

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

November 1, 2007

IN RE:)	
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PETITION OF NETWORK TELEPHONE)	DOCKET NO.
CORPORATION TO CHANGE ITS NAME TO)	07-00038
NETWORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION D/B/A)	
CAVALIER BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS)	

ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL OF AN ASSUMED NAME

This matter came before Chairman Eddie Roberson, Director Pat Miller, and Director Ron Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this Docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on September 10, 2007, upon the *Petition* of Network Telephone Corporation ("Network Telephone" or "Company") to change its name.

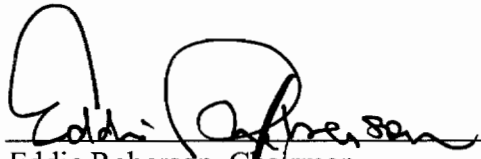
At a regularly scheduled Authority Conference on February 2, 1999, in Docket No. 98-00349, this Authority approved a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") allowing Network Telephone to provide operator services and/or resell telecommunications services within Tennessee as Network Telephone Inc. During a regularly scheduled Authority Conference on February 29, 2000, in Docket No. 00-00072, this Authority approved the Company's request to change its name to Network Telephone Corporation. In an Order dated June 23, 2000, in Docket No. 00-00009, the Authority approved a CCN allowing Network Telephone to provide facilities-based local exchange, exchange access, and interexchange telecommunications services in Tennessee. At the Company's request, Network Telephone's

original resell authority was cancelled by the Authority on September 26, 2000 since the CCN approved in 00-00009 authorized all the services the Company was providing. At a regularly scheduled Authority Conference on December 4, 2006, the Authority approved a transfer of authority in Docket No. 06-00252 in which Cavalier Telephone Corporation acquired control of Network Telephone.

On February 2, 2007, Network Telephone filed a *Petition* in this Docket notifying the Authority that it is changing the name under which it provides telecommunications services in Tennessee to Network Telephone Corporation d/b/a Cavalier Business Communications.

Based upon careful consideration of the record of this matter and upon a finding that the Company has satisfied the requirements of Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 1220-4-1-.08, a majority of the panel voted¹ to approve the name change.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


Eddie Roberson, Chairman


Pat Miller, Director

Ron Jones, Director

¹ Director Jones abstained from voting and asserted that Tenn. Comp. R. & Reg. 1220-4-1-.08 does not require Directors' approval for a name change, and further asserted that requiring such approval is in direct opposition to the Authority's decision in Rulemaking Docket No. 04-00072 and is contrary to the plain language of the Rule.