Applicant certifies that, to the best of its knowledge, information and belief, neither Applicant nor any party to this application is subject to a denial of federal radio licenses under Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

Respectfully submitted:

TOLEDO AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS  
SERVICES, INC.

Date: 11/16/98

By:

David G. Huey  
David G. Huey  
President

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

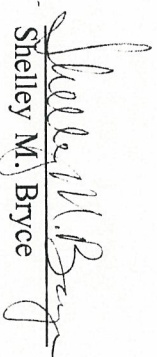
I, Shelley M. Bryce, of Kraskin, Lesse, & Cosson, LLP, 2120 L Street, N.W., Suite 520, Washington, D.C., 20037, do hereby certify that on this 17th day of November, 1998, a copy of the foregoing International Section 214 Application for Toledo Area Telecommunications Services, Inc. was mailed, first class postage prepaid to the following:

The Honorable George V. Voimovich  
Governor, State of Ohio  
77 South High Street  
30th Floor  
Columbus, OH 43215

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1000 Defense Pentagon, Room 3E172  
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EB/CIP/SCA  
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Ms. Fran Eisenstein \*  
Federal Communications Commission  
International Bureau  
Telecommunications Division  
2000 M Street, N.W., Room 843  
Washington, D.C. 20554

  
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WASHINGTON, DC 20074  
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11/17/1998

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(1) LOCKBOX # 358115

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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)  
Kraskin, Lesse & Cosson, LLP

(3) TOTAL AMOUNT PAID (dollars and cents)  
\$ 780.00

(4) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1  
2120 L Street, NW, Suite 520

(5) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 2

(6) CITY  
Washington

(7) STATE  
DC

(8) ZIP CODE  
20037

(9) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code)  
(202) 290-8890

(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)

Toledo Area Telecommunications Services, Inc.

(12) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1

5566 Southwyck Blvd.

(13) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 2

(14) CITY  
Toledo

(15) STATE  
OH

(16) ZIP CODE  
43614

(17) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code)

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 (PTG) IN BLOCK 20A

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(23A) FCC CODE 1

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\$ 780.00

FCC CODE 2

(19B) FCC CALL SIGN/OTHER ID

(20B) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (PTC)

(21B) QUANTITY

(22B) FEE DUE FOR (PTG) IN BLOCK 20B

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(23B) FCC CODE 1

(20C) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (PTC)

(21C) QUANTITY

(22C) FEE DUE FOR (PTG) IN BLOCK 20C

FCC USE ONLY

(23C) FCC CODE 1

(20D) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (PTG)

(21D) QUANTITY

(22D) FEE DUE FOR (PTG) IN BLOCK 20D

FCC USE ONLY

(23D) FCC CODE 1

(20E) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (PTG)

(21E) QUANTITY

(22E) FEE DUE FOR (PTG) IN BLOCK 20E

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SECTION D - TAXPAYER INFORMATION (REQUIRED)

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

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APPLICANT TIN

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SECTION E - CERTIFICATION

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 \_\_\_\_\_

(28) MASTERCARD/VISA ACCOUNT NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ EXPIRATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

MASTERCARD

MONTH YEAR

VISA

DATE