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**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**  
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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

In the Matter of

**OPM AUCTION CO.**

Application for Authority to  
Resell International Switched  
Telecommunications Service  
(Formal Section 63.18)

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| ) | Streamlined     | ITC-214-20010717-00397 |
| ) | OPM AUCTION CO. |                        |
| ) | FILE NO.        |                        |
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**APPLICATION FOR STREAMLINED  
INTERNATIONAL SECTION 214 AUTHORITY**

OPM Auction Co. ("OPM" or "Applicant") requests authorization, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act and Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules, to resell the switched services of other common carriers to provide international switched telecommunications services between the United States and international points. See 47 U.S.C. § 214 (1988); International Section 214 Streamlining Order, 61 Fed. Reg. 15,724, 15,729 (1995) (codified at 47 C.F.R. § 63.18).

OPM requests global authorization to operate as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Rules. Unless formally opposed, the present application qualifies for streamlined treatment under Section 63.12 of the Rules. See International Section 214 Streamlining Order, supra at 15,728 (codified at 47 C.F.R. § 63.12).

OPM's proposed resale of international telecommunications will augment international telecommunications competition and, consequently, the public interest will be enhanced. OPM's proposed offering will permit it to purchase telecommunications services at high-volume discounts and resell the services to its customers with efficient incorporation of its savings. The public interest will be served through OPM's offering of rates that will be competitive with other

similarly situated telecommunications carriers.

Grant of this application will serve the public interest, convenience and necessity and in support thereof, the following information is submitted pursuant to Section 63.18 of the

Commission's Rules:

- a) Name, address, and telephone number of the Applicant are:
- OPM Auction Co.  
c/o Telecom Wireless Solutions, Inc.  
6120 Windward Pkwy., Suite 290  
Alpharetta, GA 30005  
Phone: 678-366-0104  
Fax: 678-366-9662

- b) The Applicant is organized under the laws of:  
  
Delaware

- c) Correspondence concerning the application should be addressed to:
- Richard A. Cohen  
Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary  
OPM Auction Co.  
c/o Telecom Wireless Solutions, Inc.  
6120 Windward Pkwy., Suite 290  
Alpharetta, GA 30005 U.S.A.  
Telephone: 678-366-0104 ext. 6272  
Facsimile: 678-366-9662

with copies to legal counsel:

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(d) OPM has not previously received authorization under Section 214 of the Communications Act.

An entity affiliated with OPM has received two previous Section 214 authorizations from the Commission. It is:

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| Name of entity:    | American Samoa License, Inc.                      |
| Type of authority: | Global or limited global facilities-based service |
| File Number:       | ITC-214-19981207-00860                            |
| Effective date:    | January 22, 1999                                  |

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| Name of entity:    | American Samoa License, Inc. |
| Type of authority: | Global resale service        |
| File Number:       | ITC-214-19980918 00671       |
| Effective date:    | November 11, 1998            |

e) OPM is requesting global authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act to operate as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

## CERTIFICATIONS

### **Affiliations**

OPM certifies that it is not a foreign carrier, and that it does not have an affiliation with any foreign carrier.

OPM also certifies that it does not have an affiliation with any of the U.S. carriers whose facilities-based international services it proposes to resell.

### **Ownership Of Applicant**

The name, address, citizenship and principal business of the only entity having a ten percent (10%) or greater interest in the Applicant is as follows:

| <b><u>Name/Address</u></b>   | <b><u>Equity</u></b> | <b><u>Citizen</u></b> | <b><u>Principal Business</u></b>      |
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| Telecom Wireless Solutions, Inc.<br>6120 Windward Parkway, Suite 290<br>Alpharetta, GA 30005 | 100%                 | DE.<br>Corp.          | Telecommunications holding<br>company |

In turn, the name, address, citizenship and principal business of the single entity with a ten percent (10%) or greater interest in Telecom Wireless Solutions, Inc. (“TWS”) is as follows:

| <b><u>Name/Address</u></b>   | <b><u>Equity</u></b> | <b><u>Citizen</u></b> | <b><u>Principal Business</u></b> |
|--|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Stanford Financial Group Company<br>5050 Westheimer<br>Houston, TX 77056 | 21.7%                | FL.<br>Corp.          | Investment holding company       |

Stanford Financial Group Company (“SFG”) and its affiliates currently hold a 21.7% equity interest in TWS. In addition, SFG has entered an agreement with TWS that will result in SFG holding approximately an additional 25% non-voting equity interest in the company.

R. Allen Stanford indirectly owns a 10% or greater interest in Applicant through his 100% ownership of SFG and its affiliates which, in turn currently own 21.7% of the common stock of TWS which, in turn owns 100% of Applicant.

