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August 10, 2011

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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY Docket no. 11-00131

Ms. Sharla Dillon  
Dockets and Records Office  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243  
Re: Associated Network Partners, Inc. #99-00154 (Name Change)

Dear Ms. Dillon:

Please find enclosed an original and four copies of materials and electronic email of this letter as a request for a name change for Associated Network Partners, Inc. to ANPI, LLC. In addition to this correspondence, please find attached the following materials: 1. Customer Notice; 2. Certificate issued by Secretary of State Division of Business Services; 3. Small and Minority Owned Telecommunications Business Participate Plan; and 4. A check made payable to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority of \$25.00. TRA has confirmed receipt of the remaining item needed (the updated Letter of Credit) directly from our bank, however, if you require additional copies please advise.

In Tennessee, Associated Network Partners, Inc. is authorized to provide operator services and/or resell telecommunications services pursuant to authority granted by the Authority in Docket No. 99-00154 on June 8, 1999. Associated Network Partners, Inc. does not have retail end-users and provides wholesale service only to a limited number of long distance retailers offering service in Tennessee. Due to the nature of the wholesale service Associated Network Partners, Inc.'s customers are sophisticated telecommunications carriers. These customers will continue to obtain service from and be billed by the same entity with the same contact information as before. There will be no change in any rates or conditions of service as a result of this name change.

Please find enclosed an additional copy of this correspondence and request that you date stamp this correspondence and return it in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope. Should you have questions regarding this filing, please contact Erica Liapakis, Regulatory Affairs Coordinator, at (217) 698-2860 or [regulatoryaffairs@anpisolutions.com](mailto:regulatoryaffairs@anpisolutions.com). You may also contact the undersigned at (217) 698-2860.

Sincerely,

Joseph O'Hara  
Treasurer and CFO

Encl.



August 10, 2011

[Customer]  
[Address]  
[City], [State] [Zip Code]

Dear [Customer]:

We have recently changed our business name from Associated Network Partners, Inc. to ANPI, LLC ("ANPI"). Please update your records and note this is only a name change. ANPI has not changed any rates, regulations, or conditions of service as a result of this name change. This name change will not result in a change in the prices, terms, or conditions for services you currently subscribe. However, in the coming months, be advised that as we update our records for compliance purposes, we may make information requests. Rest assured, the same helpful staff that you have become accustomed to will be available to assist you with your telecommunications needs.

ANPI will continue to provide wholesale voice and data solutions to ILECs, CLECs, and Wireless carriers. Voice services include switched and dedicated 1+ long distance, toll free 800 calling, directory assistance, point-to-point/private line circuits, SS7 signaling network and database services. ANPI will also continue to offer ISPs value added services including a robust community portal, computer protection, online data backup, spam and virus filter, technical support and password manager.

If you have any questions about this matter, please call ANPI at the toll free number, 877-366-2674 or visit us at [www.anpisolutions.com](http://www.anpisolutions.com).

Sincerely  
ANPI, LLC



**STATE OF TENNESSEE**  
**Tre Hargett, Secretary of State**  
Division of Business Services  
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue  
6th Floor, William R. Snodgrass Tower  
Nashville, TN 37243

**ANPI, LLC**  
3130 Pleasant Run  
Springfield, IL 62711 USA

September 23, 2010

### Filing Acknowledgment

Please review the filing information below and notify our office immediately of any discrepancies.

Control # :	640766	Formation Locale:	Delaware
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Receipt # : 255281	Filing Fee:	\$300.00
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**Registered Agent Address**  
Corporation Service Company  
2908 Poston Avenue  
Nashville, TN 37203 USA

Congratulations on the successful filing of your **Certificate of Authority** for **ANPI, LLC** in the State of Tennessee which is effective on the date shown above.

You must file an Annual Report with this office on or before the Annual Report Due Date noted above and maintain a Registered Office and Registered Agent. Failure to do so will subject the business to Administrative Dissolution/Revocation.

Tre Hargett, Secretary of State  
Business Services Division

Processed By: Cheryl Donnell

State of Tennessee



Department of State  
Corporate Filings  
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue  
6th Floor, William R. Snodgrass Tower  
Nashville, TN 37243

APPLICATION FOR  
CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY  
(Limited Liability Company)

STATE OF TENNESSEE

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TRE HARGRETT  
SECRETARY OF STATE

To the Secretary of State of the State of Tennessee:

Pursuant to the provisions of §48-249-904 of the Tennessee Revised Limited Liability Company Act, the undersigned hereby applies for a certificate of authority to transact business in the State of Tennessee, and for that purpose sets forth:

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: ANPI, LLC

If different, the name under which the certificate of authority is to be obtained is: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: The Secretary of State of the State of Tennessee may not issue a certificate of authority to a foreign Limited Liability Company if its name does not comply with the requirements of § 48-249-106 of the Tennessee Revised Limited Liability Company Act. If obtaining a certificate of authority under an assumed Limited Liability Company name, an application must be filed pursuant to § 48-249-108(d).

