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Florida Public Service Commission Capital Circle Office Center 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Fl 32399

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Dear Sir / Madam,

June 4th, 1997

Application to provide alternative local exchange service within the state of Florida

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Sincerely

Paul B. Joachim

President

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### APPLICATION FORM

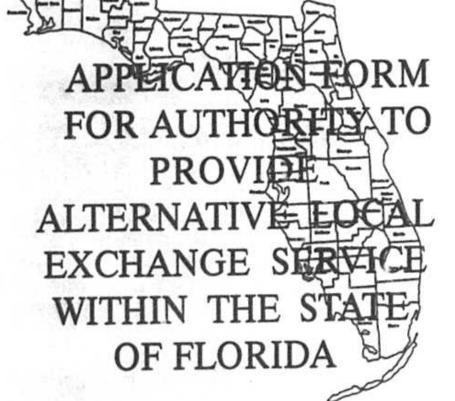
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- This is an application for (check one):
  - Of Original authority (new company)
  - () Approval of transfer (to another certificated company) <u>Example</u>, a certificated company purchases an existing company and desires to retain the original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

    Example, a company purchases 51% of a certificated company. The Commission must approve the new controlling entity.
- 2. Have of applicant: THE EAST AMERICAN GROUP, INC.
- A. National mailing address including street name, number, post office box, city, state, zip code, and phone number.

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

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

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

4.	Structure of organization:			
	( ) Individual (x) Corporation ( ) Foreign Partnership ( ) Limited Partnership ( ) 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: P96000060034			
6.	Name under which the applicant will do business (d/b/a):			
	DIGICELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS			
7.	If applicable, please provide proof of fictitious name (d/b/a) registration.			
	Fictitious name registration number: <u>G96218900008</u>			
8.	If applicant is an individual, partnership, or joint venture, please g're name, title and address of each legal entity.			
	N/A			
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.			
	NONE			
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.			
	PAUL B. JOACHIM, PRESIDENT (407) 331-9170 696 E. Altamonte Dr. Suite 4, Altamonte Springs, FL 3270			
11.	Please list other states in which the applicant is currently providing or has applied to provide local exchange or alternative local exchange service.			
	NONE			
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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.
  - (1) Telephone (2) Fax (3) Writing a letter (4) Fill out complaint form (5) In person
- Please provide all available documentation demonstrating that the 15. applicant has the following capabilities to provide alternative local exchange service in Florida.
  - Financial capability. See attached financial statement and letter, also include letter from Bank. 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:

- 1. the balance sheet
- 2. income statement
- statement of retained earnings.

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

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

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.
- Technical capability.

#### 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, Ficrida 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".

Offic al:	Signature	6/4/97
Title:	President	(407) 371- 917C Telephone Number
Address:	696 F. Alfamonie Dr Saite 4 Altomonte springs FL	32701

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#### 15. B & C

We intended to resale telephone services for Sprint
Southern Operations and BellSouth Telecommunications.
All managerial and technical duties, including
maintenance, would be handle by the respective local
exchange carrier - Sprint & BellSouth Telecommunications.



#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

July 23, 1996

CSC NETWORKS DEBBIE SKIPPER TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

Re: Document Number P96000060034

The Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of THE EAST AMERICAN GROUP, INC., a Florida corporation, were filed on July 22, 1996.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please telephone (904) 487-6050, the A nendment Filing Section.

Karen Gibson Corporate Specialist Division of Corporations

Letter Number: 396A00035407

Account number: 072100000032

Account charged: 35.00



#### Barnett Bank of Central Florida, N.A.

1145 State Road 434 West Longwood, Florida 32750-5107 407/263-6050

To Whom it may concern:

It is my pleasure to inform you that The East American Group, Inc., DBA Digicell Telecommunications has been a customer of Barnett Bank since 1994. If I can answer any furthur questions on behalf of Mr. Joachim please do not hesitate to call me at the above referenced numbers.

Sincerely,

Mark W. Ziebarth Office Manager

# THE EAST AMERICAN GROUP INC. Profit and Loss

January through December 1998

	Jan - Dec '96
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Other Income	417,357.77
Sales	183,443.89
Sales return	-712.59
Total Income	600,089.07
Cost of Goods Sold	
COGS Accessories	13,338.54
COGS Pagere	48,226.13
COGS phones	218,578.74
COGS SAT. DISH	5,736.00
Total COGS	285,861.41
Gross Profit	314,207.66
Exponse	18,488.73
Advertising Automobile Expense	5,585.07
Bank Service Charges	501.98
Collection fees	497.50
Consulting fees	2,800.00
DONATIONS	90.70
Dues and Subscriptions	250.00
Insurance	1,205.97
Interust Expense	6.65
Licenses and Permits	175.00
Miscellaneous	684.03
Office expenses	24,996.76
Fayroll Exponses	52,041.18
Penalty & Interest	265.23
Postage and Delivery	3,533.79
Printing and Reproduction	10,434.93
Professional Fees	110,771.48
Refunds	6,001.32
Rent	8,225.68
Repairs	641.00 2.084.00
SHIPPING	7,227.50
Taxes	7,242.80
Telephone Travel & Lot	1,485.91
Utilities	1,505.92
Total Expense	266,743.13
Net Ordinary Income	47,464.53
Other Income/Expense	
Other Income	
Interest Income	1,624.45
Total Other Income	1,624.48
Other Expense	836.60
Other Expenses Total Other Expense	636.80
Not Other Income	767.68
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et Income	48,282.21

