

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

IN RE:	October 20, 2011)	
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PETITION FOR APPROVAL TO)	DOCKET NO.
ADOPT ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME BY)	11-00142
BEN LOMAND COMMUNICATIONS, LLC)	
D/B/A BEN LOMAND CONNECT)	Company ID:
			128221

ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL TO USE ASSUMED NAME

This matter came before Director Kenneth C. Hill, Director Sara Kyle, and Director Mary W. Freeman, the voting panel of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority") assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on September 12, 2011 to consider the Petition of Ben Lomand Communications, LLC (the "Company") for approval to use Ben Lomand Connect as an assumed business name in Tennessee.

Ben Lomand Communications, Inc. ("Ben Lomand, Inc.") was granted authority to resell telecommunications services in Tennessee in Docket No. 95-03109. A Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") to provide intrastate telecommunications services as a competing local carrier within Warren and White Counties was granted to Ben Lomand, Inc. on February 16, 1999 in Docket No. 98-00600. An internal corporate reorganization and transfer of CCN, approved on December 17, 2007 in Docket No. 07-00255, resulted in a name change to Ben Lomand Communications, LLC. On January 12, 2009, in Docket No. 08-00210, the Company's CCN was amended to authorize the Company to provide telecommunications services on a statewide basis. On August 26, 2011, the Company filed a Petition for approval to use the name Ben Lomand Connect as an assumed business name in Tennessee.

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(ii), the panel voted unanimously to grant the Petition.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


Kenneth C. Hill, Director


Sara Kyle, Director


Mary W. Freeman, Director