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October 17, 2003

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street, Suite 100
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

RE: *In the Matter of the Application For Proposed Merger of Frontier Communications Of America, Inc., And Citizens Telecommunications Company, Case No. XM-2003-0393.*


Dear Mr. Roberts:

Pursuant to the Commission's Second Order Directing Filing Of Status Report, I am enclosing A Certificate Of Good Standing for Frontier Communications Of America, Inc, and Amendment of Articles of Incorporation filed with the Missouri Secretary of State's Office showing that Citizens Telecommunications Company has merged with Frontier Communications of America, Inc. and is now operating under the name of Frontier Communications of America, Inc.

If you have any questions, please let me know. Otherwise, I believe that this case file may be closed.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,


James M. Fischer

Enclosures

cc: Office of the Public Counsel
General Counsel's Office

STATE OF MISSOURI



Matt Blunt
Secretary of State

**CORPORATION DIVISION
CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**

I, MATT BLUNT, Secretary of the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the records in my office and in my care and custody reveal that

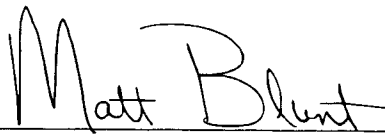
FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF AMERICA, INC.

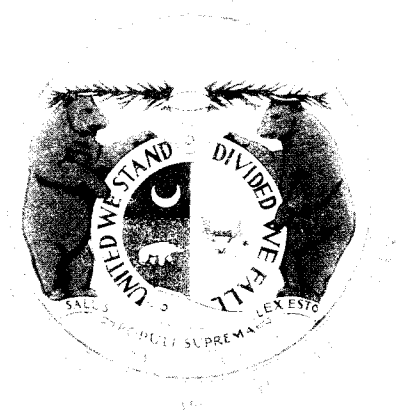
using in Missouri the name

**FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF AMERICA, INC.
F00492845**

a DELAWARE entity was created under the laws of this State on the 2nd day of February, 2001, and is in good standing, having fully complied with all requirements of this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand and imprinted the GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri, on this, the 12th day of September, 2003


Secretary of State



Certification Number: 6088681-1 Page 1 of 1 Reference:
Verify this certificate online at <http://www.sos.state.mo.us/businessentity/verification>



State of Missouri

Matt Blunt, Secretary of State

Corporations Division
P.O. Box 778 / 600 W. Main Street, Rm 322
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Amendment of Articles of Incorporation

(To be submitted in duplicate)

Pursuant to the provisions of the General and Business Corporation Law of Missouri, the undersigned Corporation certifies the following:

1. The present name of the Corporation is Frontier Communications of America, Inc.

The name under which it was originally organized was Citizens Telecommunications Company
2. An amendment to the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation was adopted by the shareholders on February 24, 2003
month/day/year
3. Article Number ARTICLE FIRST is amended to read as follows:

FIRST: The name of the corporation is Frontier Communications of America, Inc.

(If more than one article is to be amended or more space is needed attach additional pages)



4. Of the *see attached shares outstanding, _____ of such shares were entitled to vote on such amendment.

The number of outstanding shares of any class **entitled to vote thereon as a class** were as follows:

Class	Number of Outstanding Shares
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*see attached

5. The number of shares voted for and against the amendment was as follows:

Class	No. Voted For	No. Voted Against
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N/A

6. If the amendment changed the number or par value of authorized shares having a par value, the amount in dollars of authorized shares having a par value as changed is:

*see attached

If the amendment changed the number of authorized shares without par value, the authorized number of shares without par value as changed and the consideration proposed to be received for such increased authorized shares without par value as are to be presently issued are:

*see attached

7. If the amendment provides for an exchange, reclassification, or cancellation of issued shares, or a reduction of the number of authorized shares of any class below the number of issued shares of that class, the following is a statement of the manner in which such reduction shall be effected:

N/A

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, _____
President or

EDWARD KIPPERMAN
Vice President

has executed this instrument and its

VIRGINIA COOGLE
Secretary or Assistant Secretary

has affixed its corporate seal hereto and

attested said seal on _____

JUNE 10, 2003
month/day/year



FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF AMERICA
Name of Corporation

ATTEST:

Virginia Coogle
Secretary or Assistant Secretary

By

Edward Kipperman
President or Vice President

State of UT

County of Fairfield

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I, Norene Hartog, A Notary Public, do hereby certify that on 03/31/2006
month/day/year

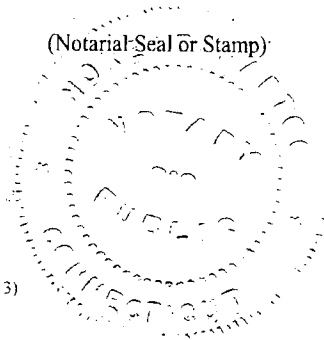
personally appeared before me Edward Kipperman

who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that he/she is the Vice President

of FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF AMERICA

that he/she signed the foregoing documents as Vice President of the corporation, and that the statements therein contained are true.

