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## BY HAND

William Caton Acting Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

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THE SECRETARY

Re: File Nos. To: Verestar, Inc. (FRN: 0003-612-991) Pro Forma Assignment of International Section 214 Authorization General Telecom, Inc. (No FRN)

ITC-T/C-20000427-00290; ITC-214-19971209-00769

Dear Ms. Salas:

the authorization remains the same. Therefore the transaction is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 63.24 of the Commission's rules. For the Commission's records, transaction was purely pro forma in nature because the ultimate ownership and control of International Section 214 Authorization was assigned from GenTel up to Verestar. The GenTel no longer exists as a separate entity. internal Verestar, Inc. ("Verestar"), the undersigned notifies the Commission that as a result of an On behalf of General Telecom, Inc.("GenTel"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of corporate reorganization, on December 31, 2001, the above-referenced

Please address any inquiries regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Ruth Pritchard-Kelly

Michael B. Milsom Scott Lyon Helen Disenhaus

cc:

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## CERTIFICATION

I, Michael B. Milsom, do hereby certify as follows:

My business address is 800 Cummings Center, Suite 258x, Beverly, MA01915-6197.

I am the General Counsel of Verestar, Inc. ("Verestar").

reorganization, GenTel, the former holder of the Authorization, has merged with and into Verestar, with Verestar as the surviving entity. Therefore, Verestar became the holder of the Inc. ("GenTel"). As part of a year-end corporate reorganization, Verestar and GenTel consummated a pro forma assignment of GenTel's International Section 214 Authorization (File No. IIC-214-19971209-00769 ("Authorization") on December 31, 2001.) As a result of this Authorization. As there was no transfer of control, the transaction was pro forma in nature. Verestar is the parent corporation of a wholly-owned subsidiary called General Telecom.

substantial and does not involve a change in the ultimate control of the authorization. The assignment of authorization from GenTel to Verestar described above was non-

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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Signed:

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