



Federal Communications Commission  
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Dear Ms. Brantl:

The Section 214 application that you filed on behalf of Call Home Telecom LLC (File No. ITC-214-20030324-00158) is enclosed. We are not taking action on the application because no action is necessary.

The Section 214 application requests authority to provide international simple resale (ISR) to Guyana. The Commission previously authorized ISR to Guyana on November 7, 2002. Pursuant to the Commission's rules, all carriers that have global facilities-based or resale authority under Section 63.18 of the rules, including authority on routes where the carrier has notified the Commission that it has an affiliation with a foreign carrier, may provide ISR to all the ISR-approved countries that appear on the Commission's list of ISR-approved countries. Our records indicate that Call Home Telecom LLC is currently authorized to provide global facilities-based and resale service pursuant to Section 63.18, including on the U.S.-Guyana route.

In addition, Sections 63.22 and 63.23 set forth the conditions that apply to authorized facilities-based and resale carriers. Under these rules, authorized carriers are permitted to provide switched basic services over their authorized facilities-based or resold private lines if the country at the foreign end of the private line appears on the Commission's list of countries to which the Commission has authorized the provision of switched services over private lines. As mentioned above, Guyana has been approved for ISR and it appears on the Commission's list.

Our records also indicate that Call Home Telecom is classified as a dominant carrier on the U.S.-Guyana route pursuant to Section 63.10 of the rules due to its affiliation with Guyana Telephone and Telegraph, Ltd. Therefore, Call Home must comply with the dominant carrier safeguards in Section 63.10 with respect to service on the U.S.-Guyana route, and with the general safeguards (including Sections 63.14 and 43.51) that apply to all U.S. international carriers in their dealings with foreign carriers, such as GT&T, that appear on the Commission's "List of Foreign Telecommunications Carriers that Are Presumed to Possess Market Power in Foreign Telecommunications Markets," DA 03-456, released February 19, 2003.

According to the rule sections described above, Call Home Telecom LLC is currently authorized to provide ISR to Guyana, and there is no need for the Commission to act on the Section 214 application. Please feel free to contact Peggy Reitzel of our staff if you have any questions concerning this issue.

Sincerely,

George Li, Deputy Chief  
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Enclosure