Company ID: 00128471

CAT Communications International, Inc.

5650 Hollins Road Roanoke, VA 24019

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

Nashville, TN

February 15, 2000

IN RE: CASE NUMBER: 99-00925

Application for Authority to Provide Operator Services and/or Resell Telecommunications Services in Tennessee Pursuant to Rule 1220-4-2-.57.

---ORDER----

This matter is before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority upon the application of the above-mentioned company for certification as a reseller or telecommunication operator service provider in Tennessee. The TRA considered this application at a Conference held on February 15, 2000 and concluded that the applicant has met all the requirements for certification and should be authorized to provide operator services and/or resell telecommunications services on an intrastate basis.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- That the above-mentioned company is issued a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity as an operator service provider and/or reseller of telecommunications services for state-wide service in Tennessee as specified in its application on file with the Authority.
- That said company shall comply with all applicable state laws and TRA rules and regulations.
- 3. That this order shall be retained as proof of certification with this Authority, and may be used to obtain appropriately tariffed service and billing arrangements from Authority authorized telecommunications service providers.

Chairman Melvin Malone

Director Sara Kyle

ATTEST:

Executive Secretary

Director Lynn Gree

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

Lynn Greer, Chairman Sara Kyle, Director Melvin Malone, Director

Pres.



460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE TO PROVIDE OPERATOR SERVICES AND/OR RESELL TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES IN TENNESSEE IRULE 1220-4-2-571

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		50 Hollins Ro				Roanoke			
				Phone No. (540) 2	2 <u>65</u> 25	<u>5</u> 5			
3.	Owner, Partne	ers, or Corporate C	Officer			•			
	NAME	ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE			
Nor	man Mason	5650 Hollins	Rd	Roanoke	VA	24019			
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	Norman D. Mason (540265-2555; Ext. 118 (540) 265-77				540) 265- 7742				
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	and/or request refunds or adjustments. 1-888-477-1224								
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Mail the completed application and a check for \$50.00 to: Tennessee Regulatory Authority, P.O. Box 198907, Nashville, TN 37219-8907. Should you have any questions, call (615)741-7489, ext. 163.



F.	f providing operator services, list company name, address and contact person for all
	eseller carriers you serve in Tennessee. Provide the above information on Appendix I

G.	List the state(s)	that the applicant	is authorized	to operate in	at this time.	New Jers	ey
	New York,	California,	Florida,	Kentucky.	South C	arolina.	D.C.

For the above states, list the number and types of complaint(s) filed against applicant, and the complaint(s)' current status. Provide this information on a separate None. attachment, if necessary.

If applicant has affiliate(s) engaged in providing telecommunications services, provide the above requested information for the affiliate(s), as well as for the applicant.

List any states that the applicant has been denied authority to provide service. None.
If applicant has affiliate(s) engaged in providing telecommunications services, provide the above requested Information for the affiliate(s), as well as for the applicable.
Areas in Tennessee to be served. Statewide
What type of customers will the applicant serve? a. Business b. ResidentialX c. Aggregators (e.g. Hotels, Payphones) d. Other (specify)
Does the applicant allow a property imposed fee (PIF) to be added to the price of intrastate telephone calls over its network? If yes, specify amount. No.
Are your prices for intrastate services plus any PIF equal to or less than the domina carriers' price for similar services? YesXNo
Describe the type of services and price that the applicant will be offering in Tenness on the Informational Tariff Form found in Appendix II ¹ . Tariffs attached as Exhibits E and F.
What is the applicant's 10XXX or 800 access code, if applicable?
Does the applicant now have or plan to have any telecommunication's facilities (e.g. switches, fiber lines) in Tennessee? No.
What facility-based network(s) will the applicant be reselling? BellSouth
Will the applicant be utilizing the local telephone company's billing system or billing customers directly ² ? Billed through billing agent GLAI, Inc. Sample bill attached as Exhibit D.

¹Applicant is required to fill out an Informational Tariff form. Failure to fill out this form will cause the applicant's request to be rejected.

²A copy of a bill is required if the applicant is going to bill the customer directly.

A. Attach a current financial statement showing in detail the applicant's financial condition including balance sheet and income statement, or a copy of IRS form 1120 or 1065 filed by your business for the previous year. Attach, if available, a copy of your company's 10K and/or stockholder reports.

Exhibit C.

Part IV: Display Card

If applicable, attach a copy of the display card to be placed on the aggregators telephone which shows what operator services are to be provided. The card must contain all required information listed in the attached Rule (1220-4-2-.57, B)³, which includes a toll-free number consumers can call for service problems and refunds.

