## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for approval of name change on ALEC Certificate No. 8140 from Star Phone Reconnect Incorporated to Armour E611 Incorporated and for approval of transfer of control from current stockholders to Patricia Mayes.

DOCKET NO. 021203-TX
ORDER NO. PSC-03-0247-PAA-TX
ISSUED: February 20, 2003

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

LILA A. JABER, Chairman J. TERRY DEASON BRAULIO L. BAEZ RUDOLPH "RUDY" BRADLEY CHARLES M. DAVIDSON

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION
ORDER APPROVING TRANSFER OF CONTROL AND
NAME CHANGE ON ALTERNATIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CERTIFICATE

BY THE COMMISSION:

NOTICE is hereby given by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are substantially affected files a petition for a formal proceeding, pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

On December 5, 2002, Star Phone Reconnect Incorporated (Star Phone) and Armour E611 Incorporated (Armour E611) filed with this Commission a joint request for a name change on Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications (ALEC) Certificate No. 8140 from Star Phone to Armour E611 and a transfer of control from current stockholders to Patricia Mayes.

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Star Phone and Armour E611 have complied with Rule 25-24.815, Florida Administrative Code, regarding the transfer of control and name change of ALEC certificates. We find the transfer of control and name change to be in the public interest and, therefore, approve the transfer of control and name change. ALEC Certificate No. 8140 shall be amended to reflect that Armour E611 is the holder of this certificate.

If this Order becomes final and effective, it shall serve as Armour E611's certificate. Armour E611 should, therefore, retain this Order as proof of certification and as evidence of the name change. We are vested with jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Sections 364.335 and 364.345, Florida Statutes.

ALEC providers are subject to Chapter 25-24, Florida Administrative Code, Part XV, Rules Governing Telecommunications Service Provided by Alternative Local Exchange Companies. ALEC providers are also required to comply with all applicable provisions of Chapter 364, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 25-4, Florida Administrative Code.

Pursuant to Section 364.337(2), Florida Statutes, basic telecommunications service provided by an ALEC "... must include access to operator services, "911" services, and relay services for the hearing impaired." Further, Section 364.337(2), requires that an ALEC's "911" service "... shall be provided at a level equivalent to that provided by the local exchange telecommunications company serving the same area."

In addition, under Section 364.336, Florida Statutes, certificate holders must pay a minimum annual Regulatory Assessment Fee (RAFs) of \$50 if the certificate was active during any portion of the calendar year. A RAFs Return notice will be mailed to both Star Phone and Armour E611 for payment by January 30th. Neither the transfer of the certificate nor the failure to receive a RAFs Return notice shall relieve Star Phone and Armour E611 from their obligation to pay RAFs the year 2002.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the request for a name change on Alternative Local Exchange

Telecommunications Certificate No. 8140 from Star Phone Reconnect Incorporated to Armour E611 Incorporated, and the transfer of control from current stockholders to Patricia Mayes, is hereby approved. It is further

ORDERED that Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications Certificate No. 8140 shall be amended to reflect that Armour E611 Incorporated, is the holder of this certificate. It is further

ORDERED that Armour E611 Incorporated's Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications Certificate No. 8140 is subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the body of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that this Order shall serve as Armour E611 Incorporated's certificate and should be retained by Armour E611 Incorporated as proof of certification and as evidence of the name change. It is further

ORDERED that Star Phone Reconnect Incorporated and Armour E611 Incorporated shall remit Regulatory Assessment Fees for the year 2002. It is further

ORDERED that the provisions of this Order, issued as proposed agency action, shall become final and effective upon the issuance of a Consummating Order unless an appropriate petition, in the form provided by Rule 28-106.201, Florida Administrative Code, is received by the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on the date set forth in the "Notice of Further Proceedings" attached hereto. It is further

ORDERED that in the event this Order becomes final, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this <u>20th</u> Day of <u>February</u>, <u>2003</u>.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director

Division of the Commission Clerk

And Administrative Services

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## NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing that is available under Section 120.57, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

The action proposed herein is preliminary in nature. Any person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed by this order may file a petition for a formal proceeding, in the form provided by Rule 28-106.201, Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of

the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on March 13, 2003.

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become final and effective upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

Any objection or protest filed in this/these docket(s) before the issuance date of this order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.