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July 30, 1997

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Communications, Certification and Compliance Section 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0866

Commission:

Thank you for reviewing and considering our Application for Authority to provide

Alternate Local Exchange Service within the State of Florida. The submission of our Application
for review, consideration and Approval, is our pledge to provide fair and competitive services
according to the Florida Statutes, FPSC Rules and Tariff's on file with the Florida Public Service
Commission, also to govern our busineness within the guidelines and directives provisioned by the
Florida Public Service Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

Morris Jarmon, Sr., CEO,

COI-SR

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Enclosure: Non-Refundable, Application Fee, \$250.00

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- This is an application for (check one):
 - (x) Original authority (new company)
 - () Approval of transfer (to another certificated company) <u>Example</u>, a certificated company purchases an existing company and desires to retain the original certificate authority.
 - () Approval of assignment of existing certificate (to a noncertificated company)

 Example. a non-certificated company purchases an existing company and desires to retain the certificate of authority rather than apply for a new certificate.
 - () Approval for transfer of control (to another certificated company) <u>Example</u>, a company purchases 51% of a certificated company. The Commission must approve the new controlling entity.
- 2. Name of applicant: Communication Options Southern Region, Inc. (COI-SR)
- A. National mailing address including street name, number, post office box, city, state, zip code, and phone number.

Communication Options, Inc. (614) 759-4747 5979 Livingston Ave. Columbus, Ohio 43232

B. Florida mailing address including street name, number, post office box, city, state, zip code, and phone number.

COI-SR (850) 769-3631 P.O. Box 3068 Panama City, FL 32401-0068

C. Physical address of alternative local exchange service in Florida including street name, number, post office box, city, zip code and phone number.

COI-SR (850) 769-3631 622 Barton Ave. Panama City, FL 32404-6005

FORM PSC/CMU 8 (07/95) Required by Chapter 364.337 F.S.

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| 4. | Structure of organization: |
| | () Individual (x) Corporation () Foreign Corporation () Foreign Partnership () Limited Partnership () Joint Venture () Other, Please explain |
| | |
| 5. | If incorporated, please provide proof from the Florida Secretary of State that the applicant has authority to operate in Florida. |
| | Corporate charter number: P 97000043149 |
| | |
| 6. | Name under which the applicant will do business (d/b/a): COI-SR |
| 7. | If applicable, please provide proof of fictitious name $(d/b/a)$ registration. |
| | Fictitious name registration number: <u>G 97135900008</u> |
| 8. | If applicant is an individual, partnership, or joint venture, please give name, title and address of each legal entity. |
| | NA |
| 9. | State whether any of the officers, directors, or any of the ten largest stockholders have previously been adjudged bankrupt, mentally incompetent, or found guilty of any felony or of any crime, or whether such actions may result from pending proceedings. If so, please explain. |
| | NO |
| 10. | Please provide the name, title, address, telephone number, internet address, and facsimile number for the person serving as ongoing liaison with the Commission, and if different, the liaison responsible for this application. |
| | Morris Jarmon, Sr., CEO (850) 769-3631 622 Barton Ave. (850) 769-3160 Fax |
| | Please list other states in which the applicant is currently providing or |
| 11. | has applied to provide local exchange or alternative local exchange service. |
| | Georgia, Louisiana |

FORM PSC/CMU 8 (07/95) Required by Chapter 364.337 F.S.

Has the applicant been denied certification in any other state? If so. 12. please list the state and reason for denial.

NO

Have penalties been imposed against the applicant in any other state? If 13. so, please list the state and reason for penalty.

NO

Please indicate how a customer can file a service complaint with your 14. company. (800) 888-9711 COL (800) 333-9967

5979 Livingston Ave.

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Columbus, OH 43232

Panama City, FL 32401-0068

- Please provide all available documentation demonstrating that the 15. applicant has the following capabilities to provide alternative local exchange service in Florida.
 - Financial capability.

Regarding the showing of financial capability, the following applies:

The application should contain the applicant's financial statements for the most recent 3 years, including:

- (Attached) (*hikit A" 1. the balance sheet
- (Attached) (X/2-(a)+7) 2. income statement
- 3. statement of retained earnings. (Attached) (X/1/6/17 /)

Further, a written explanation, which can include supporting documentation, regarding the following should be provided to show financial capability.

