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- 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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Federal Communications Commission
International Bureau Telecommunications Division
P.O. Box 358115
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Attention: Troy Tanner, Chief, Policy and Facilities Branch, International Bureau

Re: *Application of Stonehenge Telecom, Inc., for Global Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended, to Operate as an International Facilities-based Carrier and as an International Resale Carrier*

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission are an original and six (6) copies of the application of Stonehenge Telecom, Inc. requesting global authority, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to operate as an international facilities-based carrier and as an international resale carrier between the United States and various international points.

As required by the Commission's Rules, a check in the amount of \$780.00 is enclosed. Please date-stamp the extra copy of this application and return it in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope. Any questions regarding the enclosed application should be addressed to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,


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Enclosures

cc: Rene Pielanen
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Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of

STONEHENGE TELECOM, INC.

Application for global authority pursuant to
Section 214 of the Communication Act
of 1934, as amended, to operate as an
international facilities-based and
resale carrier

File No. ITC-98-_____

APPLICATION FOR "GLOBAL" AUTHORITY UNDER SECTION 214:
CLASSIFICATION OF THE APPLICANT AS NONDOMINANT ON ALL ROUTES:
AND REQUEST FOR STREAMLINED PROCESSING

Stonehenge Telecom, Inc. ("Stonehenge" or "Applicant"), by its undersigned counsel, hereby requests "global" authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended ("the Act"), 47 U.S.C. § 214, and Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18, to provide international telecommunications services between the United States and various international points. Stonehenge requests that the Commission allow all current and future wholly-owned subsidiaries of Stonehenge to operate under its authorization, once granted. This Application qualifies for streamlined processing because Stonehenge is not affiliated with any foreign carriers, as defined in Section 63.10(a)(1) and 63.18 (h) (1) of the Commission's Rules.

Grant of Stonehenge's request for facilities-based and resale authority to provide international services will further the Commission's policies of bringing increased competition to the U.S. international telecommunications market and, therefore, is in the public interest.

I. INFORMATION REQUIRED BY SECTION 63.18

(a) Name, address, and telephone number of Applicant:

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Fax: 011/31-023-556-37 01

(b) Applicant is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware.

(c) Correspondence concerning this Application should be sent to:

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with a copy to:

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(d) Stonehenge has not previously received authority under Section 214 of the Act.

(e) Stonehenge requests Section 214 authority to operate as a facilities-based carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(1) and to operate as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2). Specifically, Stonehenge seeks to: (1) obtain global facilities-based authority to acquire interests in whole and half-circuits in submarine cables, establish channels of communication with satellite systems, and utilize necessary connecting facilities, other than facilities listed on the Exclusion List, to provide international telecommunications services between the United States and all international points except those points excluded

by the Exclusion List; (2) obtain global authority to resell international switched services of all unaffiliated U.S.-authorized carriers to provide international switched services between the United States and all international points served by those carriers; (3) obtain global authority to resell international non-interconnected private lines to provide international private line services between the United States and all permitted international points; and (4) obtain global authority to resell international private lines interconnected to the public switched network at one or both ends, to provide international switched services between the United States and all countries approved by the FCC for such services.

(f) At this time, Stonehenge does not seek authority to provide services not referenced under paragraph (e) of Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules.

(g) The authority requested in this Application is categorically excluded from environmental processing, as defined by Section 1.1306 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1306. As such, an environmental assessment is not required for purposes of this Application and, therefore, is not attached.

(h) Stonehenge certifies that it is not affiliated with any foreign or U.S. facilities-based carrier.

In support of this certification, the name, address, citizenship and principal business of Stonehenge's 10 % or greater direct or indirect shareholders is as follows:

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2132 WS Hoofddorp

The Netherlands

Principal business: Telecommunications

Citizenship: Dutch

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Interlocking directorates: Stonehenge has no interlocking directorates with other carriers holding Section 214 certifications or otherwise subject to FCC jurisdiction.

- (i) Stonehenge certifies that, except as permitted by the Commission's Rules, it has not agreed to accept and will not agree in the future to accept any special concessions, as defined by the Commission's Rules, directly or indirectly, from any foreign carrier or administration with respect to traffic or revenue flows on any U.S. international route where the foreign carrier possesses sufficient market power on the foreign end of the route to affect competition adversely in the U.S. market.
- (j) Stonehenge certifies that no 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.
- (k) Stonehenge requests streamlined processing of this application because it is not affiliated with any foreign carriers.

CONCLUSION

For the reasons stated above, Stonehenge Telecom, Inc. respectfully submits that the public interest, convenience, and necessity would be furthered by a grant of this Section 214 Application.

Respectfully submitted,

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By:



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Dated: March 24, 1999

CERTIFICATION OF APPLICANT

On behalf of Stonehenge Telecom, Inc. ("Stonehenge"), I hereby certify that Stonehenge has foreign affiliations within the meaning of Section 63.18(h)(1) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R § 63.18(h)(1), but that its foreign affiliates lack sufficient market power on the foreign end of the routes in the destination country to affect competition adversely in the U.S. market; that Stonehenge is not affiliated with any U.S. carriers whose facilities-based services it proposes to resell; and that, except as permitted by the Commission's Rules, Stonehenge has not agreed to accept nor shall it accept in the future any special concessions, as defined by the Commission's Rules, directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier or administration with respect to traffic or revenue flows on any U.S. international route where the foreign carrier possesses sufficient market power on the foreign end of the route to affect competition adversely in the U.S. market.

In accordance with Section 1.2001-1.2003 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.2001-1.2003, I also certify that no party to the foregoing 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. See 21 U.S.C. § 853a. I further certify that the statements in the foregoing Application for Section 214 authority are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and are made in good faith.

STONEHENGE TELECOM, INC.

By:



Name:

Rene Pielanen

Title:

Director Operations

Date:

01/13/1999

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