(Notarial Seal or Stamp)



Norene Hartog
Notary Public

My commission expires _____

My County of Commission _____

NORENE HARTOG
NOTARY PUBLIC
COMMISSION EXPIRES MAR. 31, 2006

Delaware

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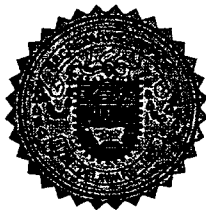
I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, WHICH MERGES:

"FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF AMERICA, INC.", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,

"NEW NORTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.", A WISCONSIN CORPORATION,

"NEWOP COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION", A NEW YORK CORPORATION, WITH AND INTO "CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY" UNDER THE NAME OF "FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF AMERICA, INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D. 2003, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF MERGER IS THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2003, AT 11:59 O'CLOCK P.M.



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Harriet Smith Windsor
Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION: 2353729

DATE: 04-08-03

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER
of
FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF AMERICA, INC.,
NEW NORTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., and
NEWOP COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION
into
CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY

Pursuant to Title 8, Section 252(c) of the Delaware General Corporation Law and Sections 180.1103 and 180.1104 of the Wisconsin Business Corporation Law, the undersigned corporations executed the following Certificate of Merger:

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, Frontier Communications of America, Inc. ("FCA") is a corporation duly organized on August 19, 1992, existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and

WHEREAS, New North Telecommunications, Inc. ("NNT") is a corporation duly organized on July 30, 1996, existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, NewOp Communications Corporation ("NOCC") is a corporation duly organized on May 9, 1995, existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of New York, and

WHEREAS, Citizens Telecommunications Company ("CTC") is a corporation duly organized on July 1, 1993, existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Delaware, is qualified to conduct business in and in good standing under the laws of the States of New York and Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, on the date of this Certificate of Merger, the total number of shares of capital stock of FCA, NNT, NOCC and CTC issued and outstanding is set forth below:

CORPORATION	CLASS OF STOCK	PAR VALUE	NUMBER OF SHARES OUTSTANDING
CTC	Common	\$10.00	100
FCA	Common	\$0.01	200
NNT	Common	\$1.00	1,000
NOCC	Common	No par value	200

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of FCA, NNT, NOCC, and CTC deem it advantageous to the shareholders thereof to merge FCA, NNT, and NOCC into CTC in accordance with the applicable laws of the States of Delaware, New York and Wisconsin,

NOW THEREFORE, FCA, NNT, NOCC, and CTC and the respective Boards of Directors thereof do hereby approve, adopt, certify, execute and acknowledge the following Certificate of Merger, and do hereby prescribe and state the terms and conditions of said merger, the mode of carrying same into effect and such other pertinent matters as are required or permitted by law to be set forth herein as follows:

- FIRST:** FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall be merged into CTC (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Surviving Corporation") and the Surviving Corporation shall be governed by the laws of the State of Delaware and the Articles of Incorporation of CTC shall be the Articles of Incorporation for the Surviving Corporation.
- SECOND:** The terms and conditions of the merger and the mode of carrying the same into effect are as follows:
- Each of the Boards of Directors of each of FCA, NNT, and NOCC have approved the proposed merger, and upon the conditions herein set forth the Board of Directors of CTC has determined not to abandon the merger, then in such event, this Certificate of Merger (and such other documents and certificates as may be required by law) shall be signed, certified, acknowledged, filed and recorded pursuant to the applicable laws of the State of Delaware. When the merger herein provided shall become effective, the separate existences of FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall cease and FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall be merged into the Surviving Corporation in accordance with the provisions of the Certificate of Merger.
- THIRD:** The Boards of Directors of CTC and FCA, NNT, and NOCC have agreed that as of the effective date of the merger, all of the issued and outstanding shares of FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall cease to exist and be canceled, without further action and there shall be no conversion of any shares of FCA, NNT, or NOCC into shares of the Surviving Corporation.
- FOURTH:** Bylaws of CTC as presently in effect shall remain and be the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation until altered or amended according to the provisions thereof.
- FIFTH:** The Board of Directors of the Surviving Corporation shall consist of the individuals who are the Directors of CTC at the time the merger becomes effective and the said persons shall be, and continue to be, Directors of the Surviving Corporation until the next ensuing meeting of its stockholders for the election of the Board of Directors and/or until their respective successors are elected and qualified.
- SIXTH:** The officers of the Surviving Corporation shall consist of the individuals who are the officers of CTC at the time the merger becomes effective and the said persons shall be, and continue to be, officers of the Surviving Corporation until the next ensuing meeting of its Board of Directors for the election of the officers and/or until their respective successors are elected and qualified.