- 1. Please provide documentation that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to provide the requested service in the geographic area proposed to be served. (Attached) Exhibit ver
- 2. Please provide documentation that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to maintain the requested service. (Attached)
- 3. Please provide documentation that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to meet its lease or ownership obligations. (Attached)

NOTE: This documentation may include, but is not limited to, financial statements, a projected profit and loss statement, credit references, credit bureau reports, and descriptions of business relationships with financial institutions.

FORM PSC/CMU 8 (07/95) Required by Chapter 364.337 F.S. If available, the financial statements should be audited financial statements.

If the applicant does not have audited financial statements, it shall be so stated. The unaudited financial statements should then be signed by the applicant's chief executive officer and chief financial officer. The signatures should attest that the financial statements are true and correct.

- B. Managerial capability. (Attached) & Yh. L. F. C.

AFFIDAVIT

By my signature below, I, the undersigned officer, attest to the accuracy of the information contained in this application and attached documents and that the applicant has the technical expertise, managerial ability, and financial capability to provide alternative local exchange service in the State of Florida. I have read the foregoing and declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information is true and correct. I attest that I have the authority to sign on behalf of my company and agree to comply, now and in the future, with all applicable Commission rules and orders.

Further, I am aware that pursuant to Chapter 837.06, Florida Statutes, "Whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 and s. 775.083".

| Official: | Danis Symon, S.8. Signature | 07-30-97 Date |
|-----------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Title: | CEO | 850-769-363 Telephone Number |
| Address: | Panama City, FL. 32404-6005 | |

EXHIBIT "A" FINANCIALS

Communication Options, Inc. Profit and Loss

October 1995 through September 1996

| | Oct '95 - Sep '96 |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Ordinary Income/Expense | |
| Income | 2700-345-32020 |
| Balos | 2,881,543,93 |
| Services | -937.22 |
| Total Income | 2,660,606.71 |
| Cost of Goods Sold | |
| Ameritach Centrex | 104,879.82 |
| Long Distance | 2 112,754.20 |
| Long Distance Network | 25,163.10 |
| Pic Disputes | 386.30 |
| Resale Items | 6,556.39 |
| Total COGS | 2,249,739.81 |
| Gross Profit | 630,866.90 |
| Expense | |
| Advertising | 2,793.90 |
| Amortization Expense | 57.60 |
| Automobile Expense | 15.772.47 |
| Collection Agencies | 967 17 |
| Commission | 69.669.62 |
| Depreciation Expense | 13,216.08 |
| Dues and Memberships | 2.134.00 |
| Equipment Rental | 97.042.64 |
| Finance Charge | 5.759.63 |
| Insurance | 25 510 37 |
| Interest Expense | 16.393.78 |
| Licenses and Permits | 1,573.78 |
| Miscellaneous | 2.481.90 |
| Office Supplies | 21,685.77 |
| Payroll Expenses | 222,108.43 |
| Payroll Processing | 1.109.71 |
| Postage and Delivery | 18.826.85 |
| Printing and Reproduction | 2,725.54 |
| Professional Development | 4.000.00 |
| Professional Fees | 38,649.40 |
| Rent | 71.325.60 |
| Repairs | 10.767.24 |
| Taxos | 27, 137, 55 |
| Telephone / Pagers | 23,349.12 |
| Travel & Ent | 2,873.99 |
| Utilities | 334 55 |
| Yotal Expense | 698,457.05 |
| Not Ordinary Income | -67.600 15 |
| Other Income/Exponse | |
| Other Income | |
| Interest Income | 177 60 |
| Other Income | 9.658.92 |
| Total Other Income | 9.836.52 |
| Other Expense | 102000000000000000000000000000000000000 |
| Other Expenses | 149.524.04 |
| Total Other Expense | 149,524,04 |
| Net Other Income | -139,687.52 |
| | |

NOTE: This is an Unaudited Statement:

And is True and Correct.

