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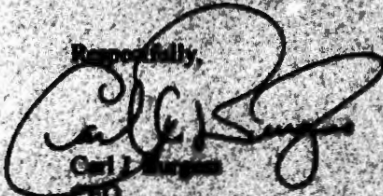
Dear Florida Public Service Commission:

Please find enclosed a completed application for the authority to provide Alternative Local Exchange Service within the state of Florida.

The package contains a check in the amount of \$250.00, the original and six (6) copies the completed application.

If you require additional information please call 941-519-0555 and ask for Carl Burgess. We thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully,



Carl Burgess
CEO
REI Communications
Enclosures (77)

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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. Name of company:

Rebound Enterprises, Inc.

3. Name under which the applicant will do business (fictitious name, etc.):

REI Communications

4. Official mailing address (including street name & number, post office box, city, state, zip code):

1005 Polk Street

Bartow, Florida 33830

5. Florida address (including street name & number, post office box, city, state, zip code):

1005 Polk Street

Bartow, Florida 33830

6. Structure of organization:

- Individual Corporation
 Foreign Corporation Foreign Partnership
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Other _____

7. If individual, provide:

Name: _____ N/A

Title: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

Internet E-Mail Address: _____

Internet Website Address: _____

8. If incorporated in Florida, provide proof of authority to operate in Florida:

- (a) The Florida Secretary of State corporate registration number:

PS7000073572

9. If foreign corporation, provide proof of authority to operate in Florida:

- (a) The Florida Secretary of State corporate registration number:

N/A

10. If using fictitious name-d/b/a, provide proof of compliance with fictitious name statute (Chapter 885.09, FS) to operate in Florida: See Attachment I

(a) The Florida Secretary of State fictitious name registration number:
000344000036

11. If a limited liability partnership, provide proof of registration to operate in Florida:

(a) The Florida Secretary of State registration number:

N/A

12. If a partnership, provide name, title and address of all partners and a copy of the partnership agreement.

Name: _____ N/A _____

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: N/A

14. Provide F.E.I. Number(if applicable): 003470000

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. Provide explanation.

Carl Burgess, one of the principals in the corporation was found guilty of a felony unrelated to the Telecommunication industry.

(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: Carl J Burgess

Title: CEO

Address: 1005 Polk Street

City/State/Zip: Bartow, Florida 33830

Telephone No.: 941-619-0666 Fax No.: 941-619-9626

Internet E-Mail Address: rei@unidial.com

Internet Website Address: N/A

(b) Official point of contact for the ongoing operations of the company:

Name: Carl J. Burgess

Title: CEO

Address: 1005 Polk Street

City/State/Zip: Bartow, Florida 33830

Telephone No.: 941-519-0665 Fax No.: 941-519-9626

Internet E-Mail Address: rei@unidial.com

Internet Website Address: _____

(c) Complaints/Inquiries from customers:

Name: Carl J. Burgess

Title: CEO

Address: 1005 Polk Street

City/State/Zip: Bartow, Florida 33930

Telephone No.: 941-519-0665 Fax No.: 941-519-9626

Internet E-Mail Address: rei@unidial.com

Internet Website Address: NA

17 List the states in which the applicant:

(a) has operated as an alternative local exchange company.

none

(b) has applications pending to be certificated as an alternative local exchange company.

none

(c) is certificated to operate as an alternative local exchange company.

none

(d) has been denied authority to operate as an alternative local exchange company and the circumstances involved.

no

(e) has had regulatory penalties imposed for violations of telecommunications statutes and the circumstances involved.

no

(f) has been involved in civil court proceedings with an interexchange carrier, local exchange company or other telecommunications entity, and the circumstances involved.

no

18. Submit the following:

A. Financial capability.

The application should contain 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. See attachment II

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: See Attachment III
2. income statement: and See Attachment IV

3. **statement of retained earnings.** See Attachment V

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. **written explanation** that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to provide the requested service in the geographic area proposed to be served. See Attachment VI
 2. **written explanation** that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to maintain the requested service. See Attachment VII
 3. **written explanation** that the applicant has sufficient financial capability to meet its lease or ownership obligations. See Attachment VIII
- B. **Managerial capability:** give resumes of employees/officers of the company that would indicate sufficient managerial experiences of each. See Attachment IX
- C. **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.
- REI Communications will be a reseller on wholesale services from GTE, Bell South etc. The company will not have a need of persons or companies technical maintenance experiences.

**** 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.

UTILITY OFFICIAL:


Signature

February 2, 1999

Date

CEO

941-519-0555

Title

Telephone No.

Address: 1005 Polk street Bartow, FL. 33830

941-519-9628

Fax No.

ATTACHMENTS:

- A - CERTIFICATE SALE, TRANSFER, OR ASSIGNMENT STATEMENT
- B - INTRASTATE NETWORK
- C - AFFIDAVIT
- GLOSSARY



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Sandra B. Mortham
Secretary of State

December 10, 1998

REI COMMUNICATIONS
1005 POLK ST
BARTOW, FL 33830

Subject: REI COMMUNICATIONS

REGISTRATION NUMBER: 000244000035

This will acknowledge the filing of the above fictitious name registration which was registered on December 10, 1998. 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 months 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 (866) 488-9000.