SEVENTH: From and after the effective date of the merger, the separate existences of FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall cease and the Surviving Corporation shall continue to conduct the business theretofore conducted by FCA, NNT, and NOCC; and the Surviving Corporation shall possess all the rights, privileges, immunities and franchises of a public as well as a private nature of FCA, NNT, and NOCC; and all property, real, personal and mixed, and all debts due or whatever account and all other choses in action and every other interest or belonging to or due to FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall be transferred to and vested in the Surviving Corporation without further act or deed; and the title to any real estate or any interest therein vested in FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall not revert or be in any way impaired by reason of the merger provided for hereby. From and after the effective date of the merger, the Surviving Corporation shall be responsible and liable for all the liabilities and obligations of FCA, NNT, and NOCC and any claim existing or action or proceeding pending by or against FCA, NNT, and NOCC may be prosecuted through judgment as if the merger had not taken place or the Surviving Corporation may be substituted in place of FCA, NNT, and NOCC. Neither the rights of creditors nor any liens upon the property of FCA, NNT, and NOCC shall be impaired by the consummation of the merger.

EIGHTH: Effective upon consummation of the merger, that ARTICLE FIRST of the Certificate of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation shall be amended to read as follows:

FIRST: The name of the corporation is Frontier Communications of America, Inc.

NINTH: This Certificate of Merger, when filed, shall be effective as of 11:59 PM on the 31st day of March 2003.

TENTH: The Agreement of Merger is on file at Three High Ridge Park, Stamford, Connecticut, the place of business of the Surviving Corporation.

ELEVENTH: A copy of the Agreement of Merger will be furnished by the Surviving Corporation on request, without cost, to any stockholder FCA, NNT, and NOCC.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Surviving Corporation has caused this Certificate to be signed and executed by an authorized officer the 24th day of February, 2003.

FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF
AMERICA, INC.
3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, Connecticut

By: [Signature]
L. Russell Mitten, Secretary

NEW NORTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, Connecticut

By: [Signature]
L. Russell Mitten, Secretary

NEWOP COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION
3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, Connecticut

By: [Signature]
L. Russell Mitten, Secretary

CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY
3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, Connecticut

By: [Signature]
L. Russell Mitten, Secretary

Subscribed and Sworn to before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Fairfield and State of Connecticut, this 24th day of February, 2003.

[Signature]
Notary Public

My Commission Expires 10/31/06

LEONARD LOW

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Norman F. Borwick 3,4,5
Director Emeritus of the
Board of Governors,
University of New Haven,
New Haven, CT
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Leischman and Walsh
Washington, DC
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Former President and
Chief Operating Officer
Citizens Communications
Stamford, CT
Director since 2000

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Chief Executive Officer
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Los Angeles, CA
Director since 1992

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Director since 1975

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Columnist,
The Capital Times
Madison, WI
Director since 2002

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Director since 1992

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President and Director
Edwin Tornberg & Co., Inc.
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Director since 1992

Clare Tow 6
President
The Tow Foundation
Stamford, CT
Director since 1993

Leonard Low 1
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Chief Executive Officer,
Citizens Communications
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Director since 1989

1. Executive Committee
2. Audit Committee
3. Compensation Committee
4. Nominating Committee
5. Retirement Committee
6. Employee Development Committee

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Chief Executive Officer

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John H. Casey III
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President and Chief
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Human Resources

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New Technology

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Tax

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and Chief Operating Officer,
Electric Lightwave, Inc. and
Public Services Sectors

F. Russell Mitten II
Senior Vice President,
General Counsel and
Secretary

Michael A. Zartella
Vice President,
Strategic Planning and
Development



A Tribute

Norman Borwick has been a member of Citizens' Board of Directors since 1968, serving the company's interests with a steady and noble dedication. In 2003, he was elected Director Emeritus of the Board, but being Norman, we expect him to remain engaged and enthusiastic about the company he knows so very well. On behalf of everyone connected with Citizens Communications, we thank him and his wonderful wife of more than 65 years, Marjorie, for their service, gentility and boundless optimism about our future.

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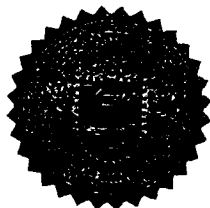
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Harriet Smith Windsor
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3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, Connecticut

By: [Signature]
L. Russell Mitten, Secretary

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By: [Signature]
L. Russell Mitten, Secretary

CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY
3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, Connecticut

By: [Signature]
L. Russell Mitten, Secretary

Subscribed and Sworn to before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Fairfield and State of Connecticut, this 24th day of February, 2003.

[Signature]

Notary Public

My Commission Expires 10/31/06