

Talk America Services, LLC
Application for New Authorization
FRN: 0023997349

Attachment 1

Talk America Services, LLC (“Applicant”) submits this application for new authority to provide international facilities-based and resold services to all international points pursuant to Sections 63.18(e)(1) and 63.18(e)(2). The Applicant is a U.S. competitive local exchange carrier (“CLEC”).

Response to Question 9

The Applicant requests streamlined processing of this application pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission’s rules. The Applicant is not affiliated with either a foreign carrier or a U.S. carrier that is dominant on the foreign end of a U.S. international route. Therefore, the Applicant is entitled to non-dominant treatment, and this application qualifies for streamlined processing.

Response to Question 11

The Applicant is not a foreign carrier and is not affiliated with any foreign carrier.

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Attachment 2

Response to Question 14

The following information is submitted pursuant to Section 63.18(h) of the Commission's rules:

1. The name, principal business, address and citizenship of the Applicant, are as follows:

Name:	Talk America Services, LLC
Principal Business:	Communications Services
Address:	4001 Rodney Parham Rd. Little Rock, AR 72212
Citizenship:	U.S. (Delaware)

2. The name, principal business, address, citizenship, and ownership interest of CSL Services, LLC, the sole owner of Talk America Services, LLC, are as follows:

Name:	CSL Services, LLC
Principal Business:	Communications Services
Address:	4001 Rodney Parham Rd. Little Rock, AR 72212
Citizenship:	U.S. (Delaware)
Ownership Interest in Applicant:	100% Direct Interest

3. The name, principal business, address, citizenship, and ownership interest of Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc., the sole owner of CSL Services, LLC, are as follows:

Name:	Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc.
Principal Business:	Communications Services
Address:	4001 Rodney Parham Rd. Little Rock, AR 72212
Citizenship:	U.S. (Delaware)
Ownership Interest in Applicant:	100% Indirect Interest

4. The name, principal business, address, citizenship, and ownership interest of Windstream Corporation, the sole owner of Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc., are as follows:

Name:	Windstream Corporation
Principal Business:	Communications Services
Address:	4001 Rodney Parham Rd. Little Rock, AR 72212
Citizenship:	U.S. (Delaware)

Ownership Interest in Applicant: 100% Indirect Interest

5. The name, principal business, address, citizenship, and ownership interest of Windstream Holdings, Inc., the sole owner of Windstream Corporation, are as follows:

Name:	Windstream Holdings, Inc.
Principal Business:	Holding Company
Address:	4001 Rodney Parham Rd. Little Rock, AR 72212
Citizenship:	U.S. (Delaware)
Ownership Interest in Applicant:	100% Indirect Interest

As a publicly traded company, the stock of Windstream Holdings, Inc. is widely held. No entity or individual owns 10 percent or more of the equity of Windstream Holdings, Inc.

6. The Applicant has no interlocking directorates with any foreign carriers.

Response to Question 15

The following information is submitted pursuant to Section 63.18(d), (e) and (g) of the Commission's rules:

- (d) The Applicant has not previously received authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act, as amended. However, its indirect parent company, Windstream Corporation, holds domestic Section 214 authority under Section 63.01 of the Commission's rules, and International Section 214 authority to provide global facilities-based and resale authority under Sections 63.18(e)(1) and 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules (FCC File No. ITC-214-19980925-00658).
- (e) The Applicant is requesting authority to provide global facilities-based and resold services to all international points pursuant to Sections 63.18(e)(1) and 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules. The Applicant certifies that it will comply with the terms and conditions specified in Sections 63.21, 63.22 and 63.23 of the Commission's rules.
- (g) The Applicant is not seeking facilities-based authority pursuant to Section 63.18(e)(3).