

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

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| <b>In the Matter of</b>                                                                                                                                         | ) |                              |
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| <b>AFRILINX COMMUNICATIONS, LLC</b>                                                                                                                             | ) |                              |
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| <b>Application pursuant to Section 214 of<br/>the Communications Act of 1934, as amended<br/>to provide global facilities-based and<br/>and resale services</b> | ) | <b>File No. ITC-214_____</b> |
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**APPLICATION**

AFRILINX COMMUNICATION, LLC. (“ARILINX” or “Applicant”), hereby requests authority, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 214 (1982), and Section 63.18 of the Federal Communications Commission's (“Commission”) Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18, to provide global international facilities-based and resale authority between the United States and international points, except those international points not authorized by the Commission (the “Application”). AFRILINX is a U.S. company organized to provide international telecommunications services. AFRILINX has no foreign affiliations. AFRILINX serves business and residential 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 modification of Section 214 authority to AFRILINX.

**SECTION 63.18 INFORMATION**

The following information is submitted, as required by Section 63.18 of the Commission’s Rules, in support of AFRILINX request for authorization:

- (a) The name, address and telephone number of the Applicant is:

AFRILINX COMMUNICATIONS, LLC  
6096 Clopton Dr.  
Greensboro, NC 27455  
(336) 285-0760 phone

(b) AFRILINX is a company organized under the laws of North Carolina

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

Dr. Lawal Garba  
AFRILINX COMMUNICATIONS, LLC  
6096 Clopton Dr.  
Greensboro, NC 27455

with a copy to

Raul Magallanes, Esq.  
The Law Office of Raul Magallanes, PLLC  
P.O. Box 1213,  
Houston, TX 77549

(d) AFRILINX does not currently hold any 214 authorizations.

(e) AFRILINX requests global facilities-based and resale Section 214 authority pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(1) and 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 63.18(e)(1) and 63.18(e)(2).

(f) At this time, AFRILINX seeks no other authorization available under Section 63.18(e).

(g) Not applicable.

(h) In support of this certification, the name, address, citizenship and principal business of the person(s) that control ten percent or more of AFRILINX is as follows:

Dr. Lawal Garba  
6096 Clopton Dr.  
Greensboro, NC 27455  
Ownership: 100%  
Citizenship: USA  
Business: Telecommunications

(i) AFRILINX certifies that it is not affiliated with any foreign or U.S. facilities-based carrier.

- (j) AFRILINX certifies that it does not seek to provide international telecommunications services to any destination country for which any of the following is true:
1. AFRILINX is a foreign carrier in that country; or
  2. AFRILINX controls a foreign carrier in that country; or
  3. Any entity that owns more than 25 percent of AFRILINX, or that controls AFRILINX, controls a foreign carrier in that country.
- (k) No applicable.
- (l) Not applicable.
- (m) Not applicable.
- (n) AFRILINX certifies that it 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) AFRILINX certifies that pursuant to Sections 1.2001 through 1.2003 of the Commission's Rules, no party to this Application has been denied federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.
- (p) AFRILINX requests streamline processing pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission's Rules. AFRILINX certifies that:
1. It is not affiliated with a foreign carrier in a destination market it seeks authority to serve;
  2. It has no affiliation with a dominant U.S. carrier whose international switched or private line services AFRILINX seeks authority to resell either directly or indirectly through the resale of another reseller's services;
  3. It does not seek authority to provide switched basic services over private lines to a country for which the Commission has not previously authorized the provision of switched services over private lines; and
  4. The Commission has not informed AFRILINX in writing that this Application is not eligible for streamline processing.

**CONCLUSION**

In conclusion, AFRILINX certifies that all of the information in this Application is accurate and correct. For these reasons, AFRILINX respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Application.

Respectfully submitted,

AFRILINX COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

By: /s/ Lawal Garba  
Lawal Garba, President

Date: February 17, 2012