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March 8, 2002

Via Overnight Delivery

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Administration 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

RE: WS Telecom, Inc. d/b/a eXpeTel Communications

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find an original and six (6) copies of Application Form for authority to provide alternative local exchange telecommunications service within the State of Florida, submitted on behalf of WS Telecom, Inc. d/b/a eXpeTel Communications. Also enclosed is the requisite \$250.00 filing fee.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by returning a date stamped copy of this letter in the self-addressed envelope provided.

Thank you for your assistance. Please call with any questions.

Monica Borne Haab

Sincerely

Enclosure

** FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION **

DIVISION OF REGULATORY OVERSIGHT CERTIFICATION SECTION

APPLICATION FORM

for

AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE ALTERNATIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE WITHIN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

<u>Instructions</u>

- This form is used as an application for an original certificate and for approval of the assignment or transfer of an existing certificate. In the case of an assignment or transfer, the information provided shall be for the assignee or transferee (See Page 12).
- Print or type all responses to each item requested in the application and appendices. If an item is not applicable, please explain why.
- Use a separate sheet for each answer which will not fit the allotted space.
- ♦ Once completed, submit the original and six (6) copies of this form along with a non-refundable application fee of \$250.00 to:

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Records and Reporting 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 (850) 413-6770

♦ If you have questions about completing the form, contact:

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Regulatory Oversight Certification Section 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 (850) 413-6480

APPLICATION

1.	This is an application for √ (check one):				
	(✓)	Original certificate (new company).		
	()	Approval of transfer of existing certificate: Example, a non-certificated company purchases an existing company and desires to retain the original certificate of authority.		
	()	Approval of assignment of existing certificate: Example, a certificated company purchases an existing company and desires to retain the certificate of authority of that company.		
	()	Approval of transfer of control: Example, a company purchases 51% of a certificated company. The Commission must approve the new controlling entity.		
2.	Na	me	e of company:		
		WS	S Telecom, Inc.		
3.	. Name under which the applicant will do business (fictitious name, etc.):				
	<u>d/</u> l	b/a	eXpeTel Communications		
4.	Official mailing address (including street name & number, post office box, cit state, zip code):				
			506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405 Iowood, Mississippi 39232		

None.	
S. Structure of organization:	
) Individual✓) Foreign Corporation) General Partnership) Other	() Corporation() Foreign Partnership() Limited Partnership
f individual, provide:	
Name:	
Title:	
Address:	
	Fax No.:
Internet E-Mail Address:	
Internet Website Address:	
lf incorporated in Florida, provid	le proof of authority to operate in Florid
(a) The Florida Secretary of S	State corporate registration number:

9.	Exhibit A.					
	(a) The Florida Secretary of State corporate registration number:					
	F01000006171					
10.	If using fictitious name-d/b/a, provide proof of compliance with fictitious name statute (Chapter 865.09, FS) to operate in Florida:					
	(a) The Florida Secretary of State fictitious name registration number: G02002800088					
11.	If a limited liability partnership, provide proof of registration to operate in Florida:					
	(a) The Florida Secretary of State registration number:					
12.	If a partnership, provide name, title and address of all partners and a copy of the partnership agreement. Name:					
	Title:					
	Address:					
	City/State/Zip:					
	Telephone No.: Fax No.:					
	Internet E-Mail Address:					
	Internet Website Address:					
13.	If a foreign limited partnership, provide proof of compliance with the foreign limited partnership statute (Chapter 620.169, FS), if applicable.					
	(a) The Florida registration number:					
14	Provide F.E.I. Number(if applicable): 64-0937496					

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15.	Indicate if any of the officers, directors, or any of the ten largest stockholders have previously been:
	(a) adjudged bankrupt, mentally incompetent, or found guilty of any felony or of any crime, or whether such actions may result from pending proceedings. <u>Provide explanation.</u>
	No.
	(b) an officer, director, partner or stockholder in any other Florida certificated telephone company. If yes, give name of company and relationship. If no longer associated with company, give reason why not.
	No.
16.	Who will serve as liaison to the Commission with regard to the following? (a) The application:
	Name: Monica Borne Haab Title: Attorney for Applicant Address: 3500 N. Causeway Blvd., Suite 1442 City/State/Zip: Metairie, Louisiana 70002
	Telephone No.: (504) 832-1984 Fax No.: (504) 831-0892 Internet E-Mail Address: mborne@nbglaw.com Internet Website Address:

	Official point of contact for the ongoing operations of the company.
Nam	e:Wade Spooner
	:President
Addi	ress: 2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405
City	State/Zip: Flowood, Mississippi 39232
l ele	phone No.: <u>(601) 664-1008</u> Fax No.: <u>(601) 664-1190</u>
	net E-Mail Address: wspooner@expetel.com
Inter	net Website Address:
(c)	Complaints/Inquiries from customers:
	ne: Dolly Carter
Title	: Senior Manager, Customer Service
Add	ress: 2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405
City	/State/Zip:Flowood, Mississippi 39232
	ephone No.: <u>(601) 664-1008</u> Fax No.: <u>(601) 664-1190</u>
	net E-Mail Address:
Inte	rnet Website Address:
	the states in which the applicant:
(a)	
	Mississippi
(b)	has applications pending to be certificated as an alternative local exchange company.
.,	Alabama and Louisiana.
(c)	is certificated to operate as an alternative local exchange company.
******	Mississippi
(d)	has been denied authority to operate as an alternative local exchange company and the circumstances involved.
	None.
(e)	has had regulatory penalties imposed for violations of telecommunications statutes and the circumstances involved. None.

(f)	has been involved in civil court proceedings with an interexchange carrier local exchange company or other telecommunications entity, and the circumstances involved.
	None.

18. Submit the following:

- A. Managerial capability: give resumes of employees/officers of the company that would indicate sufficient managerial experiences of each.