2. The state or country under whose law it is formed is: Delaware

and its date of its formation is: September 15, 2010 (must be month, day and year)

3. The complete street address (including zip code) of its principal executive office is:

3130 Pleasant Run

Springfield, IL

62711

Street

City/State

Zip Code

4. The complete street address (including the county and the zip code) of its registered office in Tennessee:

2908 Poston Avenue, Nashville, TN 37203 (Davidson County)

Street

City/State

County

Zip Code

The name of its registered agent at that office is: Corporation Service Company

5. If the provisions of TCA §48-249-309(l) (relating to foreign series LLCs) apply, then the information required by that section should be attached as part of this document.

6. The number of members at the date of filing if more than six (6): \_\_\_\_\_

7. If the limited liability company commenced doing business in Tennessee prior to the approval of this application, the date of commencement (month, day and year) \_\_\_\_\_. NOTE: Additional filing fees may apply. See section 48-249-913(d).

NOTE: This application must be accompanied by a certificate of existence or a document of similar import (for example, a certificate of good standing) duly authenticated by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of the Limited Liability Company records in the state or country under whose law it is organized. The certificate shall not bear a date of more than two (2) months prior to the date the application is filed in this state.

September, 2010

Signature Date

Treasurer of Associated Network Partners, Inc., Member

Signer's Capacity

ANPI, LLC

Name of Limited Liability Company

[Signature]

Signature

Joseph E. O'Hara

Name (typed or printed)

# Delaware

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TRE HARGETT  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "ANPI, LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2010.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE NOT BEEN ASSESSED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "ANPI, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2010.



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You may verify this certificate online  
at [corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml](http://corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml)

  
Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State  
AUTHENTICATION: 8242970

DATE: 09-22-10

## **SMALL AND MINORITY-OWNED TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUSINESS PARTICIPATION PLAN**

### **II. DEFINITIONS**

As defined in §65-5-112.

*Minority-Owned Business.* Minority-owned business shall mean a business which is solely owned, or at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the assets or outstanding stock of which is owned, by an individual who personally manages and controls daily operations of such business, and who is impeded from normal entry into the economic mainstream because of race, religion, sex or national origin and such business has annual gross receipts of less than four million dollars (\$4,000,000).

*Small Business.* Small Business shall mean a business with annual gross receipts of less than four million dollars (\$4,000,000).

### **III. ADMINISTRATION**

ANPI, LLC's Plan will be overseen and administered by the individual named below, hereinafter referred to as the Administrator, who will be responsible for carrying out and promoting ANPI, LLC's full efforts to provide equal opportunities for small and minority-owned businesses. The Administrator of the Plan will be:

**Joe O'Hara**  
**3130 Pleasant Run**  
**Springfield, IL 62711**  
**Telephone: 217-698-2860**  
**Facsimile: 217-698-0100**

The Administrator's responsibilities will include:

- (1) Maintaining an updated Plan in full compliance with §65-5-112 and the rules and orders of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority.

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- (2) Ensuring the successful implementation of the Plan.
- (3) Preparing and submitting such forms as may be required by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, including the filing of required annual updates.
- (4) Serving as the primary liaison to and cooperate with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, other agencies of the State of Tennessee, and small and minority-owned businesses to locate and use qualified small and minority-owned businesses as defined in §65-5-112.
- (5) Providing records and reports and cooperating in any authorized surveys as required by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority.

In performance of these duties, the Administrator may utilize a number of resources, including:

Chambers of Commerce

The Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development

The United States Department of Commerce

Small Business Administration Office  
of Minority Business

The National Minority Supplier Development Counsel

The National Association of Women Business Owners

The National Association of Minority Contractors

Historically Black Colleges, Universities, and Minority Institutions

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The efforts to promote and ensure equal opportunities for small and minority-owned businesses are primarily spelled out in the Administrator's duties above. Additional efforts to provide opportunities to small and minority-owned businesses may include offering, where appropriate and feasible, small and minority-owned businesses assistance with technical, insurance, bonding, licensing, production, and deadline requirements.

#### IV. RECORDS AND COMPLIANCE REPORTS

ANPI, LLC will submit records and reports required by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority concerning the Plan. Moreover, ANPI, LLC will cooperate fully with any surveys and studies required by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority.

ANPI, LLC

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Joseph O'Hara  
Treasurer & CFO

Dated: 8/10/11



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AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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