Neither TWS nor SFG have any affiliates that are local exchange carriers.

### **Foreign Concessions and Arrangements**

OPM hereby certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions, directly or indirectly, from any foreign carrier or foreign administration with respect to traffic and revenue flows between the United States and any foreign country which the Applicant may serve under the authority sought; and that it will not enter into such agreements in the future.

### **Regulatory Compliance**

OPM certifies that if granted global resale authority by the Commission, it will comply with the terms and conditions of providing resold international services specified in Sections 63.21 and 63.23 of the Commission's Rules.

### **Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification**

OPM certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no party to the application is subject to denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. § 862.

**CONCLUSION**

In light of the foregoing, OPM respectfully submits that the public interest, convenience and necessity would be served by a grant of the Section 214 authorization sought, and that such authorization should be issued to it for purposes of reselling the switched services of other common carriers to provide international switched telecommunications services between the United States and international points.

Respectfully submitted,  
**OPM AUCTION CO.**

By:  \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: Richard A. Cohen

Title: Vice President, Secretary

Date: July 17, 2001

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**


I, Michael B. Adams, Jr., hereby certify that I am an attorney with the law firm of Blooston, Mordkofsky, Dickens, Duffy & Prendergast and that a copy of the foregoing "Application for Streamlined Section 214 Authorization" was served this 17 day of July, 2001, by first class mail as indicated, to the persons listed below.

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(1) LOCKBOX #  
358115

SPECIAL USE  
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SECTION A - PAYER INFORMATION

(2) PAYER NAME (if paying by credit card, enter name exactly as it appears on your card)  
OPM Auction Co.

(3) TOTAL AMOUNT PAID (U.S. Dollars and cents)  
815.00

(4) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1  
100 North Point Center East

(5) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 2  
Suite 300

(6) CITY  
Alpharetta

(7) STATE (8) ZIP CODE  
GA 30022

(9) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code)  
(678) 366-9660

(10) COUNTRY CODE (if not in U.S.A.)

(11) PAYER (FRN) (12) PAYER (TIN)  
58-2441553

FCC REGISTRATION NUMBER (FRN) AND TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (TIN) REQUIRED

IF PAYER NAME AND THE APPLICANT NAME ARE DIFFERENT, COMPLETE SECTION B  
IF MORE THAN ONE APPLICANT, USE CONTINUATION SHEETS (FORM 159-C)

(13) APPLICANT NAME

(14) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1

(15) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 2

(16) CITY (17) STATE (18) ZIP CODE

(19) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code) (20) COUNTRY CODE (if not in U.S.A.)

FCC REGISTRATION NUMBER (FRN) AND TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (TIN) REQUIRED

(21) APPLICANT (FRN) (22) APPLICANT (TIN)

COMPLETE SECTION C FOR EACH SERVICE. IF MORE BOXES ARE NEEDED, USE CONTINUATION SHEET

(23A) CALL SIGN/OTHER ID

(24A) PAYMENT TYPE CODE (25A) QUANTITY

(26A) FEE DUE FOR (PTC)

(27A) TOTAL FEE

815.

FCC USE ONLY

(28A) FCC CODE 1

(29A) FCC CODE 2

(23B) CALL SIGN/OTHER ID

(24B) PAYMENT TYPE CODE

(25B) QUANTITY

(26B) FEE DUE FOR (PTC)

(27B) TOTAL FEE

FCC USE ONLY

(28B) FCC CODE 1

(29B) FCC CODE 2

SECTION D - CERTIFICATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing and supporting information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION E - CREDIT CARD PAYMENT INFORMATION

(31) MASTERCARD/VISA ACCOUNT NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

EXPIRATION \_\_\_\_\_

MASTERCARD

VISA

I hereby authorize the FCC to charge my VISA or MASTERCARD for the service(s)/authorization herein described.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_



**OPM AUCTION CO**  
100 NORTH POINT CENTER EAST, SUITE 300  
ALPHARETTA, GA 30022  
(678) 366-9660

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DATE June 28, 2001

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Alpharetta, GA 30005

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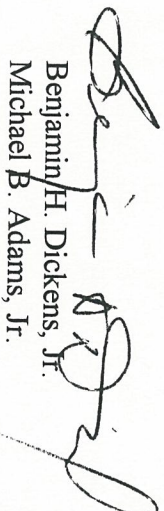
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Please contact us if we can provide any additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Benjamin/H. Dickens, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Benjamin/H. Dickens, Jr.  
Michael B. Adams, Jr.

Its Attorneys

cc: Ms. Imani Ellis-Cheek, FCC