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-207,287.67

Communication Options, Inc **Profit and Loss**

October 1996 through March 1997

| | Oct '96 - Mar '97 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Ordinary Income/Expense | |
| Income | |
| Sales | 1,346,796,48 |
| Services | -400 86 |
| Total Income | 1,346,395.60 |
| Cost of Goods Sold | |
| Ameritach Centrex | 124,077 11 |
| Long Distance | 783.687 02 |
| Long Distance Network Pic Disputes | 13,632 71 |
| Total COGS | 921.457.51 |
| Gross Profit | |
| | 424,938,09 |
| Expense | |
| Advertising | 3,680.02 |
| Automobile Expense | 3,758.34 |
| Collection Agencies | 338.96 |
| Commission | 47,209.00 |
| Depreciation Expense | 5,265.00 |
| Dues and Memberships | 2,417.61 |
| Equipment Rental | 53,677.69 |
| Finance Charge | 258.82 |
| Insurance | 16,003.86 |
| Interest Expense | 43,651.17 |
| Licenses and Permits | 1,212.57 |
| Miscellaneous | 1.459.34 |
| Office Supplies | 13,884 14 |
| Payroil Expenses | 105,789 71 |
| Payrell Proceesing | 1,001.26 |
| Poetage and Delivery | 10.033.92 |
| Printing and Reproduction | 63 50 |
| Professional Fees | 19 893 50 |
| Rent | 27,773 17 |
| Repairs | 6,093.86 |
| Taxos | 14 788 35 |
| Telephone / Pagers | 7,157 73 |
| Travel & Ent | 2.135.16 |
| Utilities | 210.37 |
| Total Expense | 387.755.07 |
| Net Ordinary Income | 37,183.02 |
| Other Income/Expense | |
| Other Income | |
| Interest Income | 72 17 |
| Other Income | 132,703.68 |
| Total Other Income | 132,778.08 |
| Other Expense | |
| Other Expenses | 1,497 35 |
| Total Other Expense | 1.497.35 |
| det Other Income | 131,278.70 |
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Balance Sheet As of September 30, 1996

NOTE: This is an Unaudited Statement, And is True and Correct.

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Communication Options, Inc. Balance Sheet As of March 31, 1997

Mar 31, '97 **ASSETS Current Assets** Checking/Savings Star Bank Checking2 6.659.25 Star Bank Checking3 20 022 66 Star Bank Savings 14.812.79 Total Checking/Savings 41,724.71 Accounts Receivable Accounts Receivable 1,428,085.58 Allowance for Bad Debts -8.612.12 **Total Accounts Receivable** 1,419,473.46 Other Current Assets Inter - Co - COI Business 1,778.40 Pregald Commission 88,331.00 **Total Other Current Assets** 90,109.40 **Total Current Appets** 1,551,307.57 **Fixed Assets** Dialers Dialers - Accum Depr 17,787.99 -10,144.66 Office Equipment 13,582,12 Office Equipment - Accum Depr -13,582.12 **Total Fixed Assets** 7,643.33 Other Assets Deposits & Prepaid 27,116.75 Intangibles 25,434.26 3.750.00 Investments 2,000.00 **Total Other Assets** 58,301.01 TOTAL ASSETS 1,617,251.91 LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liebilities **Current Liabilities** Accounts Payable Accounts Payable 1,376,002.42 **Total Accounts Psyable** 1.376.002.42 Other Current Liabilities Accrued Interest Expense 4,570.32 Accrued Payroll 5.775.00 Current Note Payable 250,020,00 **Customer Deposits** 490.00 Federal Excise Tax 1,538,16 Loan -200 00 Long Distance W/H 996.05 Payable - JE -182,703.88 State Tax 227.24 **Tax Releted Liabilities** 22,710.95 **Total Other Current Liabilities** 103,423,84 **Total Current Liebilities** 1,479,426.26 Long Term Liabilities #1 Jack Oberfield #1 Jeffery James #1 Ralph Williamson 34,391.43 21,528.45 21,267.47 Brookhaven Investments, LTD 672,307.70 Shareholder Loans 87,131.49

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Communication Options, Inc. Balance Sheet As of March 31, 1997

Total Liabilities 2.316.050.60

Equity
Capital Stock 55,000.00
Retained Earnings 952.280.61
Net Income 168,461.72

Total Equity -596,796.69

TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY 1,617,251.91

NOTE: This is an Unaudited Statement: And is True and Correct.

