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Missouri Public Service Commission

Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

TA-2000-427

Re:

Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc.

Interexchange/Non-Switched Local Exchange Application

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Please find enclosed for filing in the above-referenced case an original and fourteen copies of Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc.'s Application For Interexchange and Non-Switched Local Exchange Authority and Competitive Classification. This Application includes as Appendix B to the Application Applicant's proposed tariff bearing a forty-five day effective date. Also please find enclosed an additional three copies of Applicant's proposed tariff for the Commission's tariff file.

A copy of this filing have been sent this date to the Office of the Public Counsel. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Brent Stewart

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Enclosure

cc:

Office of the Public Counsel

David Starr Carey Roesel

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI



In the Matter of the Application of	JAN 1 8 2000
Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc. for a)	
Certificate of Service Authority to Provide )	Service Commission
Intrastate Interexchange and Non-Switched )	Case No. TA-2000-427 VICE Commission
Local Exchange Telecommunications )	Inssion
Services within the State of Missouri and )	
for Competitive Classification.	

# APPLICATION FOR INTEREXCHANGE AND NON-SWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE AUTHORITY AND COMPETITIVE CLASSIFICATION

Comes now Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc. ("Applicant" or "Allegiance"), by and through counsel, and pursuant to Sections 392.361, 392.420, 392.430, 392.440 RSMo 1994, Section 392.410 RSMo Supp. 1999, and 4 CSR 240-2.060(4), files this Verified Application requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission (hereinafter "the Commission") issue an order that:

- (a) grants Applicant a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange and non-switched local exchange telecommunications services, as herein more specifically defined, pursuant to Chapter 392 RSMo;
- (b) grants competitive status to Applicant and Applicant's requested services; and
- (c) waives certain Commission rules and statutory provisions pursuant to Sections 392.420 and 392.361 RSMo 1994, consistent with the Commission's past treatment of other certificated providers of competitive interexchange/private line telecommunications services.

In support of its request, Applicant states that:

1. Applicant is a corporation formed and operating under the laws of the State of Delaware and is duly authorized to transact business in the State of Missouri. Pursuant to the relevant provisions of 4 CSR 240-2.060, a certificate of authority from the Missouri Secretary of State's Office is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Appendix A.



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Applicant's principal place of business is 1950 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026, Dallas, Texas 75207-3118 and its telephone number is (214) 261-7100.

2. All communications, notices, orders and decisions respecting this Application and proceeding should be addressed to:

Charles Brent Stewart
Stewart & Keevil, L.L.C.
1001 Cherry Street
Suite 302
Columbia, Missouri 65201
(573) 499-0635
(573) 499-0638 (fax)

Carey Roesel
Technologies Management, Inc.
210 Park Avenue North
Winter Park, Florida 32789
(407) 740-8575
(407) 740-0613 (fax)

All inquiries or communications regarding the ongoing operations of Applicant should be addressed to:

Mr. Robert McCausland
Vice President–Regulatory and Interconnection
Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc.
1950 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026
Dallas, Texas 75207-3118
(214) 261-8730
(214) 261-8770 (fax)

Any questions concerning Applicant's proposed tariff should be directed to Mr. Roesel at the above number.

3. Applicant recently obtained its certificate to provide basic local telecommunications services in portions of the state of Missouri in Case No. TA-2000-1. By this Application, Applicant proposes to provide various types of intrastate interexchange and non-switched local exchange telecommunications services throughout the state of Missouri. Applicant intends to offer outbound and inbound, switched and dedicated access toll services on a pre-subscribed basis. Operator services will also be available to presubscribed customers. Applicant will offer optional calling plans and travel card services. Service is to be provided through underlying carriers who have been selected for the best combination of quality and price.

Each customer will be pre-subscribed to Carrier Identification Code (CIC) of the underlying carrier. Presubscribed customer traffic will be routed to Allegiance's underlying carrier network. In turn, the underlying carrier will provide information to the Company sufficient for billing. Allegiance's name and toll free number will appear on customer's bills.

Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.060(4)(H), Applicant's proposed tariff bearing a forty-five day effective date is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Appendix B.

- 4. Applicant requests that it and all its services proposed herein be classified as competitive. Applicant's proposed services herein fall within the category of the types of services which have routinely been authorized by the Commission for numerous other competitive carriers upon verified application without the need for evidentiary hearings. Applicant's proposed services will be subject to sufficient competition to justify a lesser degree of regulation; granting this Application will allow greater price and service options for telecommunications customers and will be in the public interest. Granting Applicant's requested competitive classifications is consistent with past Commission treatment of other competitive certificated interexchange/non-switched local exchange carriers and will encourage competition consistent with the public policy of Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and Chapter 392 RSMo.
- 5. Applicant is willing to comply with all applicable Commission orders, rules and regulations. Applicant requests however, pursuant to Section 392.440 RSMo 1994, that the Commission at minimum waive the application of the following rules and statutory provisions as they relate to the regulation of Applicant to the extent that they previously and routinely have been waived for other certificated competitive interexchange/non-switched local exchange carriers:

#### **Statutes**

392.240(1)	ratemaking
392.270	valuation of property (ratemaking)
392.280 $\frown$	depreciation accounts
392.290	issuance of securities
392.310	stock & debt issuance
392.320	stock dividend payment
392.330	issuance of securities, debts and notes
392.340	reorganizations