 Exhibit B.
- B. Technical capability: give resumes of employees/officers of the company that would indicate sufficient technical experiences or indicate what company has been contracted to conduct technical maintenance.

Exhibit C.

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C. Financial capability.

See Exhibit D.

The application <u>should contain</u> the applicant's audited financial statements for the most recent 3 years. If the applicant does not have audited financial statements, it shall so be stated.

The unaudited financial statements should be signed by the applicant's chief executive officer and chief financial officer affirming that the financial statements are true and correct and should include:

- 1. the balance sheet:
- 2. income statement; and
- 3. statement of retained earnings.

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.

Further, the following (which includes supporting documentation) should be provided:

- 1. <u>written explanation</u> that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to provide the requested service in the geographic area proposed to be served.
- 2. <u>written explanation</u> that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to maintain the requested service.
- 3. <u>written explanation</u> that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to meet its lease or ownership obligations.

THIS PAGE MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED

APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGMENT STATEMENT

- 1. REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEE: I understand that all telephone companies must pay a regulatory assessment fee in the amount of .15 of one percent of gross operating revenue derived from intrastate business. Regardless of the gross operating revenue of a company, a minimum annual assessment fee of \$50 is required.
- 2. GROSS RECEIPTS TAX: I understand that all telephone companies must pay a gross receipts tax of two and one-half percent on all intra and interstate business.
- 3. SALES TAX: I understand that a seven percent sales tax must be paid on intra and interstate revenues.
- **4. APPLICATION FEE:** I understand that a non-refundable application fee of \$250.00 must be submitted with the application.

<u>UTILITY (</u>	<u>DFFICIAL:</u>		
Wade S	Spooner	Signature 11/20/0/	
Presiden Title	<u>it</u>	///20/0/ Date	
(601) 66 Telephone		(601) 664-1190 Fax No.	_
Address:_	2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405 Flowood, Mississippi 39232		
-	Flowdod, Mississippi 39232		
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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 company 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."

UTILITY (<u>DEFICIAL:</u>	,	
Wade Spoo	pner	Wale for Signature	
Print Name)	Signature	
Presiden	t	11/20/01	
Title		Date	
(601) 664		(601) 664-1190	
Telephone	No.	Fax No.	
Address:_	2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405		
_	Flowood, Mississippi 39232		
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INTRASTATE NETWORK (if available)

Chapter 25-24.825 (5), Florida Administrative Code, requires the company to make available to staff the alternative local exchange service areas only upon request.

POP: Addresses 1)	where located, and indicate if owned or leased
3)	
SWITCHES: Add owned or leased.	lress where located, by type of switch, and indicate
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TRANSMISSION (microwave, fiber,	FACILITIES: POP-to-POP facilities by type of facilitic copper, satellite, etc.) and indicate if owned or leased
POP-to-POP	<u>OWNERSHIP</u>
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CERTIFICATE SALE, TRANSFER, OR ASSIGNMENT STATEMENT

<u>l, </u>	(Name)	
(Ti	itle)	of (Name of Company)
an	d current holder of Florida Public Serv , have reviewed this a	vice Commission Certificate Number #pplication and join in the petitioner's request for a:
() sale	
() transfer	
() assignment	
of	the above-mentioned certificate.	
<u>U</u> -	TILITY OFFICIAL:	
Pr	int Name	Signature
Tit	tle	Date
Te	elephone No.	Fax No.
Ac	ddress:	
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EXHIBIT A

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION AND CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY



Bepartment of State

I certify from the records of this office that WS TELECOM, INC., is a corporation organized under the laws of Mississippi, authorized to transact business in the State of Florida, qualified on November 30, 2001.

The document number of this corporation is F01000006171.

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 Fourth day of December, 2001



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Katherine Harris

Secretary of State



TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: Registration Section Division of Corporations	400047004540 -11/30/0101057005 *****78.75 ******78.75
SUBJECT: WS TELECOM, INC.	10.10
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Dear Sir or Madam:	
The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to transact business in Florida.	or Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", o register the above referenced foreign corporation
Please return all correspondence concerning this mat	ter to the following:
SHEREE WEST	
(Name	of Person)
NOWALSKY, BRONSTON & GOTHARD, APLLC	
(Firm/C	Company)
3500 NORTH CAUSEWAY BLVD., SUITE 1442	
	ldress)
METAIRIE, LOUISIANA 70002	
	e and Zip code)
For further information concerning this matter, pleas	
SHEREE WEST at (504) 832-1984 SEE T
(Name of Person) (Are	a Code & Daytime Telephone Number) FLORICE - DE CORRECTION DE COMPANY DE COMP
STREET ADDRESS: Registration Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines St.	MAILING ADDRESS: Registration Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32399	Tallahassee, FL 32314
Enclosed is a check for the following amount:	Tallahassee, FL 32314
☐ \$70.00 Filing Fee ☑ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & ☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

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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. WS TELECO	DM, INC.				
words or abbre	oration; must include the word "INCORPOR eviations of like import in language as will cl or partnership if not so contained in the nam	learl	y indicate that it is a corporation instead of		<u> </u>
2. MISSISSIPP	प	3.	64-0937496	•	
	ry under the law of which it is incorporated)	_ ~ -	(FEI number, if applicable	:)	
4. FEBRUARY	8, 2001 _.	3.	PERPETUAL		_
(Da	ate of incorporation)		(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist	or "perpeti	ual")
6. UPON QUA	LIFICATION				
(Date first trans	sacted business in Florida. If corporation ha (SEE SECTIONS 607.		t transacted business in Florida, insert "upo 1, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)	on qualifica	tion.")
7. 2506 LAKEL	AND DRIVE, SUITE 405				
	(Principal office	ado	iress)		
FLOWOOD,	MISSISSIPPI 39232				
	(Current mailing	g ado	iress)		
(Purpose 9. Name and si Name: Office Address: 10. Registered Having been no	DF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE e(s) of corporation authorized in home state treet address of Florida registered ag NRAI Services, Inc. 526 E. Park Avenue Tallahassee (City) agent's acceptance: amed as registered agent and to accept his application, I hereby accept the app	or coent:	(P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT action of Florida) , Florida 32301 (Zip code)	SERRETARY OF STATE ALBANASSEE, FLORIDA CONTROL OF STATE O	
further agree to duties, and I an	o comply with the provisions of all state in familiar with and accept the obligati NRAI Services, Inc.	utes	relative to the proper and complete p		
, **	Ву;				
	(Registered age	nt'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.