It is the responsibility of the reseller or operator service provider to assure that the appropriate display card is affixed to the aggregates telephones.

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Part V: Rule Compliance Agreement

- A. The Reseller or Operator Service Provider applicant, hereby, affirms the following:
- Has received, read, and understands the Tennessee Regulatory Authority's (TRA)
 Reseller Rules and Regulations, (Appendix III)
- Understands the penalties for non-compliance, and all associated fees to provide such service.
- Will comply with the TRA Reseller Rules and all other applicable Authority Rules and state laws, including T.C.A. Section 65-5-206 (Appendix IV),
- That all information provided in the attached registration document is true to the best of my knowledge.

CAT Communications International, Inc.

Company Name

Date

Company Official

President

Title

State of Virginia Country Roanske

Subscribed and swom before me this 27 day

of good, 1999

Notary Public

My commission expires
7-31-99

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Commonwealth of Hirginia



State Corporation Commission

I Certify the Following from the Records of the Commission:

The foregoing is a true copy of all documents constituting the charter of CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC..

Nothing more is hereby certified.



Signed and Sealed at Richmond on this Date: June 1, 1999

Joel H. Peck, Clerk of the Commission

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT OF CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

NOW COMES Tommy for Williams, the Incorporator, pursuant to Section 13.1-709 of the Code of Virginia, as amended, and states as follows:

- 1) The corporation is CAT Communications International, Inc.
- 21 No shares of stock have yet been issued.
- 1) That the Board of Directors is comprised of Norman D. Mason, Chris Sedrone, Howard Swartz and Barbara S. Mason.
- 41 An Article of Amendment is hereby unanimously adopted by the Board of Directors as follows:
 - 8) Paragraph 13 authorizing 2,000 common shares of \$1.00 par is hereby amended to read as follows: "The authorized number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue and the par value per share are as follows:

Class = Common

Class - Common-Nonvoting Number of Shares = 2,000

Number of Shares = 2,000

Par Value = \$1,00 Par Value = \$1.00

This Amendment was adopted on the 24th day of November, 1997.

This Amendment was adopted without shareholder approval there being no shares losted at the date of adoption.

Given my hand this 34 th day of November

Norman D. Mason, President

CAT Communacations international, inc.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

April 14, 1998

The State Corporation Commission has found the accompanying articles submitted on behalf of

CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

to comply with the requirements of law, and confirms payment of all related fees:

Therefore, it is ORDERED that this

CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

be issued and admitted to record with the articles of amendment in the Office of the Clerk of the Commission, effective April 14, 1998 at 01:01 PM.

The corporation is granted the authority conferred on it by law in accordance with the articles, subject to the conditions and restrictions imposed by law.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

Commissioner

AHENACPT C1820436 98-04-13-0177

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

We, the undersigned, hereby associate to form a stock corporation under the provisions of Chapter 9 of Title 13.1 of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended to date, and to that end we do by this, our Articles of Incorporation, set forth the following information:

- A. The name of this corporation is to be CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC.
- B. The authorized number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue and the par value per share are as follows: class - common, number of shares - 2,000, par value -\$1.00.
- C. Post Office address of the initial registered office of the corporation is Bramblewood Park, 2721 Brambleton Avenue, S. W., P. O. Box 21681, City of Roanoke, Virginia 24018.
- D. The name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is Tommy Joe Williams, who is a resident of the State of Virginia and a member of the Virginia State Bar and whose business office is the same as the registered office of the corporation.
- E. The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors are four (4) and their names and addresses are: Norman D. Mason, P. O. Box 539, Cloverdale, Virginia, 24077; Barbara S. Mason, P. O. Box 539, Cloverdale, Virginia, 24077; Chris Sedone, P. O. Box 539, Cloverdale, Virginia, 24077; and Howard Swartz, P. O. Box 539, Cloverdale, Virginia, 24077.
- F. The period of time for which this corporation shall endure shall be unlimited.
- G. The Shareholders shall have no preemptive rights.

GIVEN under my hand this 3/ day of Ottom, 1997.

Tommy Joe Williams, Incorporator

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

November 3, 1997

The State Corporation Commission has found the accompanying articles submitted on behalf of

CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

to comply with the requirements of law, and confirms payment of all related fees.

Therefore, it is ORDERED that this

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

be issued and admitted to record with the articles of incorporation in the Office of the Clerk of the Commission, effective November 3, 1997.

