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DIVISION OF COMPETITIVE MARKETS & ENFORCEMENT WALTER D'HAESELEER DIRECTOR (850) 413-6600

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August 2, 2002

Via Facsimile (202-424-7643)

Ms. Zenas J. Choi, Counsel Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP 3000 K Street, NW, Suite 300 Washington, DC 20007-5116

RE: **Docket No. 020568-TX**

Dear Ms. Choi:

The Commission has received your letter dated July 30, 2002, requesting cancellation of TOTALink of Florida, LLC's ALEC certificate. There are two kinds of cancellations. The first is voluntary, which is normally granted if the company is in good standing with the Commission and does not have a past due balance of the Regulatory Assessment Fee (RAF), including statutory penalty and interest charges. The other is involuntary. If a company is **not** in good standing and has an outstanding balance of the RAF, the Commission normally cancels the certificate on its own motion for a rule violation. It should be noted that any balance owed is forwarded to the Comptroller's Office for collection.

The RAF is assessed if a certificate is active for any one day during a calendar year. The RAF is due by January 30 of each year, unless the 30th falls on a weekend, then the fee is due by the next working day, for the previous year. If payment for the RAF is mailed after the due date, then statutory penalty and interest charges are applicable.

According to Commission records, TOTALink of Florida, LLC has an outstanding balance of the RAF and/or penalty and interest charges. A breakdown of the charges is attached. Depending upon when the check is postmarked, interest charges will continue to accrue. The 2001 RAF return form is attached.

The effective date of a voluntary cancellation is the date that the Commission received a company's request for cancellation. In this case, the Commission did not receive your request until July 31, 2002, therefore, the company will owe the 2002 RAF, even if the company is no longer in business or, in fact, never went into business. Rule 25-24.820, Florida Administrative Code, r provides that a company requesting voluntary cancellation must either pay the 2002 RAF or provide a date certain that it will be paid, such as within 30 days after the Commission Order is issued granting the voluntary cancellation. The 2002 RAF return form is also attached.

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Please review this information and let me know by August 23, 2002, how you wish to proceed. In the meantime, if you have any questions, just let me know. I can be reached at (850) 413-6502voice, (850) 413-6503-fax, by internet e-mail at pisler@psc.state.fl.us, or at the address below.

Sincerely,

Paula J. Isla

Paula J. Isler, Research Assistant Bureau of Service Quality

Attachments cc: Docket No. 020568-TX Office of the General Counsel (Teitzman)

TOTALink of Florida, LLC (TX138) Certificate No. 5276, Effective 11/24/97 Docket No. 020568-TX

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Year	Fee	Penalty	Interest	Notes
1997	N/A	\$ 2.50	\$0.50	Payment was due 01/30/98. The company's payment for the RAF was postmarked 03/11/98, leaving a balance of \$3.00.
2001	\$ 50.00	\$12.50	\$3.50	 Payment was due 01/30/02. Our records do not show receipt of payment. NOTE: The RAF is .0015% of a company's revenues or \$50.00, whichever is greater. In addition, statutory penalty and interest charges are applicable. If the company owes the minimum and if payment is postmarked by August 28, 2002, the total for 2001 is \$66.00.
2002	\$ 50.00	N/A	N/A	Payment is due by 01/30/03. Rule 25-24.820, F.A.C., provides that a company requesting cancellation must either pay the current year's RAF or provide a date certain it will be paid, such as within 30 days after the Order is issued granting the cancellation.
Total	\$100.00	\$15.00	\$4.00	Total: \$119.00

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CC: P. Isler

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TO AVOID PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES, THE REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEE RETURN MUST BE FILED ON OR BEFORE 01/30/2002 Alternative Local Exchange Company Regulatory Assessment Fee Return

STATUS:	Florida Public Service Commission (See Filing Instructions on Back of Form)	FOR PSC USE ONLY Check#	
Actual Return Estimated Return Amended Return PERIOD COVERED: 01/01/2001 TO 12/31/2001	TX138-01-0-R TOTALink of FLorida, LLC % Utilicom Networks, LLC 124 Grove Street, Suite 220 Franklin, MA 02038-3156 CC: P. Isler	\$0603006 003001 \$P 0603006 004011 \$I Postmark Date Initials of Preparer	
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	(Name of Company)	(Address)	(City/State)	(Zip)
LINE NO.	ACCOUNT CLASSIFICATION	FLORIDA GROSS OPERATING REVENUE	INTRASTATE REVENU	<u>E</u>
1.	Basic Local Services	\$	\$	
2.	Long Distance Services (IntraLATA only)**		<u></u>	
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 I	back)		
12.	Interest for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by Due Date" on 1	back)		
13.	TOTAL AMOUNT DUE		\$	