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT BY REGISTERED AGENT

NRAI Services, Inc. having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the aforementioned corporation at the place designated in this application, hereby accepts the appointment as registered agent and agrees to act in this capacity. NRAI Services, Inc. further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of its duties, and NRAI Services, Inc. is familiar with and accepts the obligations of its position as registered agent.

Dated: 11/26/01

NRAI Services, Inc.

Charles A. Coyle - Assistant Secretary

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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

A. DIRECTORS	
Chairman: WADE SPOONER	
Address: 2506 LAKELAND DRIVE, SUITE 405	
FLOWOOD, MS 39232	-
Vice Chairman:	
Address:	
Director: TED PARSONS	
Address: 2506 LAKELAND DRIVE, SUITE 405	<u> </u>
FLOWOOD, MS 39232	
Director:	
Address:	
B. OFFICERS President: WADE SPOONER	
Address: 2506 LAKELAND DRIVE, SUITE 405` FLOWOOD, MS 39232	
Vice President: TED PARSONS	
Address: 2506 LAKELAND DRIVE, SUITE 405	7.5.0
FLOWOOD, MS 39232	ECRE
Secretary:	HASS S
Address:	MO M
Treasurer:	FLOUR IC
Address:	TE 0
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers 13	<u> </u>
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the	ne application)
14. WADE SPOONER, CHAIRMAN/PRESIDENT (Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)	
(I vned or printed name and canacity of person signing application)	

State of Mississippi

Secretary of State's Office Eric Clark

Secretary of State Jackson, Mississippi

CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE/AUTHORITY

I, ERIC CLARK, Secretary of State of the State of Mississippi, and as such, the legal custodian of the corporate records, required by the laws of Mississippi, to be filed in my office, do hereby certify:

That on February 08,2001 the state of Mississippi issued a Charter/Certificate of Authority to:

WS TELECOM, INC.

That the state of incorporation is MISSISSIPPI.

That the period of duration is Perpetual.

That according to the records of this office, Articles of Dissolution or a Certificate of Withdrawal have not been filed.

That according to the records of this office, a current Annual Report has been delivered to the Office of the Secretary of State.

I further certify that all fees, taxes and penalties owed to this state, as reflected in the records of the Secretary of State, have been paid and that the corporation is in existence or has authority to transact business in Mississippi.

Given under my and and seal of office O November 16,2001

Eric Clark

ERIC CLARK, Secretary of State



FILED Jan 02, 2002 8:00 am Secretary of State APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF FICTITIOUS NAME , ** Note: Acknowledgementa/certificates with be sent to the address in Section 1 only. ton1 eXpetel Communications Fictitious Name to be Registered 2. 2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405 Flowood, Mississippi 39232 GU2'0U2'900099 -01/02/02--01008--044 ***60.00 Tallahassee 4. FEI Number: 64-0937496 This space for office use only A. Owner(s) of Fictitious Name If Individual(s): (Use an attachment if necessary): Address Address State Zip Code City Zip Code B. Owner(s) of Fictitious Name if other than 1. WS TELECOM, INC. Entity Name 2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405 Address Florida Registration Number 0 0000 0617
FEI Number 64-0937496

Applied for Nor Applicable Flowood, MS 39232 Zip Code Florida Registration Number Not Applicable eing the sole (all the) party(ies) owning understand that the signature(s) bolow Signature of Owner Phone Number: 601-664-1008 10/01/11 etsO Signature of Owner Seden4
FOR CANCELLATION COMPLETE SECTION 4 ONLY:
FOR FICTITIOUS NAME OR OWNERSHIP CHANGE COMPLETE SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 4:

(we) the undersigned, hereby cancel the fictitious name

Signature of Owner Mark the applicable boxes

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which was registered on

Oate
Gertificate of Status - \$10 Gertified Copy - \$30
Filling Fee: \$50

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and was assigned registration number

Signature of Owner



State of Mississippi

Secretary of State's Office Eric Clark

Secretary of State Jackson, Mississippi

MISSISSIPPI CORPORATION INFORMATION SYSTEM

Corporation Name: WS TELECOM, INC.

Corp ID: 0697813 Filed: 02/08/2001 AT 8:00 A. M.

