

REQUEST TO ESTABLISH DOCKET

(Please Type)

Date	June 27, 2002	Docket No.	020599-TX
1. Division Name/Staff Name:		Division of Competitive Markets & Enforcement/Isler	
2. OPR: Division of Competitive Markets & Enforcement/Isler			
3. OCR: Office of the General Counsel			
4. Suggested Docket Title: Cancellation by Florida Public Service Commission of ALEC Certificate No. 7631 issued to Budget Comm for violation of Rule 25-4.0161, F.A.C., Regulatory Assessment Fees; Telecommunications Companies.			
5. Suggested Docket Mailing List (attach separate sheet if necessary) A. Provide NAMES OR ACRONYMS ONLY if a regulated company. B. Provide COMPLETE NAME AND ADDRESS for all others. (Match representatives to companies.) 1. Parties and their representatives (if any):			
2. Interested persons and their representatives (if any):			
6. Check one: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Documentation is attached. <input type="checkbox"/> Documentation will be provided with recommendation.			
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Public Service Commission

May 6, 2002

Mr. Cory J. Thomas, Partner
Budget Comm (TX500)
PO Box 573
Donalsonville, GA 31745-0573

Dear Mr. Thomas:

The Regulatory Assessment Fee (RAF) is due by January 30th of each year for the preceding calendar year. For certificate holders, the RAF is owed even if a telecommunications company may not have started operations or had any revenues. If payment is made after the due date, then statutory penalty and interest charges are applicable.

Our records show the 2001 RAF return notice was mailed December 12, 2001, and a delinquent notice was mailed February 20, 2002. As of this date, our records do not show receipt of the RAF return or payment. A copy of the 2001 RAF return form is attached.

If full payment, including penalty and interest charges, along with the RAF return form, are not received by May 28, 2002, it is my intention to establish a docket and recommend that the Commission fine your company \$500 or cancel your certificate. Please note that once a docket has been established, **just paying the delinquent RAF amount will not prevent your certificate from being cancelled.**

If you wish to cancel your certificate voluntarily and leave in good standing with the Commission, your company should pay the past due amount in full, complete the 2001 RAF return form, either pay the 2002 RAF or provide a date certain it will be paid, and comply with the requirements of Rule 25-24.820, Florida Administrative Code, copy attached. Any unpaid RAFs, including penalty and interest charges, are turned over to the Comptroller's Office for collection if the Commission cancels a company's certificate on its own motion (involuntary cancellations).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (850) 413-6502-voice, (850) 413-6503-fax, at the address below, or via internet e-mail at pisler@psc.state.fl.us.

Mr. Cory J. Thomas, Partner
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Paula J. Isler".

Paula J. Isler, Research Assistant
Bureau of Service Quality

Enclosures

Alternative Local Exchange Company Regulatory Assessment Fee Return

STATUS

- _____ Actual Return
- _____ Estimated Return
- _____ Amended Return

PERIOD COVERED:
01/01/2001 TO 12/31/2001

Florida Public Service Commission

(See Filing Instructions on Back of Form)

TX500-01-0-R
 Budget Comm
 P. O. Box 573
 Donalsonville, GA 31745-0575
 cc: F. Isler

Please Complete Below If Official Mailing Address Has Changed

FOR PSC USE ONLY

Check# _____

\$ _____ 0603006
 _____ 003001
 _____ F
 _____ 0603006
 _____ 004011
 _____ I

Postmark Date _____
 Initials of Preparer _____

 (Name of Company) (Address) (City/State) (Zip)

LINE NO	ACCOUNT CLASSIFICATION	FLORIDA	
		GROSS OPERATING REVENUE	INTRASTATE REVENUE
1	Basic Local Services	\$ _____	\$ _____
2	Long Distance Services (IntraLATA only)**	_____	_____
3	Access Services	_____	_____
4	Private Line Services	_____	_____
5	Leased Facilities & Circuits Services	_____	_____
6	Miscellaneous Services	_____	_____
7	TOTAL REVENUES	_____	\$ _____
8	LESS: Amounts Paid to Other Telecommunications Companies* (see "2. Fees" on back)	_____	_____
9	Net Intrastate Operating Revenue for Regulatory Assessment Fee Calculation (Line 7 less Line 8)	_____	_____
10	Regulatory Assessment Fee Due (Multiply Line 9 by 0.0015)	_____	_____
11	Penalty for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by Due Date" on back)	_____	_____
12	Interest for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by Due Date" on back)	_____	_____
13	TOTAL AMOUNT DUE	_____	\$ _____

