

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

**October 4, 2007**

<b>IN RE:</b>	)	
	)	<b>DOCKET NO.</b>
<b>APPLICATION OF ASC TELECOM, INC. FOR</b>	)	<b>98-00888</b>
<b>AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE OPERATOR SERVICES</b>	)	
<b>AND/OR RESELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES</b>	)	<b>Company ID:</b>
<b>IN TENNESSEE PURSUANT TO RULE 1220-4-2-.57</b>	)	<b>120140</b>

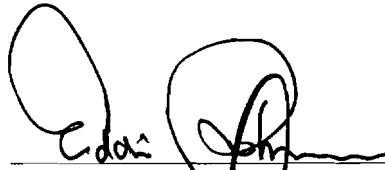
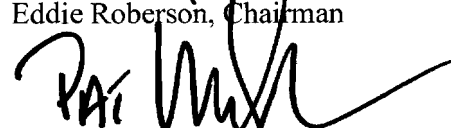
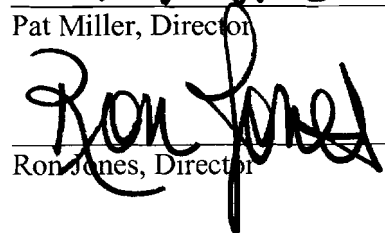
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**ORDER GRANTING CANCELLATION OF AUTHORITY  
TO PROVIDE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES**

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This matter came before Chairman Eddie Roberson, Director Pat Miller and Director Ron Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on September 10, 2007. ASC Telecom, Inc. (the "Company") originally filed an Application for authority to provide operator services and/or resell telecommunications services in Tennessee on December 3, 1998.<sup>1</sup> During a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on April 20, 1999, the Directors found that the Company had met all the requirements for certification and the requirements of Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 1220-4-2-.57, which was promulgated pursuant to, *inter alia*, Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-2-102 and Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-4-201, and approved the Application. On May 25, 2007, the Company requested that the TRA cancel its authority. Based upon careful consideration of the entire record in this matter, the panel voted unanimously to grant the Company's request to cancel its authority.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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Eddie Roberson, Chairman	
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Pat Miller, Director	
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Ron Jones, Director	

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<sup>1</sup> ASC Telecom, Inc. was formerly known as ASC Telecom, Inc. d/b/a AlternaTel. This name change was approved by the Authority on October 6, 2003 in Docket No. 03-00479.