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Communication Options, Inc Balance Sheet As of September 30, 1996

Sep 30, '96

| | Sep 30, '96 |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------|
| ASSETS | |
| Current Assets | |
| Checking/Savings | |
| Star Bank Checking | 8.274 10 |
| Star Bank Checking2 | 25.326 51 |
| Star Bank Checking3 | 14,688 98 |
| Star Bank Savings | 6,466,52 |
| Total Checking/Savings | 54,956.11 |
| Accounts Receivable | |
| Accounts Receivable | 1,088,701.19 |
| Allowence for Bad Debts | -8.612.12 |
| .Total Accounts Receivable | 1,080,089,07 |
| Other Current Assets | |
| Inter - Co - COI Business | -700.00 |
| Prepaid Commission | 19,999.00 |
| | |
| Total Other Current Assets | 19,299 00 |
| Total Current Assets | 1,154,344 18 |
| Fixed Assets | |
| Dialora | 17,787.99 |
| Dialers - Accum Depr | -8.099 66 |
| Office Equipment | 13.582.12 |
| Office Equipment - Accum Depr | -13,582 12 |
| Total Fixed Assets | 9.668.33 |
| Other Assets | |
| Deposits & Prepaid | 27.116.75 |
| Intengibles | 28,654.26 |
| Inventory | 3,750.00 |
| krvestments | 2,000.00 |
| Total Other Assets | 61,521.01 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 1,225,553.52 |
| LIABILITIES & EQUITY | |
| Liabilities | |
| Current Liabilities | |
| Accounts Payable | |
| Accounts Payable | 1,725,275 61 |
| Total Accounts Payable | 1,725,275 61 |
| Other Current Liabilities | |
| Accrued Interest Expense | 1477.00 |
| Accrued Payroll | 5,477.00 |
| Current Note Payable | 6,630.86 |
| Customer Deposits | 10.020.00 |
| Federal Excise Tax | 490 00 |
| Loan | 8.664.96 |
| Long Distance WifH | -540.00 |
| Tax Related Liabilities | 684.97 9.227.52 |
| Total Other Current Liebilities | 40,655.31 |
| | |
| Total Current Liabilities | 1.765,930.92 |
| Long Term Liabilities | |
| #1 Jack Oberfield | 36.257.39 |
| 61 Jeffory James 61 Ralph Williamson | 23,975.86 |
| MCI Telecommunications | 23.975.86 |
| Shareholder Loans | 131,893.18 |
| | 108,780.92 |
| Total Long Term Liabilities | 326,863.21 |

Total Liabilities

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COMMUNICATION OPTIONS, INC. STATEMENT OF RETAINED EARNINGS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1995

| Retained Earnings, beginning | \$ | (301,170.44) |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Net Loss | | Walan 1992 (1993) |
| | 123 | (270,055.26) |
| Retained Earnings, ending | \$ | (571,225.70) |
| | •• | |
| | | |
| Paid in Capital, beginning | s | 44,939.00 |
| Contribution By Shawn McCormick | | 84,000.00 |
| Return of Contribution | | (4,000.00) |
| Paid in Capital, ending | ••• | 124,939.00 |
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NOTE: This is an Unaudited Statement: And is True and Correct.

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COMMUNICATION OPTIONS, INC. BALANCE SHEET AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 1995 ACCIUAL BASIS

ASSETS

| Current Assets | | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Checking Account Savings Account Petty Cash Accounts Receivable Allowance for Bad Debt | 359,979.61 (8,612.12 | 40,648.65 14,674.31 0.00 351,367.49 |
| Total Current Assets | | 406,690.45 |
| Fixed Assets Various Office Equipment Accumulated Depreciation Dialers Accumulated Depreciation | 55.346.59 (22,316.04 16.095.09 (4,542.06 | 11.553.03 |
| Intangibles Organizational Costs (Net) Accumulated Depreciation Connections and Network Accumulated Amortization | 1,329.00 (1,271.20 48,292.30 (9,979.58 | 38,370.52 |
| Other Assets Deposits and Prepaid Inventory | 27,116.75 3,750.00 | |
| TOTAL ASSETS | | 520,511.30 |
| LIABILITIES | | |
| Current Liabilities Accounts Payable Customer Deposits Payroll Related | 535,639.29 16,692.44 13,439.41 | 565,771.14 |
| Long Term Liabilities Notes Payable Jeff James Ralph Williamson Jack Oberfield MCI Loan Independence Telephone Company | 31,222.93 32,315.27 44,006.10 167,377.73 50,000.00 | 324,922.03 |
| Shareholder Loans Shawn McCormick Voice & Data, Inc. Winfree Enterprises, Inc. Voice Net, Inc. | 29,855.32 4,200.00 901.66 1,086.85 | 36,043.83 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | | 926,737.00 |
| SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY Common Stock (no par value) -750 shares authorized, 601 shares outsta | anding | 40,061.00 |
| Paid-in-Capital | 2 | 124,939.00 |
| Retained Earnings Prior Retained Earnings Current Years Earnings | (301,170,44) (270,055,26) | (571, 225, 70) |
| TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY | | (406, 225.70) |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY | , | 520,511.30 |

