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Description of Application: _____

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January 26, 2000

VIA COURIER

Federal Communications Commission
c/o Mellon Bank
Three Mellon Bank Center
525 William Penn Way
27th Floor, Room 153-2713
Pittsburgh, PA 15259-0001

Re: Application of GOPHONE.NET, LLC for Authority, Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended, to Provide International Facilities-Based Services, and International Switched Resale Services, on a Global Basis

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of GOPHONE.NET, LLC is an original and six (6) copies of the above-referenced application, including accompanying certifications.

As required by the Commission's rules, payment in the amount of US\$780.00 is included to cover the FCC filing fee. Please date-stamp the enclosed extra copy of this application and return it to the undersigned.

Should you have any questions concerning the application, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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

In the Matter of

GOPHONE.NET, LLC

File No. 1-T-C-00-

Application for Authority Pursuant to
Section 214 of the Communications Act
of 1934, as Amended, to Provide International
Facilities-Based Services, and International
Switched Resale Services, on a Global Basis

APPLICATION

GOPHONE.NET, LLC (Applicant) hereby applies for authority pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (Act) and Section 63.18 of the Commission's rules, for authority to provide international facilities-based services, and international switched resale services, on a global basis.

A grant of this application will further the Commission's pro-competitive policies and serve the public interest by bringing the benefits of increased customer choice and alternative services by new entrants to the international marketplace. RCA Communications v. FCC, 346 US 86 (1953); Telocator Network of America v. FCC, 692 F.2d 525 (DC Cir. 1982); and Authorized User Policy, 100 FCC 2d 177 (1985).

This application is eligible for streamlined processing procedures under Section 63.12 of the Commission's rules. Applicant has no affiliation, within the meaning of Section 63.18(h)(1)(i), with a U.S. or foreign carrier.

The following information is set forth in response to the corresponding relevant provisions of Section 63.18 of the Commission's rules:

(a) The name of the applicant is GOPHONE.NET, LLC and its principal place of business is 3799 RT 46; Suite 206; Parsippany, NJ 07054.

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

(c) Correspondence regarding this application should be addressed to:

Jodi L. Cooper, Esq.
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with a copy to:

Ira Blut
3799 RT 46 Suite 206
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(d) Applicant has not previously received authority under Section 214 of the Act.

(e) (1) Applicant is requesting authority to operate as a facilities-based carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(1). The authority requested is to acquire interests in all appropriately licensed U.S. common carrier

and non-common carrier facilities, and any necessary overseas connecting facilities as needed, to provide international basic switched, private line, data, television and business services to all international points, except to those points indicated on the Commission's exclusion list.

(e) (2) Applicant is also requesting authority to resell the international services of authorized U.S. common carriers for the provision of basic switched, private line, data, television and business services to all international points pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2).

(h) (1) Applicant certifies that it is not affiliated, either directly or indirectly, with any foreign carrier as that term is defined by the Commission Part 63 rules or with any dominant U.S. carriers. The name, address, citizenship and principal business of the shareholder owning 10% or more of Applicant is:

| <u>Name and Address</u> | <u>Citizenship</u> | <u>Principal Business</u> |
|--|--------------------|---------------------------|
| Mr. Ira Blut 3799 RT 46 Suite 206 Parsippany, NJ 07054 | U.S. | Advertising |

(i) As required by Section 63.18(i) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. 63.18(i), Applicant certifies that it has not agreed to accept in the future any special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier or administration with respect to traffic or revenue flows between the U.S.

and any foreign country which Applicant may serve under a grant if this application.

- (j) No party to this application is subject to a denial of Federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully submits that the public interest, convenience and necessity will be served by a prompt grant of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

GOPHONE.NET, LLC

By: 

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Its Counsel

Dated: January 26, 2000

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

On behalf of GOPHONE.NET, LLC and in accordance with Section 1.2001-1.2003 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. Sections 1.2001-1.2003, I hereby certify that neither GOPHONE.NET, LLC 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. See 21 U.S.C. Section 853a. I also 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.

GOPHONE.NET, LLC

By: 
Ira Blut
President

Date: January 26, 2000

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Jodi L. Cooper, do hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Application was sent by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, except as indicated, this 26th day of January, 2000, to the following:

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