Filing Fee Receipt: \$50.00

SECRETARY OF STATE P.O. Box 136 Jackson, MS 39205 (601) 359-1333

ERIC CLARK

Secretary of State





Articles of Incorporation

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OFFICE OF THE MISSISSIPPI SECRETARY OF STATE P.O. BOX 136, JACKSON, MS 39205-0136 (601) 359-1333

Articles of Incorporation

The undersigned, pursuant to Section 79-4-2.02 (if a profit corporation) or Section 79-11-137 (if a nonprofit corporation) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, hereby executes the following document and sets forth: 1. Type of Corporation Profit Nonprofit 2. Name of the Corporation WS Telecom, Inc. 3. The future effective date is Upon filing (Complete if applicable) 2/08/2001 4. FOR NONPROFITS ONLY: The period of duration is 5. FOR PROFITS ONLY: The Number (and Classes) if any of shares the corporation is a If more than one (1) class of shares is authorized the preferences, limitations, and relative rights of each class are as follows: Classes # of Shares Authorized 40,000,000 Common Attached) 6. Name and Street Address of the Registered Agent and Registered Office is G. Michael Massey Name Physical 3003 Lakeland Cove, Suite E Address P.O. Box 13664 City, State, ZIP5, ZIP4 Jackson MS 39208 -7. The name and complete address of each incorporator are as follows Name G. Wade Spooner Street 100 Woodglen Place

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OFFICE OF THE MISSISSIPPI SECRETARY OF STATE P.O. BOX 136, JACKSON, MS 39205-0136 (601) 359-1333 Articles of Incorporation

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⇒	Name						
⇒	Street						
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⇒	8. Other Pr	ovisions	See Attached	i			
	9. Incorporators' Signatures (please keep writing within blocks)					State.	
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EXHIBIT B

MANAGERIAL CAPABILITY

MANAGEMENT PROFILES

Wade Spooner:

President/CEO and Director, was the President and Chief Operating Officer of LSCI Telecommunications, Inc., an integrated Regional Local Exchange Carrier with operations in Mississippi and Louisiana. Prior to joining LSCI, Mr. Spooner worked with competitive telecommunications service providers, most recently serving as Director of Technical Operations for ITC^DeltaCom, Inc. (NASDAQ: ITCD), a publicly traded Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) and fiber optic network provider, and served as Chairman and CEO for I.T. GROUP Communications, a regional facilities-based voice and data communications company operating out of Jackson, Mississippi. I.T. GROUP Communications was subsequently acquired by ITC^DeltaCom. Mr. Spooner received a B.S. Degree in Petroleum Engineering from Mississippi State University.

Ted Parsons:

Chief Marketing Officer, Senior Vice President of Business Development and Director. Mr. Parsons spent the last two years as Senior Vice President of Sales, Marketing and Product Management, responsible for the successful management of \$100 million in annual revenue, while expanding wholesale sales, product development and marketing for Thrifty Call, Inc./Grande Communications, located in Austin, Texas. Prior to his success with Thrifty Call/Grande, Mr. Parsons served as Regional Director of Sales for ITC^DeltaCom - Mississippi/Arkansas Region, and prior to ITC^DeltaCom, Mr. Parsons was founder, President and Chief Operations Officer of I.T. GROUP Communications, a regional facilities-based voice and data communications company operating out of Jackson, Mississippi. I.T. GROUP Communications was subsequently acquired by ITC^DeltaCom. Mr. Parsons received a B.S. in Marketing from the University of Mississippi.

EXHIBIT C



TECHNICAL CAPABILITY

The Company will resell the services of certificated underlying carrier, and will provide facilities-based services only to the extent necessary to offer UNE-P services. Therefore, the Company's technical capability is equivalent to that of its underlying ILEC. The Company's underlying service provide will be BellSouth.

EXHIBIT D

FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION

The Company does not have audited financial statements. The Company's October 31, 2001 financial statements are attached.

AFFIRMATION

I, Wade Spooner, President of WS Telecom, Inc. d/b/a/ eXpeTel Communications do hereby acknowledge that the information set forth in the attached financial statements is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Wade Spooner, President

WS Telecom, Inc. d/b/a eXpeTel Communications

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20 day of Notember, 2001.

Notary Public

MISSISSIPPI STATEWIDE NOTARY PUBLIC MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 23, 2004 BONDEB THRU STEGALI NOTARY SERVICE

eXpeTel Communications Statement of Cash Flows January 1 through October 31, 2001

OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net Income	(121,239.94)	
Adjustments to reconcile Net Income to net cash provided by operations:		
Accounts Receivable	(124,931.00)	
Prepaid Expenses	(12,313.13)	
Rent and Utilities Deposits	(15,382.00)	
Lines and Access Deposits	(30,000.00)	
Deferred Liability - BellSouth	(27,667.29)	
Accounts Payable	30,151.77	
Customer Deposits	400.00	
Payroll Liabilities	12,947.40	
Sales and Excise Taxes Payable	16,717.08	
Disputed Charges - BellSouth	27,667.29	
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		(243,649.82)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Office Equipment	(45,378.45)	
Office Furniture	(26,474.37)	
Software	(7,569.93)	
NET CASH PROVIDED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(79,422.75)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Note Receivable from Shareholders	(350,000.00)	
AmSouth Line of Credit	40,000.00	
Note Payable - Wade Spooner	300,000.00	
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	20,000.00	
Preferred Stock	375,000.00	
Paid In Capital	27,596.87	500.07
NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES		412,596.87
NET CASH INCREASE FOR PERIOD		89,524.30
CASH AT END OF PERIOD		89,524.30