\*\*These are Unaudited Statements

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# THE EAST AMERICAN GROUP INC. Balance Sheet As of December 31, 1996

	723,75497424
	Dec 31, '96
ASSETS Current Assets Checking/Savings	
BARNETT EMERALD ACCOUNT BARNETT NEW CHECKING ACCOUNT	282.74 5,400.14
CREDIT CARDS	3,840.50
Total Checking/Savings	9,503.38
Accounts Receivable Account Receivable	772.00
Total Accounts Receivable	772.00
Other Current Accets Inventory Accet Loan to officers	6,559.00 34,505.25
Total Other Current Assets	41,064.25
Total Current Assets	51,339.63
Other Assets Account Receivable AWS ACCUMULETED DEPRECIATION COMPUTER EQUIPMENT OFFICE FURNITURE SIGN	37,377.87 -107.00 4,273.84 1,637.72 1,839.24 900.36
Total Other Assets	45,912.03
TOTAL ASSETS	97,251.66
LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities Current Liabilities Accounts Payable Accounts Payable	3.111.23
Gross Receipt tax	194.16
Total Accounts Payable	-2,917.07
Other Current Liabilities Payroll Liabilities Sales Tax Payable	192.44 1,952.22
Total Other Current Liabilities	2,144.68
Yotal Current Liabilities	-772.41
Total Liabilities	-772.41
Equity	
Opening Bel Equity Not income	49,771.88 48,252.21
Total Equity	98,024.07
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	87,261.86

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09/27/96



This Certificate is Non-transferable. DR-11 R. 03/96

Issued Pursuant to Chapter 212, Florida Statutes

Registration Date 09/26/96 Opening Date 09/03/96

Certificate Number 69-07-060518-66 Refer To This Number When Reporting Tax.

This Certifies That

DIGICELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS
THE EAST AMERICAN GROUP INC
131 A EAST SR 434
LONGWOOD FL 32750

Is Hereby Authorized and Empowered to Collect Sales and Use Taxes For The State of Florida.

THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE.

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State of Florida
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION
GROSS RECEIPTS TAX

bound Pursuant to Chapter 203, Florida Statutos

GERTIPICATE NUMBER

59-00-61976-22-45

AGRER TO THIS HUMBER WHILLY REPORTING BAGES RECEIPTS THE

HIS ADDRESS

Digicell Telecommunications 131-A East State Road 434 Longwood, Florida 32750 their comments their

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IS HEREBY REGISTERED WITH THE STATE OF FLORIDA FOR GROSS RECEIPTS TAX.



#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

May 23, 1997

DIGICELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS 696 E. ALTAMONTE DRIVE SUITE 4 ALTAMONTE SPRINGS, FL 32701

Subject: DIGICELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS

REGISTRATION NUMBER: G96218900008

This will acknowledge the filing of the above fictitious name registration which was registered on August 5, 1996. This registration gives no rights to ownership of the name.

Each fictitious name registration must be renewed every five years between July 1 and December 31 of the expiration year to maintain registration. Three mon his prior to the expiration date a statement of renewal will be mailed.

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE BUSINESS TO NOTIFY THIS OFFICE IN WRITING IF THEIR MAILING ADDRESS CHANGES. Whenever corresponding please provide assigned Registration Number.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter you may contact our office at (904) 488-9000.

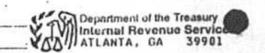
Reinstatement Section Division of Corporations

Letter No. 997A00028293

# An Independent Newspaper SANFORD, SEMINOLE COUNTY, PLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF SEMINOLE		
Before the undersigned authority person	onally appeared	
Odessa H. Pugh	who on	oath says that he is
Business Manager of the	e SANFORD HERAL	D, a Newspaper Pub-
lished at Sanford. in Seminole County, Flo	orida: that the attach	ed copy of advertise-
ment, being a LEGAL NOTICE	W	in the matter of
NOTICE OF FICTITIOUS NAME	RE: DIGICELL	TELECOMMUNICATIO
A Section Assessment	XIN XIDA	Count.
been entered as second class mail matter at County. Florida, for a period of one year r attached copy of advertisement: and affian promised any person. Irm or corporation a for the purpose of securing this advertisem	further says that he my discount, rebate, cont for publication in	has neither paid nor commission or refund
(Signature of Aff		. 10 06
Sworn to and subscribed before me this	Theiler (V	
OFFICIAL SEAL SHIRLEY C. THOMAS My Commission CC387109 Expires Aug. 01, 1998 Bonded by ANB 800-852-5878	(Signature of no Personally Know or Produced Iden	tary public)



Date of this note Taxpayer identify Number

SEP. 23, 1996 59-3392411

Tax Period

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call us at: 354-1760 LOCAL JA

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For assistance you may

EAST AMERICAN GROUP INC DIGICELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS 131A E SR 434 LONGWOOD FL 32750-5213318

Or you may write to us at the address shown at the left. If you write, be sure to attach the bottom part of this notice.

1-800-829-1040

#### NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE AS AN 5-CORPORATION

YOUR ELECTION TO BE TREATED AS AN S-CORPORATION WITH AN ACCOUNTING PERIOD OF DECEMBER IS ACCEPTED. THE ELECTION IS EFFECTIVE BEGINNING AUG. 1, 1996, SUBJECT TO VERIFICATION IF WE EXAMINE YOUR RETURN.

IF YOUR EFFECTIVE DATE IS NOT AS REQUESTED, IT WILL HAVE BEEN CHANGED FOR ONE OF TWO REASONS. EITHER YOUR ELECTION WAS MADE AFTER THE 15TH DAY OF THE THIRD MONTH OF THE TAX YEAR TO WHICH IT APPLIES, BUT BEFORE THE END OF THAT TAX YEAR, OR THE ELECTION WHEN SUBMITTED WAS INCOMPLETE, AND REQUESTED INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED AFTER THE FILING PERIOD. IN EITHER CASE, YOUR ELECTION IS INVALID FOR THE TAX YEAR REQUESTED AND HAS THEREFORE, BEEN TREATED AS THOUGH IT WERE MADE FOR THE NEXT TAX YEAR.

PLEASE KEEP THIS NOTICE IN YOUR PERMANENT RECORDS AS VERIFICATION OF YOUR ACCEPTANCE AS AN S-CORPORATION.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS NOTICE OR THE ACTIONS WE HAVE TAKEN, PLEASE WRITE TO US AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN ABOVE. IF YOU PREFER, YOU MAY CALL US AT THE IRS TELEPHONE NUMBER LISTED IN YOUR LOCAL DIRECTORY. AN EMPLOYEE THERE MAY BE ABLE TO HELP YOU, HOWEVER, THE OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN ON THIS NOTICE IS MOST FAMILIAR WITH YOUR CASE.

IF YOU WRITE TO US, PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR TELEPHONE NUMBER AND THE MOST CONVENIENT TIME FOR US TO CALL SO WE CAN CONTACT YOU TO RESOLVE YOUR INQUIRY. PLEASE RETURN THE BOTTOM PART OF THIS NOTICE TO HELP US IDENTIFY YOUR CASE.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.

To make sure that IfiS employees give courteous responses and correct information to taxpayers, a second IRS employee sometimes listens in telephone calls  Overlay 5 Form  Keep this part for your records		
eturn this part to us with	your check or inquiry	
Your telephone number	Best time to call	

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INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE ATLANTA, GA 39901

EAST AMERICAN GROUP INC DIGICELL TELECOMMUNICATIONS 131A E SR 434 LONGWOOD FL 32750-5213318

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

THE EAST AMERICAN GROUP, INC.

The undersigned incorporator hereby forms a corporation under Chapter 607 of the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

THE EAST AMERICAN GROUP, INC.

The address of the principal office of this corporation shill be 131 A East State Road 434, Longwood, Florida 32750, and the mailing address of the corporation shall be the same.

#### ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage or transact in any or all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida or any other state, country, territory or nation.

#### ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 100 shares of common stock having no par value per share.

#### ARTICLE IV. REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 1201 Hays Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Corporation Service Company.

#### ARTICLE V. TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

#### ARTICLE VI. DIRECTORS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the corp ration managed under the direction of its Board of Directors, subject to any limitation set forth in these Articles of Incorporation. This corporation shall have two Directors, initially. The names and addresses of the initial members of the Board of Directors are:

Paul B. Joachim

131 A East State Road 474 Longwood, Florida 32750

Juanita P. Joachim

131 A East State Road 474 Longwood, Florida 32750

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#### ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation:

Corporate Agents, Inc. 1201 Hays Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

The undersigned incorporator has executed these

Articles of Incorporation on July 17, 1996.

Its Agent, Karen B. Rozar Incorporator

## ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT DESIGNATED IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

corporation Service Company, a Delaware corporation authorized to transact business in this State, having a business office identical with the registered office of the corporation named above, and having been designated as the Registered Agent in the above and foregoing Articles, is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position of Registered Agent under Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

Its Agent, Karen B. Rozar

Authorized Service Representative Corporation Service Company



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PAY TO THE PLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION		s**250.00
Two Hundred Fifty and 00/100*********************************		DOLLARS

PLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION CAPITAL CIRCLE OFFICE CENTER 2540 SHUMARD OAK BLVD TALAHASSEE, PL 22399-0850

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