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March 13, 2001

Division of Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
Capital Circle Office Center
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

RE: Docket No. 010108-TC

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed please find the certificate of authority to transact business in Florida granted to Cincinnati Bell Public Communications Inc. ("CBPC") by the Florida Department of State. The certificate had not yet been obtained when CBPC filed its application for a certificate to provide pay telephone service with the Commission on January 24, 2001. The certificate is being filed at this time to complete CBPC's application.

If you have any questions concerning the application or if there is other information that needs to be provided, please call me at (513) 397-7260.

Sincerely,

Jouett Kinney
Regulatory Analyst

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Katherine Harris
Secretary of State

March 6, 2001

MEGALE WHALEY
201 EAST 4TH STREET, STE 102-620
CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Qualification documents for CINCINNATI BELL PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS INC. were filed on March 6, 2001 and assigned document number F01000001237. Please refer to this number whenever corresponding with this office.

Your corporation is now qualified and authorized to transact business in Florida as of the file date.

The certification you requested is enclosed.

A corporation annual report/uniform business report will be due this office between January 1 and May 1 of the year following the calendar year of the file date. A Federal Employer Identification (FEI) number will be required before this report can be filed. If you do not already have an FEI number, please apply NOW with the Internal Revenue by calling 1-800-829-3676 and requesting form SS-4.

Please be aware if the corporate address changes, it is the responsibility of the corporation to notify this office.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please telephone (850) 487-6051, the Foreign Qualification/Tax Lien Section.

Michael Mays
Document Specialist
Division of Corporations

Letter Number: 101A00013436

State of Florida



Department of State

I certify from the records of this office that CINCINNATI BELL PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS INC., is a corporation organized under the laws of Ohio, authorized to transact business in the State of Florida, qualified on March 6, 2001.

The document number of this corporation is F01000001237.

I further certify that said corporation has paid all fees due this office through December 31, 2001, and its status is active.

I further certify that said corporation has not filed a Certificate of Withdrawal.

Given under my hand and the
Great Seal of the State of Florida
at Tallahassee, the Capitol, this the
Sixth day of March, 2001



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Secretary of State

State of Florida



Department of State

I certify the attached is a true and correct copy of the application by CINCINNATI BELL PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS INC., an Ohio corporation, authorized to transact business within the State of Florida on March 6, 2001 as shown by the records of this office.

The document number of this corporation is F01000001237.



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Cincinnati Bell Public Communications Inc.
(Name of corporation - must include suffix)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Megale Whaley
(Name of Person)
Broadwing Inc.
(Firm/Company)
201 East Fourth Street, Suite 102-620
(Address)
Cincinnati Ohio 45202
(City/State and Zip code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Megale Whaley at (513) 397-0750
(Name of Person) (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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STREET ADDRESS:
Registration Section
Division of Corporations
409 E. Gaines St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399

MAILING ADDRESS:
Registration Section
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

- \$70.00 Filing Fee
- \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status
- \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy
- \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. Cincinnati Bell Public Communications Inc. (Name of corporation; must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)

2. OHIO (State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) 3. 31-1704789 (FEI number, if applicable)

4. August 16, 1999 (Date of incorporation) 5. perpetual (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. upon qualification (Date first transacted business in Florida. If corporation has not transacted business in Florida, insert "upon qualification.") (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)

7. 201 East Fourth Street, Suite 102-715, Cincinnati OH 45202 (Principal office address)

201 East Fourth Street, Suite 102-715, Cincinnati OH 45202 (Current mailing address)

8. Telecommunications/Public Telephones (Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)

9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)

Name: CT Corporation System Office Address: 1200 South Pine Island Road Plantation, Florida 33324 (City) (Zip code)

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10. Registered agent's acceptance: Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

[Handwritten Signature] (Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated; not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

12. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: _____

Address: _____

Vice Chairman: _____

Address: _____

Director: Richard G. Ellenberger

Address: 201 East Fourth Street

Cincinnati OH 45202

Director: _____

Address: _____

B. OFFICERS

President: Richard S. Pontin

Address: 1122 Capital of Texas Highway South

Austin, TX 78746

Vice President: _____

Address: _____


Secretary: Thomas E. Taylor

Address: 201 East Fourth Street, Suite 102-715, Cincinnati OH 45202

Treasurer: Mark W. Peterson

Address: 201 East Fourth Street, Suite 102-800, Cincinnati OH 45202

NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13.  _____
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Thomas E. Taylor, Secretary

(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF OHIO,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.



I, J. Kenneth Blackwell, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign corporations; that said records show CINCINNATI BELL PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS INC., an Ohio corporation, Charter No. 1093757, having its principal location in August 16, 1999 and is currently in GOOD STANDING upon the records of this office.



WITNESS my hand and official seal at

Columbus, Ohio on

January 31, 2001

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J. Kenneth Blackwell
Secretary of State