

Categories of Services for 214 Applications
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- TRANSFER OF CONTROL
- ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE
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- SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY
- SUBMARINE CABLE LANDING LICENSE

Description of Application: _____

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**Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554**
FCC/MAIL/ELN JUN 16 2000

In the Matter of

SAKON, LLC

File No. ITC-_____

**Application Pursuant to Section 214 for Global
Authority to Provide International Facilities-
Based and Resale Services**

APPLICATION FOR SECTION 214 AUTHORIZATION

Sakon, LLC (“Sakon”) hereby applies, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. § 214, for global authority to provide facilities-based and resale services. The proposed services will include international basic switched, non-interconnected private line, data, television, and business services to all international points. These services will also include international basic switched services via private lines to authorized countries.

This Application qualifies for streamlined processing pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission’s Rules.¹ Additionally, Sakon certifies, by signature to this application, that it is not affiliated with any foreign carrier. Accordingly, Sakon is qualified for non-dominant status on all international routes.²

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 63.12.

² 47 C.F.R. § 10(a)(1).

The following information is provided in compliance with Section 63.18 of the

Commission's Rules:

a - c. Sakon is a Delaware limited liability company. Correspondence concerning this Application should be directed to:

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d. Sakon is not currently authorized under Section 214 of the Communications Act.

e. Sakon is requesting Section 214 authority to operate as a facilities-based and resale carrier, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(1) & (2), for the provision of international basic switched, non-interconnected private line, data, television, and business services to all international points. Sakon also seeks authority to provide international basic switched services via private lines to authorized countries. Sakon certifies, by signature to this application, that it will comply with the conditions set forth in 47 C.F.R. §§ 63.21- 63.23.

f. See paragraph (e) above.

g. Sakon is seeking facilities-based and resale authority under 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e) to provide international services. The grant of this Application will not constitute a major action as defined in 47 C.F.R. § 1.1305. Accordingly, no environmental information is required to be submitted with this Application under 47 C.F.R. § 1.1311.

h. Sakon, a Delaware limited liability company, is 81% owned by Sakon Corporation, a Delaware corporation. The remaining 19% of Sakon is owned by Titan Corporation, a Delaware corporation. Sakon Corporation is itself owned by two individuals, Andrew Goorno, a U.S. citizen, and Amine Doukkali, a Moroccan citizen and a U.S. resident, each with a 50% interest. Titan Corporation is a publicly trade corporation, and no person or entity owns 10% or more of Titan Corporation's stock. Sakon has no interlocking directorates with any foreign carriers.

The principal business of Sakon Corporation is the provision of telecommunications services. The principal businesses of Titan Corporation involves communications, information technology and sterilization systems. The principal business of Messrs. Goorno and Doukkali is investing in telecommunications businesses. The addresses of each of the entities and individuals is as follows:

The principal place of business of Sakon Corporation is:

Sakon Corporation
8400 River Road
North Bergen, NJ 07047

The principal place of business of Titan Corporation is:

Titan Corporation
3033 Science Park Road
San Diego, California 92121

The principal place of business of Mr. Goorno is:

Andrew Goorno
35 Forest Ridge Road
Concord, MA 01742

The principal place of business of Mr. Doukkali is:

Amine Doukkali
8400 River Road
North Bergen, NJ 07047

- i. Sakon certifies that it is not affiliated with any foreign carrier.
- j. Sakon certifies that it does not seek to provide facilities-based and resale services to any country in which (1) Sakon is a foreign carrier; or (2) Sakon controls a foreign carrier; (3) any entity that owns more than 25 percent of Sakon, or that controls Sakon, controls a foreign carrier; or (4) two or more foreign carriers (or parties that control foreign carriers) together own more than 25 percent of Sakon and are parties to, or beneficiaries of, a contractual relation affecting the provision or marketing of international basic telecommunications services in the United States.
- k. Not applicable.
- l. Not applicable.

m. Sakon is not affiliated with any foreign carrier. Accordingly, Sakon is entitled, under 47 C.F.R. § 63.10(a)(1), to non-dominant status on all international routes.

n. Sakon certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier or administration with respect to 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 and will not enter into such agreements in the future.

o. Additionally, Sakon certifies, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §1.2002, that neither Sakon nor any other party to this Application is subject to a denial of any federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988. *See* 21 U.S.C. § 853a.

p. As stated above, Sakon is entitled to streamlined processing pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.12, because, as noted in paragraph (m) above, Sakon is not affiliated with any foreign carrier and is entitled to non-dominant status on all international routes.

I. CONCLUSION

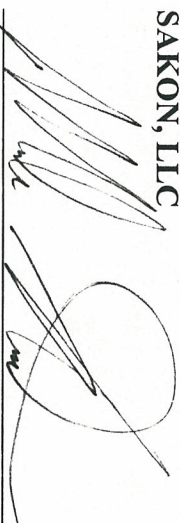
For the reasons set out above, Sakon requests that the Commission promptly grant this Application for global authority to provide international facilities-based and resale services.

Dated: June 13, 2000

Respectfully submitted,

SAKON, LLC

By:

Handwritten signature of Mark Rosenthal, consisting of stylized initials and a surname.

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