

**Categories of Services for 214 Applications
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- LIMITED/GLOBAL RESALE SERVICE
- LIMITED/GLOBAL FACILITIES-BASED SERVICE
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- INDIVIDUAL FACILITIES-BASED SERVICE
- INTERCONNECTED PRIVATE LINE RESALE SERVICE
- INMARSAT AND MOBILE SATELLITE SERVICE
- INTERNATIONAL SPECIAL PROJECT
- SWITCHED RESALE SERVICE
- TRANSFER OF CONTROL
- ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE
- PRO FORMA TRANSFER/ASSIGNMENT
- SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY
- SUBMARINE CABLE LANDING LICENSE

Description of Application: _____

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Telecom Division
International Bureau

Re: Mercury Long Distance, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for approval and filing, please find the Section 214 Application of Mercury Long Distance, Inc. for global resale authority to provide international switched voice services. An original and seven (7) copies of this application is provided. Please date stamp one copy of the application and return it along with the duplicate cover letter in the prepaid self-addressed envelope to the undersigned.

Should you require additional information, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David O. Klein', is written over a large, light-colored scribble or stamp.

David O. Klein

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- b. Applicant is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware.
- c. Any questions or correspondence concerning this Application should be sent directly to Applicant's representative:

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- d. Applicant has not previously applied for authority under Section 214 of the Act.
- e. Applicant hereby requests Section 214 authority to operate as a global reseller of international telecommunications services pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules.
- f. At this time, Applicant is not applying for any other authority set forth in paragraph (e) of Section 63.18.
- g. Applicant is not seeking facilities-based authority under paragraph (e)(4) of Section 63.18.
- h. Applicant hereby certifies that it is entirely a domestic company with no foreign affiliations.
 - (1) In support of its Application, Applicant represents that the following shareholders or equity holders have a 10 percent or greater interest in the business:

Mr. Neal Saferstein
20 N 3rd Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106
Percent Ownership: 70%
Principal Business: Communications
Citizen: U.S.

(2) Applicant hereby certifies that it does not have any affiliations with any of the U.S. facilities-based carriers whose services Applicant intends to purchase and resell.

i. Applicant is not, nor is affiliated with, a foreign carrier.

j. Applicant does not seek to provide international telecommunications services to any destination country where:

(1) Applicant is a foreign carrier in that country; or

(2) Applicant controls a foreign carrier in that country; or

(3) Any entity that owns more than 25 percent of the Applicant, or that controls the Applicant, controls a foreign carrier in that country; or

(4) Two or more foreign carriers (or parties that control foreign carriers) own, in the aggregate, more than 25 percent of the Applicant and are parties to, or the beneficiaries of, a contractual relation affecting the provision or marketing of international basic telecommunications services in the United States.

k. Applicant is not, nor is affiliated with, a foreign carrier.

l. Applicant is not, nor is affiliated with, a foreign carrier.

m. Applicant is not, nor is affiliated with, a foreign carrier.

n. Applicant has not agreed to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier with respect to any U.S. international route where the foreign carrier

possesses market power on the foreign end of the route and will not enter into such agreements in the future.

o. Pursuant to §§ 1.2001 through 1.2003 of the Commission's Rules implementing Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, Applicant hereby certifies that neither Applicant nor any party to this Application is subject to a denial of federal benefits by federal and/or state courts under authority granted in 21 U.S.C. 853a.

p. This Application qualifies for streamlined processing pursuant to § 63.12 of the Commission's Rules as Applicant is not affiliated with a foreign carrier in any destination market.

CONCLUSION

Applicant believes that there is significant potential for continued growth in the international voice market and that this market expansion will be accelerated by additional competition by new entrants. This position is consistent with the Commission's findings that increased competition in international markets benefits the public interest. Applicant is legally, financially and technically qualified to provide the service for which it requests global resale authority. For the reasons stated above, Applicant submits that the public interest, convenience and necessity would be furthered by granting Applicant's § 214 Application. The request for global resale authorization should, therefore, be issued to Applicant for the purpose of providing resold switchless voice communications from the United States to international points.

Dated: ~~New York~~ New York
MM 25, 2000

Respectfully submitted,


Mercury Long Distance, Inc.

By: 
David O. Klein, COO

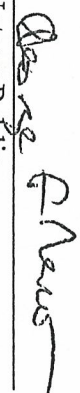
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VERIFICATION

I, Neal Saferstein, President of Mercury Long Distance, Inc., being duly sworn, deposes and says that I have read the foregoing Application and verify that the statements made therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.


Neal Saferstein

Sworn to before me this
27th day of July, 2000


Notary Public

