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George S. Li, Deputy Chief
Telecommunications Division
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Federal Communications Commission
2000 M Street, NW, Room 835
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a/ Central Texas Long Distance
Section 214 Application for Authorization to Assign Authorization to
Operate as an International Resale Carrier**

Dear Mr. Li:

Transmitted herewith, on behalf of Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a/ Central Texas Long Distance, and pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, are an original and five copies of an application to assign from Central Texas Communications, Inc. to Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a/ Central Texas Long Distance the Section 214 authorization previously granted to Central Texas Communications, Inc. to resell international switched services between the United States and international points. Pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission's Rules, the applicant requests streamlined processing of the enclosed application.

Please also find enclosed an FCC Form 159 (Remittance Advice) and a check made payable to the Federal Communications Commission in the amount of \$780.00 to cover the filing fee associated with this application.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please communicate directly with the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Michael R. Bennet

Enclosures

Central Texas Wireless T.V., Inc. ("CTW"), a sister company. Both CTC1 and CTW are wholly owned by Central Texas Telephone Investments, Inc., which in turn is wholly owned by Central Texas Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Applicant did not obtain FCC approval for this pro forma transfer due to an inadvertent misunderstanding of the legal ramifications of the transaction.

3. On June 30, 1998, the same date that CTC1 was dissolved and its Section 214 authorization transferred to CTW, CTW amended its articles of incorporation to effectuate a name change to Central Texas Communications, Inc. ("CTC2").

4. On July 13, 1998, CTC2 filed two separate Assumed Name Certificates with the state of Texas to operate under the assumed names of Central Texas Wireless TV and Central Texas Long Distance, respectively.

5. On December 29, 1998, CTC2 notified the FCC's International Bureau by letter that it had officially changed its name to Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a Central Texas Long Distance, and requested that the Commission officially recognize this name change, which it did by Public Notice (DA No. 99-172) on January 14, 1999 (ITC-214-19961022-00528).

6. The instant application requests authority to assign the subject Section 214 authorization from Central Texas Communications, Inc. (CTC1) to Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a Central Texas Long Distance (formerly Central Texas Wireless T.V., Inc.).

In support of this application, the following information is provided in response to the requirements of Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules:

- a) The name, address and telephone number of the Applicant are Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a Central Texas Long Distance, P.O. Box 627, 1012 Reilly Street, Goldthwaite, Texas, 76844, 800-535-8904 or 915-648-2237.
- b) Applicant is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Texas.
- c) Any correspondence concerning this application should be addressed to:

Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a Central
Texas Long Distance
P.O. Box 627
1012 Reilly Street
Goldthwaite, Texas 76844
Attn: Mr. Jamey Wigley, General Manager

with a copy to:

Michael R. Bennett, Esq.
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- d) Central Texas Communications, Inc. is authorized under Section 214 to operate as an international resale carrier (ITC-96-570). See Public Notice 70513 (Report No. TEL-49-A), November 1, 1996. Central Texas Communications, Inc. d/b/a Central Texas Long Distance is not presently certified under Section 214 of the Communications Act for resale of international services, and by this application requests assignment

of Central Texas Communications, Inc.'s authorization to operate as an international resale carrier.

e) Applicant requests assignment of Section 214 authority as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(5). Specifically, this application requests assignment of the authority to resell the international services of authorized United States common carriers for the provision of international basic switched, private line, data, television and/or business services to all international points.

f) N/A

g) Applicant does not request facilities-based authority under Section 63.18(e)(6).

h) Applicant hereby certifies that it has no affiliation, either directly or indirectly, with a foreign carrier. Applicant is a wholly owned subsidiary of Central Texas Telephone Investments (CTTI), a Texas corporation located at 1012 Reilly Street, Goldthwaite, Texas, 76844. CTTI is a wholly owned subsidiary of Central Texas Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (CTTC). CTTC is owned in equal part by its telephone subscribers. As a result, no single individual or entity holds as much as a one percent equity or voting interest in CTTC. Applicant's stockholders are United States companies.¹

¹ At least 95% of the stockholders of Applicant's ultimate controlling corporation are United States citizens, and no stockholder owns as much as a one

Applicant and its controlling corporations have interests in other telecommunications services and businesses including the cellular and local exchange service businesses. The officers and directors of Applicant are not the same officers and directors of its controlling corporation. The officers and directors of CTTI and CTTC are United States citizens. Applicant hereby certifies that it has no affiliation, either directly or indirectly, with any United States carrier whose facilities-based services Applicant proposes to resell.

i) Applicant hereby certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier or administration with respect to traffic or revenue flows between the U.S. and any foreign country which Applicant may serve under the authority granted under Part 63 of the FCC's rules and will not enter into such agreements in the future.

(j) Applicant hereby certifies, pursuant to Sections 1.2001 through 1.2003 of the FCC rules, that neither it nor any party to this application is subject to denial of federal benefits that include FCC benefits, pursuant to Section 5301 of the Federal Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. 853(a).

Applicant acknowledges its responsibility for the continuing accuracy of the certifications required by paragraphs (h), (i) and (j) of this application.

percent interest.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that Central Texas Communications, Inc.'s Section 214 authorization be assigned to Applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

Central Texas Communications, Inc.
d/b/a Central Texas Long Distance

By 
James B. McCoy
President, Board of Directors

Date: February 26, 1999