W S Telecom, Inc. dba eXpeTel Communications Balance Sheet

As of October 31, 2001

ASSETS

Current Accets		
Current Assets AmSouth Checking Account	(5,890.82)	
AmSouth Money Market Account	95,415.12	
Accounts Receivable	120,526.94	
Due from Gulf Coast Utilities	4,404.06	
Note Receivable - Shareholders	350,000.00	
Prepaid Corporate Income Tax	861.53	
Prepaid Marketing Expense	10,292.96	
Total Current Assets		575,609.79
Fixed Assets		
Office Equipment	45,378.45	
Office Furniture	26,474.37	
Software	7,569.93	
Total Fixed Assets		79,422.75
Other Assets		
Deferred Liability - BellSouth	27,667.29	
Prepaid Insurance	1,158.64	
Deposits	25,382.00	
Access Deposit	10,000.00	
Local Deposit	10,000.00	74 007 00
Total Other Assets	-	74,207.93
TOTAL ACCETS		729,240.47
TOTAL ASSETS	=	
LIABILITIES & EQUITY		
Liabilities		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	30,151.77	
AmSouth Line of Credit	40,000.00	
Customer Deposits	400.00	
Payroll Liabilities	12,947.40	
Sales Tax Payable	5,092.10	
Other Fees & Taxes Payable	11,624.98	
Disputed Charges - BellSouth	27,667.29	
Total Current Liabilities		127,883.54
Long Term Liabilities	222 222 22	
Note Payable - Wade Spooner	300,000.00	200 000 00
Total Long Term Liabilities		300,000.00
Total Linkillaina		427,883.54
Total Liabilities		•
Equity		
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value, 40,000,000 shares authorized	20,000.00	
and 20,000,000 shares issued	,	
Preferred Stock, \$0.50 par value, 2,000,000 shares authorized	375,000.00	
and 750,000 shares issued		
Paid In Capital	27,596.87	
Net Income	(121,239.94)	
Total Equity		301,356.93
		
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY		729,240.47

W S Telecom, Inc. dba eXpeTel Communications Profit & Loss Statement

For the Period Ending October 31, 2001

Ordinary Profit (Loss)	October 2001	January through October 2001
Revenue	101,447.22	463,494.40
Cost of Service - Business	42,165.63	210,285.16
Gross Profit	59,281.59	253,209.24
Expense		
Security Expense	0.00	138.21
Accounting Expense	235.00	1,995.00
Advertising & Marketing Expense	321.01	3,770.43
Auto Allowance	0.00	5,430.95
Auto Expense	0.00	1,076.98
Bank Fees Expense	39.00	141.00
Billing Service Expense	5,530.39	29,487.09
Building Maintenance Expense	52.00	752.34
Computer/Internet Expense	1,130.45	4,216.09
Contract Labor	0.00	5,728.60
Contributions	300.00	400.00
Dues & Subscriptions Exp	0.00	(52.00)
Insurance Expense	144.84	4,698.35
Insurance Exp - Group Benefits	4,176.66	12,534.49
Leased Furniture & Equip Exp	396.70	4,259.27
Legal & Regulatory Expense	2,540.00	23,555.29
Meals & Entertainment Expense	458.74	4,814.15
Miscellaneous Expense	531.53	1,158.59
Office Supplies/Printing Exp	2,374.51	9,592.25
Payroll Tax Expense	3,585.02	17,588.69
Postage & Shipping Expense Professional Fees	373.71	1,877.22
Rent Expense	0.00 4,442.00	2,072.00 21,933.00
Salaries and Commission Expense	38,328.41	185,660.95
Telephone Expense	2,008.32	16,342.39
Travel Expense	2,702.14	15,691.64
Utilities Expense	191.76	2,367.07
Interest Expense	0.00	10.79
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Total Expense	69,862.19	377,240.83
Net Ordinary Profit (Loss)	(10,580.60)	(124,031.59)
Other Revenue		
Interest Income	205.30	2,791.65
Earnings Before Interest, Taxes and Depreciation	(10,375.30)	(121,239.94)
Depreciation, Interest and Income Tax		
Depreciation, interest and income 12x Depreciation & Amortization Expense	0.00	0.00
Interest Expense	0.00	10.79
Income Tax Expense	0.00	0.00
Total Depreciation, Interest and Income Tax	0.00	10.79
Net Profit (Loss)	(10,375.30)	(121,250.73)

EXHIBIT E

CAPABILITY STATEMENTS

- 1. Although a start-up corporation, the Applicant has sufficient financial capability to provide the requested service in the geographic area proposed to be served. This is evidenced by the current assets set forth in its unaudited financial statements. (The Company has no audited financial statements.)
- 2. The Applicant will maintain the requested services from revenue generated from its current and ongoing operations. The Company is currently operating in Mississippi, and is pending authority in Alabama and Louisiana.
- 3. The Company has sufficient financial capability to meet its lease and ownership obligations.

EXHIBIT F

PRICE LIST

Alternative Local Exchange Service

TITLE SHEET

ALTERNATIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES PRICE LIST

This price list contains the descriptions, regulations, service standards and rates applicable to alternative local exchange telecommunications services provided by WS Telecom. Inc. d/b/a eXpeTel Communications with principal offices at 2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405, Flowood, Mississippi 39232. This price list applies for services furnished within the state of Florida. This price list is on file with the Florida Public Service Commission, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at the Company's principal place of business.

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BY:

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WS Telecom, Inc. d/b/a eXpeTel Communications
2506 Lakeland Drive, Suite 405
Flowood, Mississippi 39232

Alternative Local Exchange Service

CHECK SHEET

The sheets listed below, which are inclusive of this price list, are effective as of the date shown at the bottom of the respective sheet(s). Original and revised sheets as named below comprise all changes from the original price list and are currently in effect as of the date of the bottom of this page.

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1	Original	26	Original
2	Original	27	Original
3	Original	28	
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SYMBOLS SHEET

The	following	are the	only sy	mbols	used for	the :	nurposes	indicated	below:
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- **D** Delete Or Discontinue
- I Change Resulting In An Increase to A Customer's Bill
- M Moved From Another Price List Location
- N New
- R Change Resulting In A Reduction To A Customer's Bill
- T Change in Text Or Regulation But No Change In Rate Or Charge

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PRICE LIST FORMAT SHEETS

- **A.** Sheet Numbering Sheet numbers appear in the upper right corner of the page. Sheets are numbered sequentially. However, new sheets are occasionally added to the price list. When a new sheet is added between sheets already in effect, a decimal is added. For example, a new sheet added between sheets 14 and 15 would be 14.1.
- **B.** Sheet Revision Numbers Revision numbers also appear in the upper right corner of each page. These numbers are used to determine the most current sheet version on file with the FPSC. For example, the 4th revised Sheet 14 cancels the 3rd revised Sheet 14. Because of various suspension periods, deferrals, etc, the FPSC follows in their price list approval process, the most current sheet number on file with the Commission is not always the price list page in effect. Consult the Check Sheet for the sheet currently in effect.
- **C.** Paragraph Numbering Sequence There are various levels of paragraph coding. Each level of coding is subservient to its next higher level as follows:

2. 2.1. 2.1.1. 2.1.1.A. 2.1.1.A.1. 2.1.1.A.1.(a).