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1995 ACCRUAL BASIS

| INCOME | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Long Distance Sales | 1,827,327.25 |
| Telephone Equipment Sales | 38,813.27 |
| Miscellanoues Income | 180.65 |
| | |
| TOTAL INCOME COST OF SALES | 1,866,321.1 |
| COST OF SALES | |
| Commissions - | 31,019.35 |
| Centrex Office Charges | 7,078.15 |
| Leases | 116,056.27 |
| Long Distance Costs | 1,569,805.83 |
| Telephone Equipment | 32,797.33 |
| | ************* |
| TOTAL COST OF SALES | 1,756,756.93 |
| | ******** |
| GROSS PROFIT | 109,564.24 |
| | |
| GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENS | ES |
| Advertising | 530.82 |
| Amortization | 3,392.88 |
| Education | 2,614.34 |
| Dues and Memberships | 3,004.75 |
| Depreciation | 6,134.56 |
| Gifts | 627.53 |
| Insurance | 15,494.56 |
| Interest | 12,164.07 |
| Office Expense | 10,043.42 |
| Office Supplies | 22,365.76 |
| Permits and Licenses | 212.98 |
| Professional Fees | 45,076.21 |
| Rent | 15,557.62 |
| Repairs and Maintenance | 1,956.05 |
| Salaries | 191,626.88 |
| Taxes-Payroll | 18,014.57 |
| Taxes-Other | 4,851.29 |
| Telephone | 15,250.84 |
| Travel | 2,454.96 |
| Utilities | 91.68 |
| Vehicle Expenses | 8,153,73 |
| TOTAL GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE E | EXPENSES 379,619.50 |
| | 373,013.30 |
| NET (LOSS) BEFORE CITY INCOME TAX | (270,055.26) |
| CITY INCOME TAX AT ONE PERCENT | 0.00 |
| NET (LOSS) | |
| NET (LOSS) | (270,055.26) |
| | ********** |

EXHIBIT "B"

(Addendum to Application)

FINANCIAL CAPABILITIY and REFERENCES

EXHIBIT "B"

Application Addendum:

Page 4. Number 15 continued:

- 15.A.1. Re: Financial capability to provide the requested service in the geographic area proposed to be served. COI the "Applicant", is financially qualified to provide resold telecommunication services in the State of Florida. Applicant, has the funding relationships in place for financing (if necessary), and to conduct its telecommunications business in florida according to the Florida Statutes, and its tariffs on file with the Florida Public Service Commission.
- 15.A.2. Re: Financial capability to maintain the requested services COI, the "Applicant", has established banking and other financial relationships (including accounts receivable funding, if necessary) all are positioned to support Applicants, funding requirements throughout the Continental United States
- 15.A.3. Re: Financial capability to meet its lease or ownership obligations. Any Applicant's leased equipment, is prepaid in advance. Applicant has its own in-house, manufacturer trained and cross-trained technicians. All leased and/or owned equipment is thoroughly maintained by the scheduled Inspection, Test, Repair/Replacement method. This procedure aids in keeping equipment in outstanding working order while controlling upkeep costs. Applicant has established outstanding relationships with manufacturers and suppliers, who is standing by and will assist with any equipment requirement, (leased or owned), Applicant identify or that may develop. Applicant's capability to meet its lease/ownership obligations are excellent.