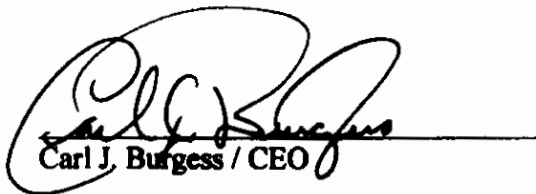
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Attachment II

Audited Statement

REI Communications is in its startup phase consequently there are no audited statements at this time.



Carl J. Burgess / CEO

Attachment III

REI Communications Balance Sheet As of February 2, 1999

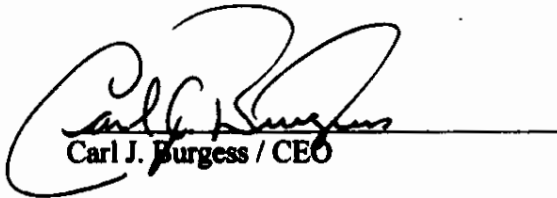
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ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Checking	1,128.00
Savings	10,305.00
Total Checking/Savings	<u>11,433.00</u>
Total Current Assets	11,433.00
Fixed Assets	
Equipment	8,000.00
Land	15,000.00
Office Building	85,000.00
Total Fixed Assets	<u>108,000.00</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>119,433.00</u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Credit Cards	
American Express	5,000.00
Total Credit Cards	<u>5,000.00</u>
Total Current Liabilities	5,000.00
Long Term Liabilities	
R H Loan	51,433.00
Total Long Term Liabilities	<u>51,433.00</u>
Total Liabilities	56,433.00
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	63,000.00
Total Equity	<u>63,000.00</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u>119,433.00</u>

Attachment IV

Income Statement

REI Communications is in its startup phase consequently there is no income statement at this time.



Carl J. Burgess / CEO

Attachment V

Retained Earnings

REI Communications is in its startup phase consequently there is no retained earnings at this time.



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Attachment VI

Financial Capability to Provide Service

The resources as reflected in the Balance sheet (Attachment III) are sufficient to meet the initial start up needs of the company. Services will be minimal to start with as the company develops its marketing strategy and develops its support staff.

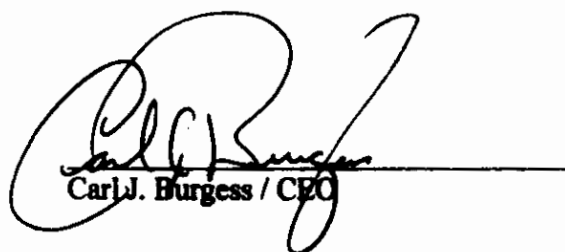


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Attachment VII

Financial Capability to Maintain Service

The resources as reflected in the Balance sheet (Attachment III) are sufficient to meet the initial start up needs of the company. In addition through the infusion of cash from the principals of the company, the equity in its office building and the ability to acquire lines of credit from financial institutions the company will be able to meet future financial needs required to maintain service.



Carl J. Burgess / CEO

Attachment VIII

Financial Capability to Meet Ownership Obligations

The obligations that the company will have initially are limited to taxes and maintenance. This is due to the fact that the company owns the property. The resources as reflected in the Balance sheet are sufficient to meet these initial obligations.



Carl J. Burgess / CEO

Attachment IX

830 Polk Street
Bartow, FL 33830

Phone 841-833-8752
Fax 841-819-8828
E-mail rel@unidial.com

Carl J. Burgess

Summary

Customer oriented information manager with experience in the resale of telecommunication products. Extensive experience in the development of start up business. Strong commitment to timely delivery of business systems and support applications. Constant focus on linking business strategies with technology solutions.

Experience

1990 - 1999 Excel & UniDial Communications

Authorized Resale Agent

- Sold long distance services and other telecommunications products to the general public.

1995 - 1999 Rebound Enterprises, Inc.

Consultant

- Provided consultant services to start up business, existing business and non-profit organizations

1982 - 1998 Polk County Opportunity Council

Executive Director

- Served as the Chief Executive Officer of a diversified community support organization. Supervised a staff of 155. Managed a budget of 11 million dollars and real estate holdings of 5 million.

Education

1966- 1970 Southern University Baton Rouge, Louisiana

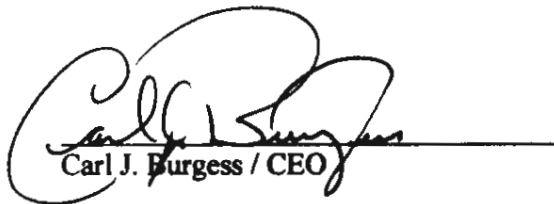
Focus

- Business Administration

Attachment X

Rates (Price List)

REI Communications does not currently have a rate sheet. The company is negotiating rates at this time. Before services are offered to the public the company will provide to the Public Service Commission a complete rate schedule.



Carl J. Burgess / CEO

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Communication Company

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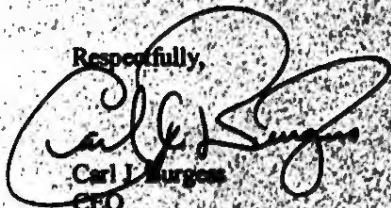
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Barrow, FL 32830

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PAY TO THE ORDER OF

Florida Public Service Commission

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Winter Haven, Florida
AT 043107513

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