* These amounts must be intrastate only and must be verifiable
 ** Other long distance revenue must be listed on the Interexchange Regulatory Assessment Fee Return

AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 364.336, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE MINIMUM ANNUAL FEE IS \$50

CURRENT COMPANY STATUS

() Facilities-Based Provider () Reseller
 () Other _____

BILLING INFORMATION

Complete below if billing agent if other than yourself

 (Name) (Address: City/State/Zip) () (Telephone)

COMPANY INFORMATION

Do you lease telecommunications' facilities? () YES () NO
 If YES, who do you lease these facilities from? Name _____
 Address _____

I, the undersigned owner/officer of the above-named company, have read the foregoing and declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above information is a true and correct statement. I am aware that pursuant to Section 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/her duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree.

 (Signature of Company Official) (Title) (Date)

 (Preparer of Form - Please Print Name) Telephone Number () Fax Number ()

F.E.I. No _____

25-24.820 Revocation of a Certificate.

(1) The Commission may on its own motion, after notice and opportunity for hearing, revoke a company's certificate for any of the following reasons:

- (a) Violation of a term or condition under which the authority was originally granted;
- (b) Violation of Commission rule or order;
- (c) Violation of Florida Statute; or
- (d) Violation of a price list standard.

(2) If a certificated company desires to cancel its certificate, it shall request cancellation from the Commission in writing and shall provide the following with its request. Cancellation of a certificate shall be ordered subject to the holder providing the required information.

- (a) A statement of intent and date certain to pay regulatory assessment fee.
- (b) A statement of why the certificate is proposed to be canceled
- (c) A statement as to how customer deposits and final bills will be handled.
- (d) Proof of individual customer notice regarding discontinuance of service.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS
Law Implemented 364.335, 364.345 FS
History--New 12-27-95

SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION

- Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.
- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
- Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits

1. Article Addressed to.

TX500 Budget Comm.
P. O. Box 573
Donalsonville, Georgia 31745-0573

COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

A. Received by (Please Print Clearly) | B. Date of Delivery

2-26-02

C. Signature

X *Lia Jones*

- Agent
 Addressee

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? Yes

If YES, enter delivery address below: No

3. Service Type

- Certified Mail Express Mail
 Registered Return Receipt for Merchandise
 Insured Mail C.O.D.

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) Yes

2. Article Number
(Transfer from: service label)

7001 2510 0007 6217 3411

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MCD Company Information for TX500

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Company Code: TX500
Complete Name: Budget Comm
Mailing Name: Budget Comm
Certificate No(s): 7631
Status: Active
Regulation Date: 11/14/2000
Bankruptcy: No
Company Liaison #1: Cory J. Thomas
Title: Partner
Mailing Address: P. O. Box 573

Physical Location: Donalsonville, GA 31745-0573
601 North Tennille Avenue

Phone: Donalsonville, GA 31745-1109
(229) 524-0041
Fax: (229) 524-0035

Related Dockets:

001035-TX Application for certificate to provide alternative local exchange telecommunications service by Budget Comm.

001499-TP Petition by Verizon Florida Inc. for approval of resale agreement with Budget Comm.

001720-TP Request for approval of resale agreement between ALLTEL Florida, Inc. and Budget Comm.

010262-TP Request by Quincy Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom/Quincy Telephone for approval of resale agreement with Budget Comm.

011423-TX Compliance investigation of Budget Comm for apparent violation of Section 364.183(1), F.S., Access to Company Records.

COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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Complete Name: Budget Comm

Mailing Name: Budget Comm

Company Code: TX500

FEID Number:

RAF ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD 01/01/2001 THROUGH 12/31/2001

Reg. Date: 11/14/2000 Inactive Date:
 Service: ALX - Alternative Local Exchange
 Received: No RAF Form
 Status: Pending
 Amended: No Extension: No
 Frozen: No Comments: No
 Payment Count: 0 Payments Made to Date
 Operating Rev: \$0.00 Interstate Rev: \$0.00
 RAF Rate: Net RAF Due: \$0.00

Assessment	Due	Paid	Owe
RAF	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Penalty	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interest	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Extension Fee	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Last modification was made on Thursday, December 6, 2001 at 2:35 PM by Jackie Knight

Period covered: 01/01/2001 through 12/31/2001 RAF rate:
 Operating rev: \$0.00 Gross intrastate rev: \$0.00
 Documents: Delinquent letter mailed on 02/20/2002
 RAF form mailed on 12/06/2001