## **Commission Rules**

6. Applicant is financially capable of providing the services proposed. Applicant also possesses the necessary technical and managerial expertise and experience necessary to provide the services it proposes to offer at standards that will meet or exceed all service standards established by the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Applicant Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc. respectfully requests that the Commission: 1) expeditiously grant it a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate, resold interexchange and non-switched local exchange telecommunications services within the State of Missouri; 2) grant Applicant and its proposed services competitive status; and 3) waive the application of the above-

referenced statutes and Commission rules; all consistent with past Commission practice and the Commission's treatment of other certificated, competitive providers of intrastate interexchange and non-switched local exchange telecommunications services.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles Brent Stewart MoBar,#34885 STEWART & KEEVIL, L.L.C. 1001 Cherry Street, Suite 302 Columbia, Missouri 65201 (573) 499-0635

ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT ALLEGIANCE TELECOM OF MISSOURI, INC.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Verified Application has been sent this date to the General Counsel's Office and the Office of the Public Counsel by hand-delivery, this 18th day of January, 2000.

Charles Breet Stewart

## VERIFICATION

STATE OF TEXAS	
COUNTY OF DALLAS	,

Robert W. McCausland, being first duly sworn, deposes and states: That he is the Vice President—Regulatory and Interconnection for Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc., the Applicant in the foregoing Application; that he has read the foregoing Application, knows the contents thereof, and is authorized to verify the accuracy of same; and that the statements contained in the Application are true to his best knowledge, information and belief.

Robert W. McCausland

Vice President-Regulatory and Interconnection

Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, 2000.

Notary Public

My Commission expires: 3.19.2003



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# APPENDIX A MISSOURI SECRETARY OF STATE DOCUMENTS



## Rebecca McDowell Cook Secretary of State

CORPORATION DIVISION - CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, ALLEGIANCE TELECOM OF MISSOURI, INC.

USING IN MISSOURI THE NAME ALLEGIANCE TELECOM OF MISSOURI, INC.

HAS COMPLIED WITH THE GENERAL AND BUSINESS CORPORATION LAW WHICH GOVERNS FOREIGN CORPORATIONS; BY FILING IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF MISSOURI AUTHENTICATED EVIDENCE OF ITS INCORPORATION AND GOOD STANDING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, REBECCA McDOWELL COOK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT SAID CORPORATION IS FROM THIS DATE DULY AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THIS STATE, AND IS ENTITLED TO ALL RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES GRANTED TO FOREIGN CORPORATIONS UNDER THE GENERAL AND BUSINESS CORPORATION LAW OF MISSOURI.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE SET MY HAND AND IMPRINTED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, ON THIS, THE 17TH DAY OF MAY, 1999.

Secretary of State

\$155.00



## State of Missouri

## Rebecca McDowell Cook, Secretary of State

P.O. Box 778, Jefferson City, MO 65102 Corporation Division

AND CARTIFICATE OF

# Application for Foreign Corporation for a Certificate of Authority

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(Submit in duplicate with filing fee of \$155.00)

(1) The corporation's name is Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc.
and it is organized and existing under the laws of Delaware
(2) The name it will use in Missouri is Allegiance Telecom of Missouri, Inc.
(3) The date of its incorporation was $\frac{4/19/99}{}$ (month/day/year), and the period of its duration is $\frac{Perpennal}{}$
(4) The address of its principal place of business (Address/City/State/Zip)
1950 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026, Dallas, Texas 75207
(5) The name and address of its registered agent and office in the State of Missouri is (Name, Address, City/State/Zip)  C T Corporation System, 120 South Central Avenue, Clayton, Missouri 63105  (6) The specific purpose(s) of its business in Missouri are:  Telecommunications provider
(7) The name of its officers and directors and their business addresses are as follows:
Officers (Name/Address/City/State/Zip)
See attached list of officers President
Vice President
Secretary ————————————————————————————————————

Office of Secretary of State Rebecca McDowell Cook 600 W. Main and 208 State Capitol, P.O. Box 778, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102 Telephone: (573) 751-4936
Note: You must have a current certificate of good standing or certificate of existence with this application. This may be obtained from the Secretary of State or other authority that issues corporate charters.
(Authorized signature of officer or chairman of the board) (Title) (Date)
In affirmation thereof, the facts stated above are true.
(Date may not be more than 90 days after the filing date in this office)
(R) The effective date of this document is the date it is filed by the Secretary of State of Missouri, unless you indicate a future date, as follows:
Director
Director — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —
Director
See attached list of directors
Board of Directors (Name/Address/City/State/Zip)
Treasurer

Information contained in this document was compiled using publications from the Secretary of State's Office

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Item 7: Officers

Royce J. Holland

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

1960 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026

Dallas, TX 75207

C. Daniel Yost

President

1960 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026

Dallas, TX 75207

Thomas M. Lord

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

1960 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026

Dallas, TX 75207

Mark B. Tresnowski

Senior Vice President and Secretary

4 Westbrook Corporate Center, Suite 400

Westchester, IL 60154

Dennis M. Maunder

Vice President and Controller

1960 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026

Dallas, TX 75207

Annie S. Terry

Assistant Secretary

4 Westbrook Corporate Center, Suite 400

Westchester, IL 60154

Item 8: Directors

Dennis M. Maunder, 1960 Stemmons Freeway, Suite 3026, Dallas, TX 75207

Mark B. Tresnowski, 4 Westbrook Corporate Center, Suite 400, Westchester, IL 60154

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