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These amounts must be <u>intrastate only</u> 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

() Facilities-Based Provider	CURRENT COMPANY STATUS () Reseller () Other:	
Complete below if billing agent if other than yourself.	BILLING INFORMATION	
		()
(Name)	(Address: City/State/Zip)	(Telephone)
	COMPANY INFORMATION	
Do you lease telecommunications' facilities? () YES If YES, who do you lease these facilities from? Name:	() NO	
Address:		
I, the undersigned owner/officer of the above-named co true and correct statement. I am aware that pursuant to Sec public servant in the performance of his/her duty shall be g	ompany, have read the foregoing and declare that to the best o tion 837.06, Florida Statutes, whoever knowingly makes a fal- uilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree.	f my knowledge and belief the above information is a se statement in writing with the intent to mislead a
(Signature of Company Official)	(Title)	(Date)
	Telephone Number ()	Fax Number ()
(Preparer of Form - Please Print Nan		

1. WHEN TO FILE: For companies which owed a total of \$10,000 or more of assessment fee for the preceding calendar year, this Regulatory Assessment Fee Return and payment must be filed or postmarked:

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However, when July 30 or January 30 falls on a Saturday. Sunday, or holiday, the Regulatory Assessment Fee Return may be filed or postmarked on the next business day, without penalty or interest.

 FEES: Each company shall pay 0.0015 of its gross operating revenues derived from intrastate business, as referenced in Rule 25-4.0161(1), F.A C. Gross Operating Revenues are defined as the total revenues before expenses. Gross Intrastate Operating Revenues are defined as revenues from calls originating and terminating within Florida. Do not deduct any expenses, taxes, or uncollectibles from these amounts.

On Line 8. deduct any amounts paid to another telecommunications company for the use of any telecommunications network to provide service to its customers. <u>Do not deduct</u> any taxes, federal subscriber line charges, interstate long distance access charges, or amounts paid for nonregulated services such as voice mail, inside wire maintenance, or equipment purchases/rentals. DEDUCTIONS MUST BE INTRASTATE ONLY AND MUST BE VERIFIABLE.

3. FAILURE TO FILE BY DUE DATE: Failure to file a return by the established due date will result in a penalty being added to the amount of fee due. 5% for each 30 days or fraction thereof, not to exceed a total penalty of 25% (Line 11). In addition, interest shall be added in the amount of 1% for each 30 days or fraction thereof, not to exceed a total of 12% per year (Line 12). A Regulatory Assessment Fee Return must be completed, signed, and filed even if there are no revenues to report or if the minimum amount is due.

When a company fails to timely file a Regulatory Assessment Fee Return, the Commission has the authority to order the company to pay a penalty and/or cancel the company's certificate The company will have an opportunity to respond to any proposed Commission action

4. **EXTENSION:** A request for an extension of time up to 30 days may be made by filing the enclosed *Request for Extension to File Regulatory*. *Assessment Fee Return* form (PSC/ADM-124), two weeks prior to the filing date. When an extension is granted, a charge shall be added to the amount due:

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- 5. FEE ADJUSTMENTS: You will be notified as to the amount and reason for any fee adjustment. Penalty and interest charges may be applicable to additional amounts owed the Commission by reason of the adjustment. The company may file a written request for a refund of any overpayments. The request should be directed to Fiscal Services at the below-referenced address.
- 6. MAILING INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete this form, make a copy for your files, and return the original in the enclosed preaddressed envelope. Use of this envelope should assure a more accurate and expeditious recording of your payment. <u>Make your check payable to</u> the Florida Public Service Commission. If you are unable to use the envelope, please address your remutance as follows:

Florida Public Service Commission

2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard

Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

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7. ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE: If you need additional assistance in preparing your Regulatory Assessment Fee Return or regarding telecommunications facilities, please contact the Division of Competitive Services at (850) 413-6600. This division may be contacted at the above-referenced address, directing correspondence to the attention of the division.

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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.

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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.

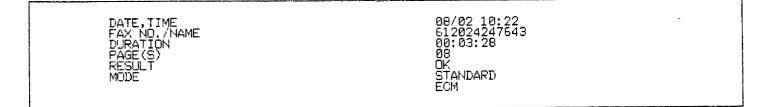
(b) A statement of why the certificate is proposed to be canceled.

- (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. TRANSMISSION VERIFICATION REPORT



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