D. Check Sheets - When a price list filing is made with the FPSC, an updated check sheet accompanies the price list filing. The check sheet lists the sheets contained in the price list, with a cross reference to the current revision number. When new pages are added, the check sheet is changed to reflect the revision. All revisions made in a given filing are designated by an asterisk (*). There will be no other symbols used on this page if these are the only changes made to it (i.e., the format, etc. remains the same, just revised revision levels on some pages). The price list user should refer to the latest check sheet to find out if a particular sheet is the most current on file with the FPSC.

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EXCHANGE SERVICE LIST

The Company will provide local exchange service throughout the State of Florida. Local calling areas will coincide with those of the Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC), unless otherwise specified.

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SECTION 1 - TECHNICAL TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

Access Line - An arrangement which connects the customer's location to the Company's network switching center.

Authorization Code - A numerical code, one or more of which are available to a customer to enable him/her to access the carrier, and which are used by the carrier both to prevent unauthorized access to its facilities and to identify the customer for billing purposes.

Company or Carrier - WS Telecom, Inc. d/b/a eXpeTel Communications

Customer - the person, firm, corporation or other entity which orders service and is responsible for payment of charges due and compliance with the Company's price list regulations.

Day - From 8:00 AM up to, but not including 5:00 PM local time Monday through Friday.

Evening - From 5:00 PM up to but not including 11:00 PM local time Sunday through Friday.

Holidays - The Company's recognized holidays are New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Presidents Day, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day.

Night/Weekend - From 11:00 PM up to but not including 8:00 AM Sunday through Friday, and 8:00 AM Saturday up to but not including 5:00 PM Sunday.

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SECTION 2 - RULES, REGULATIONS AND SERVICE QUALITY CRITERIA

2.1 Undertaking of the Company.

The Company's services and facilities are furnished for communications originating at specified points within the state of Florida under terms of this price list.

The Company's installs operates, and maintains the communications services provided herein in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth under this price list. It may act as the customer's agent for ordering access connection facilities provided by other carriers or entities when authorized by the customer, to allow connection of a customer's location to the Company's network. The customer shall be responsible for all charges due for such service arrangement.

The Company's services and facilities are provided on a monthly basis unless ordered on a longer term basis, and are available twenty-four hours per day, seven days per week.

2.2 Limitations.

- 2.2.1 Service is offered subject to the availability of facilities and provisions of this price list.
- 2.2.2 The Company's reserves the right to discontinue furnishing service, or limit the use of service necessitated by conditions beyond its control: or when the customer is using service in violation of the law or the provisions of this price list.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS continued

2.2 Limitations (Cont.)

- 2.2.3 All facilities provided under this price list are directly controlled by the Company and the customer may not transfer or assign the use of service or facilities, except with the express written consent of the Company. Such transfer or assignment shall only apply where there is no interruption of the use or location of the service or facilities.
- 2.2.4 Prior written permission from the Company is required before any assignment or transfer. All regulations and conditions contained in this price list shall apply to all such permitted assignees or transferees, as well as all conditions for service.
- 2.2.5 Customers reselling or rebilling services must have a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as an ALEC carrier from the Florida Public Service Commission.

2.3 Liabilities of the Company.

- 2.3.1 The Company's liability for damages arising out of mistakes, interruptions, omissions, delays, errors, or defects in the transmission occurring in the course of furnishing service or facilities, and not caused by the negligence of its employees or its agents, in no event shall exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the customer for the period during which the aforementioned faults in transmission occur.
- 2.3.2 The Company shall be indemnified and held harmless by the customer against claims for libel, slander, or infringement of copyright arising out of the material, data, information, or other content transmitted over the Company's facilities.

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2.4 <u>Interruption of Service.</u>

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- 2.4.1 Credit allowance for the interruption of service which is not due to The Company's testing or adjusting, negligence or the customer, or to the failure of channels or equipment provided by the customer, are subject to the general liability provisions set forth in 2.3.1 herein. It shall be the customer's obligation to notify the Company immediately of any service interruption for which a credit allowance is desired. Before giving such notice, the customer shall ascertain that the trouble is not being caused by any action or omission by the customer within his control, if any, furnished by the customer and connected to the Company's facilities. No refund or credit will be made for the time that the Company stands ready to repair the service and the subscriber does not provide access to the Company for such restoration work.
- 2.4.2 No credit shall be allowed for an interruption of a continuous duration of less than twenty-four hours after the subscriber notifies the Company.
- 2.4.3 The customer shall be credited for an interruption of more than twenty-four hours as follows:

Credit Formula:

Credit = $A/B \times C$

"A" - outage time in days

"B" - total days in month

"C" - total monthly charge for affected facility

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS continued

2.5 Disconnection of Service by Carrier.

The Company, upon five (5) working days written notice to the customer, may discontinue service or cancel an application for service without incurring any liability for any of the following reasons:

- 2.5.1 Non-payment of any sum due to carrier for regulated service for more than thirty days beyond the date of rendition of the bill for such service.
- 2.5.2 A violation of any regulation governing the service under this price list.
- 2.5.3 A violation of any law, rule, or regulation of any government authority having jurisdiction over such service.
- 2.5.4 The company has given the customer notice and has allowed a reasonable time to comply with any rule, or remedy, and deficiency as stated in Rule 25-4.113, F.A.C., Refusal or Discontinuance of Service by Company.
- 2.5.5 Service may be disconnected without notice for tampering with company equipment or interfering with service to other customers or for fraud.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS continued

2.6 Deposits

The Company does not require a deposit from the customer.