The corporation is granted the authority conferred on it by law in accordance with the articles, subject to the conditions and restrictions imposed by law.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

Commissioner

CORPACPT CIS20423 97-11-03-0068

BY-LAWS

OF

CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

ARTICLE I STOCK

- 1. Certificates of stock shall be issued in numerical order, signed by the president and secretary and bearing the seal of the Corporation.
- 2. Fransfers of stock may be made only on the books of the Corporation by the holder in person or his attorney and at his expense. Before the issuance of a new certificate, the old certificate shall be surrendered for cancellation and marked "canceled" with the date of the cancellation. The date of such cancellation and transfer shall be duly entered on the register or stub of the original certificate.
- 3. The stock book of the Corporation shall be closed for transfer ten days before the annual meeting.

ARTICLE II STOCKHOLDERS

- 1. Every stockholder shall be entitled to cast, at a meeting of stockholders, one vote in person or by proxy for each share of stock standing in his name on the books of the Corporation.
- 2. The annual meeting of the stockholders shall be held on the first Tuesday in February of each calendar year at the time and place as may be provided in the notice of the meeting thereof.
- 3. Special meetings of the stockholders may be called by the president, board of directors or the holders of not less than one-tenth of all the shares entitled to vote at the meeting.
- 4. Written notice of the time and place of the meeting shall be mailed to all stockholders entitled to vote at the addresses furnished by them not less than ten days nor more than fifty days before the meeting. Notice of a special meeting shall state the purpose thereof, provided, however, that any meeting called to amend the Articles of Incorporation or act on a plan of merger or consolidation shall be mailed not less than twenty-five days nor more than fifty days before the day of the meeting.
 - 5. The order of business at the meeting shall be:
 - A. Roll call,
 - B. Proof of notice of meeting,
 - C. Determination of quorum,

- D. Reading and disposal of unapproved minutes,
- E. Reports of officers and committees,
- F. Election of directors,
- G. Unfinished business,
- H. New business, and
- I. Adjournment.

ARTICLE III DIRECTORS

- of directors of not less than one director if there is only one stockholder, provided that the number of directors shall be increased to not less than two at such time as there are two stockholders and shall be further increased to not less than three at such time as there are three or more stockholders as required by law. Subject to these limitations, the number of directors serving at any given time shall be determined by the board of directors. The directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders to serve for one year, or until the qualification of their successors.
- 2. Vacancies occurring in the board during the year shall be filled by ballot of the board and for this purpose, a majority of the number of directors remaining before the vacancy is filled shall constitute a quorum.
 - 3. Directors may be removed by the stockholders at any time without cause.
- 4. Regular meetings of the board shall be held at such time and place as may be by it designated.
- 5. Special meetings of the board may be held upon the call of the president or any two directors if there by three or more directors. Should there be fewer than three directors, special meetings of the board may be held upon the call of the president or any one director. Five days written or personal notice of special meetings of the board shall be given by the secretary to each member, stating the purpose thereof.
- 6. A majority of the directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. A majority of such quorum shall have authority to decide questions properly coming before the meeting, unless otherwise provided herein.
- 7. The board shall elect the officers and engage employees of the Corporation, fix their compensation and delegate to each such duties and powers as may be deemed expedient, including authority to engage other employees and agents for the Corporation, prescribe their duties and fix their wages or salaries.
- 8. The chairman shall be elected by the board and the secretary of the corporation shall be secretary of the board.

9. Dividends may be declared by the board out of the net earnings or surplus of the Corporation if, when and in the amount they may deem proper.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

- 1. The officers of the Corporation shall consist of a president, secretary, treasurer and such additional officers as the directors may from time to time deem necessary. Any two or more offices may be held by one person. The officers shall hold office at the pleasure of the directors and may at any time be removed with or without cause by the directors.
- 2. The president shall preside at all meetings, have general supervision of the affairs of the Corporation and sign all certificates of stock, deeds, notes, contracts and other instruments of the Corporation, unless otherwise ordered by the board of directors, and perform all such other duties as are incident to his office or are properly required of him by the board of directors.
- 3. A vice-president, if any, shall, in the absence of the president, discharge the functions of his office and perform such other duties as may be assigned to him by the board of directors.
- 4. The secretary shall issue notices of all meetings, keep the minutes, have charge of the corporate seal, books and records, and sign with the president all stock certificates, deeds and other instruments requiring his signature, unless otherwise ordered by the board of directors, shall make such reports and perform such other duties as are incident to his office or are properly required of him by the board of directors.
- 5. The treasurer shall have custody of all funds and securities of the Corporation and shall sign all checks, bonds, notes and other instruments of the Corporation requiring his signature, unless otherwise ordered by the board of directors. The treasurer shall keep correct and complete records of account showing accurately at all times the financial condition of the Corporation. He shall also prepare financial statements to be presented to the stockholders at their annual meeting unless the directors direct some other officer or officers to prepare such statements.

