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Blanco Bayo Director Division of Records and Reporting 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0866

Re: Notice of Corporate Name Change for Advanced TelCom Group, Inc.

Dear Blanco Bayo:

This letter serves to notify the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") of a corporate name change for the company known as "Advanced TelCom Group, Inc." Advanced TelCom Group, Inc. has a certificate of authority in this name in the state of Florida to operate as an interexchange and competitive local exchange telecommunications services company.

Pursuant to discussion with Ms. Toni McCoy, we understand that the Commission requires a letter of notification to inform the Commission of the name change and the use of a fictitious name. This letter is intended to fully satisfy these regulatory requirements.

Advanced TelCom Group, Inc. received approval from the Secretary of State in Florida on December 11, 2000, to change its name to "Advanced TelCom, Inc." Advanced TelCom, Inc. has also received approval from the Secretary of State to register the name "Advanced TelCom of Florida, Inc.," as a fictitious name. Copies of the certificates of approval from the Secretary of State are attached to this letter as proof of these actions.

The name change is the only corporate name change to report. No other changes to either the corporate or financial organization of the company have occurred.

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Reasons for the Corporate Name Change

The company known as Advanced TelCom Group, Inc. is an operating company of a Delaware corporation formerly known as "ATG Group, Inc." On June 16, 2000, ATG Group, Inc. received approval from the Office of the Secretary of State in Delaware to change its name to "Advanced TelCom Group, Inc." The Delaware corporation sought and received authority to change its name in preparation for a planned public offering of stock.

Since the name "Advanced TelCom Group, Inc." has been used in the nationwide market by the operating companies, this name has public recognition. Consequently, the Delaware corporation legally adopted the name "Advanced TelCom Group, Inc." in order to issue stock in a publicly recognized name.

Since the Delaware corporation assumed the legal name of the operating company in Florida, a legal name change is also necessary for the certificated, operating company. Consequently, the operating company in Florida sought and received approval to change its name from "Advanced TelCom Group, Inc." to "Advanced TelCom, Inc." and to register the fictitious name of "Advanced TelCom of Florida, Inc."

Please update the Commission's records as appropriate. Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping and returning the extra copy of this letter of notice in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for this purpose.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosures

cc: Kath Thomas



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

December 11, 2000

CT Corporation System 660 East Jefferson St. Tallahassee, FL 32301

Re: Document Number F99000002193

The Amendment to the Application of a Foreign Corporation for ADVANCED TELCOM GROUP, INC. which changed its name to ADVANCED TELCOM, INC. doing business in Florida as ADVANCED TELCOM OF DELAWARE INC., a Delaware corporation authorized to transact business in Florida, was filed on December 11, 2000.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please telephone (850) 487-6050, the Amendment Filing Section.

Annette Ramsey Corporate Specialist Division of Corporation

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Letter Number: 700A00062470

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

SECTION I (1-3 must be completed)

1. Advanced TelCom Group, Inc. (Document No. F99-000002193)

Name of corporation as it appears within the records of the Department of State.

2. Incorporated under laws of: Delaware

3. Date authorized to do business in Florida: 4/28/99

SECTION II (4-7 complete only the applicable changes)

4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation?

June 15, 2000

5. Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation," "company," "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation:

Advanced TelCom, Inc.

6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration.

No change

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Signature Name and Title Thomas A. Grina, Senior VP & CFO

July , 2000

Date

State of Delaware Office of the Secretary of State

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Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION:

DATE:

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CERTIFIED COPY OF CONSENT RESOLUTIONS

CORPORATION ADOPTING AN ASSUMED NAME FOR USE IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

I, the undersigned secretary, do hereby certify that the following is a true, complete and correct copy of a certain resolution of the Board of Directors of Advanced TelCom, Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Corporation"), which resolution was duly adopted by said Board on September <u>20</u>, 2000, pursuant to Section 141 of the General Corporation: and that the said resolution has not been rescinded or modified:

RESOLVED, that Advanced TelCom, Inc. organized and existing in the State of Delaware, hereby adopts the name "Advanced TelCom of Florida, Inc." for use in the State of Florida for all purposes; and further resolved that the officers of the corporation are authorized and directed to take all steps that they deem necessary and appropriate to qualify the corporation to do business within the State of Florida under the name of "Advanced TelCom of Florida, Inc."

Dated: October 11, 2000

Clifford G. Budolph, Secretary

STATE OF CALIFORNIA) ,) ss. County of Sonoma)

I, Leanne E. Sperry, a notary public, do hereby certify that on this 11th day of October, 2000, Clifford G. Rudolph personally appeared before me, who being by me first duly sworn, declared that he is the Secretary of Advanced TelCom, Inc., that he signed the foregoing document as Secretary of the corporation, and that the statements therein contained are true.



Notary Public for California 0 My commission expires: 12-30-03

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Public Service Commission

March 27, 2001

Traci A. Grundon, Attorney Davis Wright Tremaine LLP 1300 SW Fifth Avenue, Suite 2300 Portland, Oregon 97201-5682

Re: Docket No. 010361-TP

Dear Ms. Grundon:

This will acknowledge receipt of a request for name change on ALEC Certificate No. 7437 and IXC Certificate No. 7436 from Advanced TelCom Group, Inc. to Advanced TelCom, Inc. d/b/a Advanced TelCom of Delaware Inc., which was filed in this office on March 26, 2001 and assigned the above-referenced docket number. Appropriate staff members will be advised.

Mediation may be available to resolve any dispute in this docket. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to an administrative hearing. For more information, contact the Office of General Counsel at (850) 413-6248 or FAX (850) 413-7180.

Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission