

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

IN RE:	July 29, 2011)	
)	DOCKET NO.
PETITION OF ALEC, INC. FOR APPROVAL)	11-00100
TO CHANGE ITS NAME TO ALEC, LLC)	

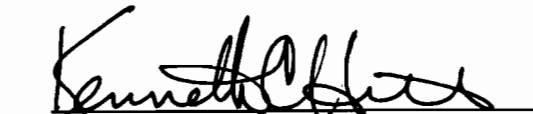
ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL OF NAME CHANGE

This matter came before Director Kenneth C. Hill, Director Sara Kyle and Director Mary W. Freeman of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on July 11, 2011 to consider the petition of ALEC, Inc. ("ALEC" or "Company") to change its name.


ALEC was granted authority to provide local exchange, exchange access and interexchange telecommunications services in Tennessee on April 13, 1999 in Docket No. 98-00599. On June 9, 2011, ALEC filed a Petition to change the name under which it provides telecommunications services in Tennessee to ALEC, LLC.

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

IT IS SO ORDERED.


Kenneth C. Hill, Director


Sara Kyle, Director


Mary W. Freeman, Director