ARTICLE V FISCAL YEAR

The fiscal year of the Corporation shall, unless changed by appropriate resolution of the board of directors, end on the 31st day of December of each year.

ARTICLE VI DEPOSITORY

All funds of the Corporation shall be deposited in its name in some bank or banks situated in Virginia, to be withdrawn only by checks signed by such officers as the directors may from time to time designate.

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ARTICLE VII SEAL

The seal of the Corporation shall be that impressed on the margin hereof.

[SEAL]

ARTICLE VIII AMENDMENT

Any of these By-Laws may be altered, amended or repealed, or any new By-Laws may be adopted, by the affirmative vote of a majority of the whole of the Board of Directors at any meeting

Norman D. Mason, Secretary

Dated

EXHIBIT B

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

Secretary of State **Corporations Section** James K. Polk Building, Suite 1800 Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0306

ISSUANCE DATE: 11/08/1999 REQUEST NUMBER: 993121022

CHARTER/QUALIFICATION DATE: 06/09/1999 STATUS: ACTIVE CORPORATE EXPIRATION DATE: PERPETUAL CONTROL NUMBER: 0372248 JURISDICTION: VIRGINIA

NOWALSKY BRONSTON & GOTHARD AT: S. WEST 3500 N CAUSEWAY METAIRIE, LA 70002

REQUESTED BY: NOWALSKY BRONSTON & GOTHARD AT: S. WEST 3500 N CAUSEWAY METAIRIE, LA 70002

I, RILEY C DARNELL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT "CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC."

WAS INCORPORATED OR QUALIFIED TO DO BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF TENNESSEE ON THE ABOVE DATE, AND THAT THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT(S) WAS/WERE FILED IN OFFICE ON THE DATE(S) AS BELOW INDICATED:

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RILEY C. DARNELL SECRETARY OF STATE

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RILEY C. DARNELL SECRETARY OF STATE

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOR

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To the Secretary of State of the S			65 MM -9 KH
Pursuant to the provisions of S poration hereby applies for a certif pose sets forth	Section 48-25-103 of the Te Teate of authority to trans	ennessee Business Corporation Act, a act business in the State of Tennesse	the Understance cor-
1. The name of the corporation is	CAT Communicati	ions International, Ir	ic.
If different, the name under which	h the certificate of author	rity is to be obtained is	
tion for profit if its name does not	comply with the requirement cate of authority under an	y not issue a certificate of authority tents of Section 48-14-101 of the Tents assumed corporate name, an appli	nessee Business Cor-
2. The state or country under who	se law it is incorporated	ia Virginia	
3. The date of its incorporation is of duration, if other than perpetu		Eual (must be month, day, and y	rear), and the period
4. The complete street address (in	cluding zip code) of its p	rincipal office is 5650 Hollin	s Road
Chan	Roanoke	Virginia State/Country	24019 Zip Code
Street	City	State/Country	
-		se zip code) of its registered office	in this state is
1912 Hayes Street,	City/State	7230 County	Zip Code
The name of its registered agen		C52,	-
National Registered			
f necessary.)		code) of its current officers are: (A	
		ns Rd., Roanoke, VA 24	
		ins Rd., Roanoke, VA 2 Hollins Rd., Roanoke,	
7. The names and complete busine separate sheet if necessary.)	ss addresses (including zi	p code) of its current board of dire	ectors are: (Attach
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Barbara Mason, 5650 Doval Bryant, 5650 H	ollins Rd., Roas	noke, VA 24019	
Patricia Spencer, 56 Joe Clark, 5650 Holl	50 Hollins Rd.,	Roanoke, VA 24019	
8. The corporation is a corporation		•	
9. If the document is not to be ef	fective upon filing by the	: Secretary of State, the delayed eff	ective date/time is
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authenticated by the Secretary of S	State or other official hav . The certificate shall not I	rate of existence (or a document of ing custody of corporate records in bear a date of more than one (1) mo	the state or country
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President Signer's Capacity		Signature	W/100-
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State Corporation Commission

I Certify the Following from the Records of the Commission:

CAT COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC. is a corporation existing under and by virtue of the laws of Virginia, and is in good standing.

The date of incorporation is November 03, 1997.

Nothing more is hereby certified.



Signed and Sealed at Richmond on this Date: May 28, 1999

Joel H. Peck, Clerk of the Commission