

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

In the Matter of  
Aries Network, Inc.  
Application for authority pursuant File No. I.T.C. -96- \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Application**

Aries Network, Inc. ("Aries"), hereby requests authority, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 C.F.R. Section 63.18, to provide global international facilities based and resale services between the United States and international points.

Aries is a new U.S. company organized to provide international telecommunications services. Aries has no foreign affiliations. Aries serves business customers throughout the United States.

By granting this application, the Commission will serve the public interest, convenience and necessity by promoting competition in the international services market. Competition will benefit U.S. consumers by increasing service options and lowering prices. Thus, the public interest will be served by the grant of Section 214 authority to Aries.

The following information is submitted, as required by Section 63.18 of the Commissions Rules, in support of Aries request for authorization.

(a) Aries Network, Inc.  
695 S. Vermont Avenue, Suite 1212  
Los Angeles, California 90005  
213 / 761-4109

(b) Aries is a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Nevada.

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

Louris Khalaf, President  
Aries Network, Inc.  
695 S. Vermont Avenue, Suite 1212  
Los Angeles, California 90005  
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Telecom Division  
International Bureau

- (d) Aries has not received authority previously under Section 214 of the Communications Act.
  - (e) Aries requests global facilities-based and resale Section 214 authority pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(1) and (e)(2) of the Commissions Rules.
  - (f) At this time, Aries seeks no other authorization available under Section 63.18(e).
  - (g) Not applicable.
  - (h) Aries 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 the sole shareholder that controls ten percent or more of Aries is as follows:

Louris Khalaf, President  
Aries Network, Inc.  
695 S. Vermont Avenue, Suite 1212  
Los Angeles, California 90005  
213 / 761-4109  
Principal Business: President of Aries Network, Inc.  
Citizenship: U.S.A.

(i) Aries certifies that it has not agreed and will not agree in the future to accept any direct or indirect special concessions from a foreign carrier or administration with regards to traffic or revenue flows between the United States and any foreign countries the company is authorized to serve.

(j) Aries certifies that no party to this application has been denied benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

**Conclusion.** In conclusion, Aries certifies that all of the information in this application is accurate and correct.

For these reasons, Aries respectfully requests that the Commission grant this application.

Respectfully submitted,

ARIES NETWORK, INC.

By:   
Louris Khalaf, President

Date: 3/16/01