Credit and Bank References:

Star Bank, Columbus, Ohio

Seimens Stromberg-Carlson

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EXHIBIT "C" MANAGEMENT and TECHNICAL CAPABILITY

BIOGRAPHIES AND MANAGEMENT

Mr. Morris Jarmon, Sr., is Chief Executive Officer of Communication Options Southern Region, Inc.

He is Retired military with twenty three years active duty, most of those years as an Instructor for On-The-Job-Training, earning countless Awards and Commendations to his credit. A Vietnam War Veteran, upon retiring Mr. Jarmon entered the Real Estate and Construction business.

As a Real Estate Broker and Licensed contractor, his main focus is the development, marketing and financing of affordable housing. He is currently the Broker and President of Ja-Mar Real Estate.

Mr. Jarmon entered telecommunications business 1989, with an interest in marketing

He completed numerous military Leadership and Management Schools, also attended Boston

College of Accounting and Commerce.

Minister Robert L. Davis is Secretary - Treasurer and Chaplain of Communication Options

Southern Region, Inc.

Min. Davis has extensive experience in corporate accounting and management. He was

Assistant Administrator of Weems Hospital, prior to acquiring. Davis Accounting, Inc.

Min. Davis is the Associate Pastor and Dean of the Bible Institute at Love Center Holiness Church of the Living God, Inc. and a volunteer Chaplain for Franklin County Work Camps

Min. Davis received his degree in accounting, management and economics from Florida

A&M University...

BIO'S & MGMT. cont'd.

Mr. Stephen K. Vogelmeier, Vice president of Communication Options Southern Region,

Inc. and is responsible for the negotiation of resale agreements with underlying carriers

Mr. Vogelmeier is President and Chairman of Communication Options, Inc. Northern

Region. After years of employment with Western Electric a division of AT&T, Mr. Vogelmeier

decided expand his education in the area of Electronic Engineering, with focus on design and

circuit engineering. During 1970 to 1990 Mr. Vogelmeier attended college, designed, engineered,

developed and managed telecommunication entities as an interpurner with and for others

November 1990 Mr. Vogelmeier started Communication Options.

Mr. Vogelmeier's higher education includes Electronic Engineering at Ohio State University and Electronic Design and Circuitry Technology from Central Ohio Technical College

Mr Ronald R. Jarmon, is COI-S.R.'s Senior Manager of Central Office Systems: Including, but not limited to, DCO Main Frames (Stromberg-Carlson Switches, maintenance and repair), telephones (installations and/or repair), PBX/Centrex Switches (installation, maintenance, repair), and the connectivity, trouble shooting, repair and/or replacement of all Communication Options Southern Region, Inc. owned and /or controlled facilities

Mr Jarmon, graduated Rutherford High School in 1974. Entered Gulf Coast Community

College where his studies included Business and Electronics. Mr Jarmon enlisted in the U.S. Army,
in 1976 where he received his training in the field of telecommunications. After his Army tour in
1980, Mr. Jarmon was employed by RCA Telecommunications where he served as site manager for
RCA and Baylor College of Medicine until 1991. When Mr. Jarmon decided to enhance his
knowledge and skill relating to DCO switching systems and components. Hence he enrolled at the
Stromberg-Carlson Manufacturers School, of which he is a graduate.

Mr. Jarmon holds a Private Pilot License, and is currently studying for his multi-engine instrument rating.

BIO'S & MGMT. Atd.

Mr. Shawn McCormick is Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of Communication

Options Southern Region, Inc. and is responsible for strategic and operational planning, mergers, acquisitions, market analysis and financial issues. Mr. McCormick has started, built and sold several companies during his business career. From 1985 to 1990, he started and operated Collett Propane a retail and whole sale distribution company. This Company was sold in 1990. After which Mr. McCormick entered the field of telecommunications and became certified as a Design Engineer for Voice Memo II from the Centagram Corporation, after certification Mr. McCormick started Voice Net, Inc., specializing in voice platforms, voice processing and business systems. This company was sold in 1993.

Mr. McCormick received his degree from Wright State University

Mr Perry J. Moody, Controller and Board Member, received his degree in accounting, management and economics from the University of Nebraska. He has extensive experience in industrial and private accounting and management. Mr. Moody's main focus at Communication Options Southern Region, Inc. is the consolidation of accounting functions and developing a costing system for all company products