

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

October 26, 2007

IN RE:)	
)	DOCKET NO.
APPLICATION OF STERLING PAYPHONES)	07-00227
LLC FOR AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE COCOT)	
SERVICES IN TENNESSEE)	Company ID: 129031

**ORDER GRANTING AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE CUSTOMER OWNED
COIN OR COINLESS OPERATED TELEPHONE SERVICE**

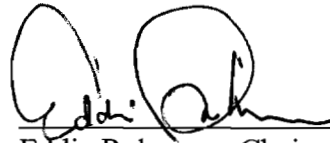
This matter came before Chairman Eddie Roberson, Director Sara Kyle and Director Ron Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on October 8, 2007 for consideration of the Application of Sterling Payphones LLC to be an operator of Customer Owned Coin or Coinless Operated Telephone ("COCOT") service in the State of Tennessee filed on September 28, 2007.

Based upon careful consideration of the application and of the entire record in this matter, the voting panel finds and concludes that the applicant has met all the requirements of Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 1220-4-2-.43 through 1220-4-2-.45 to provide COCOT service in Tennessee.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. Sterling Payphones LLC is authorized to provide COCOT service within the State of Tennessee and is required to post the Company ID Number 129031 on the display card for each COCOT.
2. This Order shall remain in effect until further order of this Authority.

3. This Order shall be retained as proof of certification with this Authority and may be used to obtain the appropriately tariffed access line from Authority authorized telecommunications service providers.



Eddie Roberson, Chairman



Sara Kyle, Director



Ron Jones, Director