2.7 Advance Payments

For customers whom the Company feels an advance payment is necessary, the Company reserves the right to collect an amount not to exceed one (1) month's estimated charges as an advance payment for service. This will be applied against the next month's charges and if necessary a new advance payment will be collected for the next month.

2.8 Taxes

All state and local taxes (i.e., gross receipts tax, sales tax, municipal utilities tax) are listed as separate line items and are not included in the quoted rates.

2.9 **Billing of Calls**

All charges due by the subscriber are payable at any agency duly authorized to receive such payments. Any objection to billed charges should be promptly reported to the Company. Adjustments to customers' bills shall be made to the extent that records are available and/or circumstances exist which reasonably indicate that such charges are not in accordance with approved rates or that an adjustment may otherwise be appropriate.

2.10 Equipment

2.10.1 The Company's facilities and service may be used with or terminated in Customer-provided terminal equipment or Customer-provided communications systems, such as a PBX, key systems or Pay Telephone. Such terminal equipment shall be furnished and maintained at the expense of the Customer, except as otherwise provided. The Customer is responsible for all costs at his or her premises, including personnel, wiring, electrical power, and the like, incurred in the use of the Company's service. The Customer is responsible to ensuring that customer-provided equipment connected to Company equipment and facilities is compatible with such equipment and facilities.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS continued

2.10 **Equipment** (contd.)

- 2.10.2 The Company shall use reasonable efforts to maintain facilities and equipment that it furnishes to the Customer. The Customer may not, nor may the Customer permit others, to disconnect, rearrange, remove, attempt to repair or otherwise interfere with any of the facilities or equipment installed by the Company, except upon the written consent of the Company.
- 2.10.3 Equipment the Company provides or installs at the Customer premises for use in connection with services the Company offers shall not be used for any purpose other than that for which the Company provided it.
- 2.10.4 The Customer shall be responsible for payment of service charges, as set forth herein, for visits by the Company's agents or employees to the premises of the Customer when the service difficulty or trouble report results from the use of equipment or facilities provided by any party other than the Company, including but not limited to the Customer.
- 2.10.5 The Company shall not be responsible for the installation, operation or maintenance of any customer-provided equipment. Where such equipment is connected to the facilities furnished pursuant to this price list, the responsibility of the Company shall be limited to the furnishing of facilities offered under this price list and to the maintenance and operation of such facilities. Subject to this responsibility, the Company shall not be responsible for the transmission of signals by customer-provided equipment or for the quality of, or defects in, such transmission; or the reception of signals by customer-provided equipment.
- 2.10.6 Upon reasonable notification to the Customer and at a reasonable time, the Company may make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine that the customer is complying with the requirements set forth in the section for the installation, operation and maintenance of customer-provided facilities, equipment and wiring in the connection of such facilities and equipment to Company-provided facilities and equipment.
- Title to all facilities provided by the Company under this price list shall remain in the Company's name or in the name of the carrier supplying the services and facilities being resold.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS continued

2.11 Installation

Service is installed upon mutual agreement between the Customer and the Company. The service agreement does not alter rates specified in this price list.

2.12 Service Implementation

Absent a promotional offering, service implementation charges will apply to new service orders or to orders to change existing service. Implementation charges for business services are listed in Section 3.

2.13 **Reconnection Charge**

A reconnection fee may be charged when service is re-established for customers who have been disconnected for non-payment, and is payable at the time that the restoration of suspended service and facilities is arranged.

2.14 Operator Service Rules

The Company will enforce the operator service rules specified by the Commission and by the FCC.

2.15 Access to Telephone Relay Services

Where required by the Commission, the Company will participate in telephone relay services for handicapped and/or hearing impaired end users, and will comply with all regulations and requirements. The Company shall impose any monthly surcharge or any other related charge upon its local exchange telecommunications subscribers as may be required by state law.

2.16 Telecommunications Relay Service

For intrastate toll calls received from the relay service, the Company will when billing relay calls discount relay service calls by 50 percent off of the otherwise applicable rate for a voice nonrelay call except that where either the calling or called party indicates that either party is both hearing and visually impaired, the call shall be discounted 60 percent off of the otherwise applicable rate for a voice nonrelay call. The above discounts apply only to time-sensitive elements of a charge for the call and shall not apply to per call charges such as a credit card surcharge.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS continued

2.17 Calculation of Distance

Usage charges for all mileage sensitive products are based on the airline distance between rate centers associated with the originating and terminating points of the call.

The airline mileage between rate centers is determined by applying the formula below to the vertical and horizontal coordinates associated with the rate centers involved. The company uses the rate centers and associated vertical and horizontal coordinates that are produced by Bell Communication Research in their NPA-NXX V&H Coordinate Tape and AT&T Tariff.

Formula:
$$\sqrt{\frac{(V1 - V2)^2 + (H1 - H2)^2}{10}}$$

2.18 Cancellation of Service by Customer

Customers can cancel basic local exchange service by providing written or oral notification to the Company.

For cancellation of Private Branch Exchange (PBX) service, the customer must provide five (5) working days written notice of cancellation to the Company.

2.19 Minimum Call Completion Rate

Customers can expect a call completion rate (number of calls completed divided by the number of calls attempted) of 90% during peak use periods for all FG D services (1+ dialing).

2.20 Access to 911 Emergency Services

The Company will provide, at no cost to the customer, 911 emergency services access at levels equal to the service provided by the ILEC.

2.21 Service Quality Statement

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As a reseller, the quality of service provided to the company's end users will be equal to that received from the company's underlying carrier.

