

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of)	
ALLIANCE GLOBAL NETWORKS LLC)	
for Certificate of Service Authority to Provide)	
Intrastate Interexchange and Non-Switched)	Case No. XA-2009-0410
Local Exchange Telecommunications)	
Services to the Public within the State of)	
Missouri and for Competitive Classification.)	

**APPLICATION FOR INTEREXCHANGE AND
NON-SWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE AUTHORITY
AND COMPETITIVE CLASSIFICATION**

Comes now ALLIANCE GLOBAL NETWORKS LLC ("Applicant" or "ALLIANCE"), by and through counsel, and pursuant to Sections 392.361, 392.420, 392.430, 392.440 RSMo 1994, Section 392.410 RSMo Supp. 1997, 4 CSR 240-2.060 and 4 CSR 240-3.510, and files this Verified Application requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission (hereinafter "the Commission") issue an order that:

- (a) grants Applicant a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate resold, interexchange and non-switched local exchange telecommunications services, pursuant to Chapter 392 RSMo;
- (b) grants competitive status to Applicant and Applicant's requested services; and
- (c) waives certain Commission rules and statutory provisions pursuant to Sections 392.420 and 392.361 RSMo, consistent with the Commission's past treatment of other certificated providers of competitive telecommunications services.

In support of its request, Applicant states that:

1. Applicant is a foreign limited liability company formed and operating under the laws of the State of Delaware and is duly authorized to transact business in the State of Missouri. The nature of Applicant's business is telecommunications. Applicant's principal place of business is 1221 Post Rd. E., Westport, CT 06880. Pursuant to the relevant

provisions of 4 CSR 240-2.060, a certificate of authority from the Missouri Secretary of State's Office is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as **Appendix A**.

2. All communications, notices, orders and decisions respecting this Application and proceeding should be addressed to:

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Questions concerning Applicant's ongoing operations should be directed to Mr. Crocker at the above address and phone number. Questions regarding Applicant's proposed tariff should be directed to Ms. Young.

3. By this Application, Applicant proposes to provide various types of intrastate interexchange and non-switched private line telecommunications services throughout the state of Missouri on a resold basis. Specifically, Applicant seeks authority to provide a full range of "1+" interexchange services, MTS, out-WATS and in-WATS Services, and where appropriate, non-switched local exchange/private line services. Applicant proposes to provide telecommunications services to both business and residential customers. Applicant combines high quality transmission services with very competitive rates, flexible end user

billing, professional customer service and excellent reporting to create a unique blend, which meets individualized needs of such customers. Applicant will arrange for the traffic of underlying subscribers to be routed directly over the networks of Applicant's network providers.

4. Applicant seeks classification of itself and its services as competitive, with accompanying reduced regulation pursuant to Section 392.361 RSMo and 4 CSR 240-3.510(1)(A). Applicant believes that its proposed services will be subject to sufficient competition to justify a lesser degree of regulation and that granting this request will allow greater price and service options for telephone users.

5. Consistent with the Commission's treatment of other certificated telecommunications companies, Applicant respectfully requests that, pursuant to §392.361.5 and §392.420, RSMo, the following statutes and regulations be waived with respect to its interexchange and non-switched local exchange service offerings:

Statutes

§ 392.210.2	--	Uniform System of Accounts
§ 392.240.1	--	Rates-Rentals-Service & Physical Connections
§ 392.270	--	Valuation of Property (Ratemaking)
§ 392.280	--	Depreciation Accounts
§ 392.290	--	Issuance of Securities
§ 392.300.2	--	Acquisition of Stock
§ 392.310	--	Issuance of Stock and Debt
§ 392.320	--	Stock Dividend Payment
§ 392.330	--	Issuance of Securities, Debts and Notes
§ 392.340	--	Reorganizations

Rules

4 CSR 240-10.020	-- Depreciation Fund Income
4 CSR 240-30.040	-- Uniform System of Accounts

6. Applicant will comply fully with all applicable Commission rules except those that are specifically waived by the Commission pursuant to the Company's request herein. To the extent that the Commission may modify its waiver policies, Applicant respectfully reserves the right to amend its waiver requests accordingly.

7. Applicant acknowledges 4 CSR 240-3.510(1)(C), which requires that a tariff must be filed with the Commission and approved before service can be provided. Applicant will file proposed interexchange and non-switched local exchange tariffs with a forty-five (45) day effective date as soon as possible.

8. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.060 (1) (K), Applicant states that it does not have any pending action or final unsatisfied judgments or decisions against it from any state or federal agency or court which involve customer service or rates, which action, judgment or decision has occurred within three (3) years of the date of this Application.

9. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.060 (1) (L), Applicant states that no Commission annual report or assessment fees are overdue.

10. Applicant is financially capable of providing the services proposed. Applicant also possesses the technical and managerial expertise and experience necessary to provide the services it proposes to offer at standards that will meet or exceed all service standards established by the Commission.

11. Applicant submits that the public interest will be served by Commission approval of this application because Applicant's proposed services will create and enhance

competition and expand customer service options consistent with the legislative goals set forth in the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and Chapter 392 RSMo. Prompt approval of this application also will expand the availability of innovative, high quality, and reliable telecommunications services within the State of Missouri.

WHEREFORE, Applicant, Alliance Global Networks LLC, respectfully requests that the Commission: (1) grant it certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange and non-switched local exchange telecommunications services within the State of Missouri; (2) grant Applicant and its proposed services competitive status; (3) waive the application of the above-referenced statutes and Commission rules; and (4) approve its separately-submitted tariff.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: May 14, 2009

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a copy of this document has been electronically transmitted to the Office of the General Counsel of the Missouri Public Service Commission, and to the Office of Public Counsel, on this 14th day of May 2009.

/s/ William D. Steinmeier

William D. Steinmeier

VERIFICATION

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Mary O'Keeffe, Treasurer for ALLIANCE GLOBAL NETWORKS LLC first being duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that he has read the foregoing Application and verifies that the statements made therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

ALLIANCE GLOBAL NETWORKS LLC

By: Mary O'Keeffe
Mary O'Keeffe
ALLIANCE GLOBAL NETWORKS LLC
Its: Treasurer

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 16 day of October, 2008
by Mary O'Keeffe.

Stuart D Holden
Notary Public:
Commission Expires:
County of Fairfield State CT.

STUART D. HOLDEN
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MAR. 31, 2009

APPENDIX A

Secretary of State Certificate

STATE OF MISSOURI



Robin Carnahan
Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

WHEREAS,

ALLIANCE GLOBAL NETWORKS LLC
FL0921967

Using in Missouri the name

ALLIANCE GLOBAL NETWORKS LLC

and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware has filed with this state its Application for Registration and whereas this Application for Registration conforms to the Missouri Limited Company Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROBIN CARNAHAN, Secretary of State of the State of Missouri, by virtue of authority vested in me by law, do hereby certify and declare that on the 26th day of September, 2008, the above Foreign Limited Liability Company is duly authorized to transact business in the State of Missouri and is entitled to any rights granted Limited Liability Companies.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto
set my hand and cause to be affixed the
GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri.
Done at the City of Jefferson, this
26th day of September, 2008.

Robin Carnahan
Secretary of State

