

Hiawatha Broadband Communications Inc.

Granted Division
International Bureau

Re: ITC-ASG-20071113-00462.

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**HIAWATHA BROADBAND COMMUNICATIONS, INC
REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL SECTION 214
SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY**

* HBC acknowledges the
conditions of STA.

ATTACHMENT 1

Pursuant to Section 63.25 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.25, Hiawatha Broadband Communications, Inc. ("HBC") seeks special temporary authority ("STA") to provide global resale services (consistent with its existing authorization, File No. ITC-214-20050824-00344) as assigned from HBC Telecom, Inc. HBC and TDS Metrocom, LLC (HBC Telecom's successor in interest) have requested after-the-fact consent to the assignment of international Section 214 authorization (see File No. ITC-ASG-20071113-00462) and request STA for the interim period until the Commission acts on the underlying assignment application.¹ HBC acknowledges that Commission grant-of this STA will not prejudice any action the Commission may take on the underlying assignment application, and that the Commission may revoke any STA upon its own motion without a hearing.

Response to Items 12-14

Following is information responsive to Sections 63.18(i) through (m) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 63.18(i)-(m):

- (i) **Foreign Carrier Affiliation Certification**
HBC certifies that it has no foreign carrier affiliations.
- (j) **Foreign Carrier and Destination Countries**
HBC certifies that (1) it is not a foreign carrier, (2) it does not control any foreign carriers, (3) no entity that owns more than 25 percent of or controls HBC controls a foreign carrier, and (4) two or more foreign carriers (or parties that control foreign carriers) do not own, in the aggregate, more than 25 percent of HBC.

¹ As explained in the underlying application, until October of 2003, Telecom provided competitive local and interexchange services directly to HBC's customers through various operating and marketing agreements. In October of 2003, HBC purchased the assets and customer accounts relating to Telecom's telecommunications business, and upon consummation HBC began providing telecommunications services directly to the former Telecom customers in Telecom's stead. At the time of the transaction, Telecom was a wholly-owned subsidiary of Chorus Networks, Inc. Telecom merged into Chorus Networks, Inc. in 2005, after consummation of the transaction. Chorus Networks, Inc. was later converted to Chorus Networks LLC, which was subsequently merged into TDS Metrocom, LLC, which in turn is a wholly-owned subsidiary corporation of TDS Telecommunications Corporation. At all times relevant hereto, the Section 214 authority for Telecom was held by Chorus Networks.

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