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SECTION 3 - BASIC SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES

3.1 Timing of Calls

3.1.1 When Billing Charges Begin and End For Phone Calls

The customer's usage charge is based on the actual usage of the Company's network. Usage begins when the called party picks up the receiver, (i.e. when 2 way communication, often referred to as "conversation time" is possible.). When the called party picks up is determined by hardware answer supervision in which the local telephone company sends a signal to the switch or the software utilizing audio tone detection. When software answer supervision is employed, up to 60 seconds of ringing is allowed before it is billed as usage of the network. A call is terminated when the calling or called party hangs up.

3.1.2 Billing Increments

The billing increments for each service is set forth in the individual product rate section.

3.1.3 Per Call Billing Charges

Billing will be rounded up to the nearest penny for each call.

3.1.4 <u>Uncompleted Calls</u>

There shall be no charges for uncompleted calls.

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SECTION 3 - BASIC SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES continued

3.2 <u>Determining Applicable Rate in Effect.</u>

For the initial minute, the rate applicable at the start of chargeable time at the calling station applies. For additional minutes, the rate applicable is that rate which is in effect at the calling station when the additional minute(s) begin. That is, if chargeable time begins during the Day Period, the Day Rate applies to the initial minute and to any additional minutes that the call continues during the rate period. If the call continues into a different rate period, the appropriate rates from that period apply to any additional minutes occurring in that rate period. If an additional minute is split between two rate periods, the rate period applicable at the start of the minute applies to the entire minute.

3.3 Payment of Calls

3.3.1 Late Payment Charges

Interest charges of 1.5% per month will be assessed on all unpaid balances more than thirty days old.

3.3.2 Return Check Charges

A return check charge of \$25.00 will be assessed for checks returned for insufficient funds if the face value does not exceed \$50.00, \$30.00 if the face value does exceed \$50.00 but does not exceed \$300.00, \$40.00 if the face value exceeds \$300.00 or 5% of the value of the check, which ever is greater.

3.4 Restoration of Service

A per occurrence reconnection fee is charged when service is re-established for customers who had been disconnected for non-payment. See Sections 3.7.17 and 3.8.10 for applicable restoration charges.

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SECTION 3 - BASIC SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES continued

3.5 Local Service Areas

The Company will provide Local Exchange Service in the Florida BellSouth territories. Local calling service areas will coincide with those of BellSouth. unless otherwise specified.

Installation, monthly recurring and per minute usage charges will apply to the Company's local exchange services. An addition per-call operator service charge will apply for operator-assisted calling.

3.6 **Product Descriptions**

3.6.1 Business Services

Business Services are offered for local calling using the facilities of the Company and/or those of other authorized Local Exchange Carriers. Business Services are offered primarily to the following:

- 1. Offices, stores, factories, mines and all other places of a strictly business nature;
- 2. Offices of hotels, boarding houses, apartment houses, colleges, quarters occupied by clubs and fraternal societies, public, private or parochial schools, hospitals, nursing homes, libraries, churches, and other institutions; and
- 3. Services terminating solely on the secretarial facilities of a telephone answering bureau.

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SECTION 3 - BASIC SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES continued

3.6 **Product Descriptions, cont.**

3.6.2 Residential Local Exchange Service

Residential local exchange service provides the Customer with a single, voice-grade, DTMF communications channel. Each Local Line will include a telephone number, as well as access to the service.

Residence Service is furnished in private homes or apartments, including all parts of the subscriber's domestic establishment, for domestic use and not for substantial occupational use; in the study of a clergyman located in a church, in a college fraternity or sorority house, college dormitories, convents and monasteries for domestic rather than occupational use in residential quarters.

3.6.3 Directory Listings

For each Customer of Exchange Access Service(s), the Company shall arrange for the listing of the Customer's main billing telephone number in the directory(ies) published by the dominant Local Exchange Carrier in the area at no additional charge. At a Customer's option, the Company will arrange for additional listings at an additional charge.

3.6.4 Operator-Assisted Services

Operator-assisted services are provided to Customers on a presubscribed basis. Services are also provided to Customers and Users of exchange access lines which are presubscribed to the Company's interexchange outbound calling services. Various billing arrangements are available with the Company's operator-assisted service including Calling Card, Commercial Credit Card, Collect, Person-to- Person and Third Party. Monthly and/or usage-sensitive charges apply, as well as per call operator charges.

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SECTION 3 - BASIC SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES continued

3.6.5 Directory Assistance

Customers and users of the Company's services may obtain directory assistance in determining telephone numbers within the state by calling the Directory Assistance operator.

A credit will be given for calls to Directory Assistance when;

- 1. The Customer experiences poor transmission or is cut-off during the call,
- 2. The Customer is given an incorrect telephone number, or
- 3. The Customer inadvertently misdials an incorrect Directory Assistance NPA.

To receive a credit, the customer must notify the Company operator or Business Office of the problem experienced.

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SECTION 3 - BASIC SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES continued

3.7 Local Service Rates

The Company will offer the BellSouth Services and Features listed in its UNE-P Interconnection Agreement with BellSouth. All BellSouth services and features will be charged at the rates stated in the applicable BellSouth tariff, and will be passed through to the end user, subject to the discounts stated herein.

3.8 Local Business Services

The Company will offer local business services to all customers on a month-to-month basis at the BellSouth rates for the specified service.

Zone 1 and Zone 2 customers signing term contracts will receive the following discounts off of the stated rates:

<u>Term</u>	Zone 1 <u>Discount</u>	Zone 2 <u>Discount</u>		
1 Year	20%	15%		
2 Year	22%	17%		
3 Year	25%	20%		

3.8 Local Residential Services

The Company will offer local residence services to customers on a month-to-month basis at a fifteen percent (15%) discount from the BellSouth rates for the specified service.

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