

# Telecommunications Cooperative Network, Inc. ORIGINAL

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Acting Controller

March 13, 2003

CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF CERTIFICATION/AUTHORITY TO DO BUSINESS,  
CEASED OPERATIONS/FINAL FILINGS/DEADLINE EXTENSION REQUEST FOR:**

Telecommunications Cooperative Network, Inc. ("TCN")

EIN: 04-3417638

Address of Record through March 13, 2003: 359 Boylston Street  
Boston, MA 02116

[See change of address below]

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to inform your agency/department that Telecommunications Cooperative Network, Inc. ("TCN") ceased operating in FLORIDA as of December 31, 2002 and has no intention of resuming operations in your jurisdiction. The purpose of this letter is to initiate any final actions required to wrap-up our previous operations and close any accounts or certificates of authority.

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**1. Ceased Operations**

As of December 31, 2002, TCN ceased operating in FLORIDA. TCN has no intention of resuming operations in FLORIDA at any time in the future. TCN understands that if TCN wishes to re-enter FLORIDA that it will be required to initiate new regulatory actions.

**2. No Harm to Consumers**

During the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2002, TCN endeavored to wrap up all of its customer activity in FLORIDA. It is our understanding that all customers for long-distance services in FLORIDA have been terminated and that there are no open disputes or problems.

**3. Request to Terminate Certification/Regulated Status/Authority to do Business**

Because TCN, effective December 31, 2002, ceased operations in FLORIDA, TCN hereby requests that your agency terminate any and all certifications, registrations, account holding activity, authority to do business, or any other regulated status that TCN may have previously enjoyed.

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#### **4. TCN Never Held or Leased Property in FLORIDA**

TCN was merely a long-distance reseller in FLORIDA. At no time in TCN's corporate existence did TCN own or lease plant, property or equipment in FLORIDA.

#### **5. Change of Address and Contact Person**

Please change TCN's address, effective March 13, 2003, for all official mail and other communications. Also, the contact person listed below should replace any previous contact personnel listed in any of TCN's previous filings.

#### **NEW ADDRESS and CONTACT PERSON:**

Laura Litwinetz, Acting Controller  
Telecommunications Cooperative Network, Inc.  
c/o TechFoundation, Inc.  
955 Massachusetts Ave, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Cambridge, MA 02139  
Phone: 617-354-7561 Fax: 617-588-0483  
Email: Litwinetz@tcn.org

#### **6. Request for 90-day Extension**

At this time, TCN has not been able to complete any final filings to effect the termination of its regulated status in FLORIDA. TCN hereby requests a 90 day extension on any and all deadlines associated with the filing of any and all reports, fees, filings, or other actions or items due from TCN.

#### **7. Request for Forms**

Please provide by return mail to the above address any and all forms required to prepare and file final returns or other filings required by your agency to close our accounts, operations, and terminate our obligations for all future filings. Please mail all required forms and completion instructions to:

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#### **8. Request for Abatement of Penalties & Interest (if applicable)**

While TCN believes that there are no penalties or interest due on previous filings made or not made, to the extent that your agency believes that there are any due and owing penalties or interest related to previous filings, TCN hereby requests that your agency abate, cancel, or terminate any and all such penalties or interest charges. If there are additional forms,

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applications or processes required to complete this abatement process please mail forms and/or instructions for such abatement processes to:

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**9. Request for Relief from Obligations to Make Future Filings**

TCN is not currently operating in your State and therefore requests that TCN be relieved from making any filings (other than the expected Final Filing) in the future.

**10. Request for Contact Person Information**

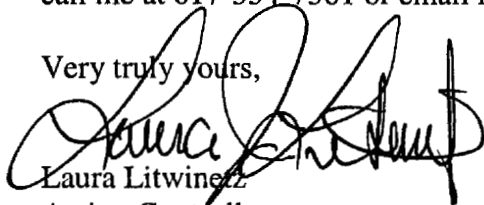
Please reply by return mail (or by fax to 617-588-0483 or email to [litwinetz@tcn.org](mailto:litwinetz@tcn.org)) the name and telephone number of the person in your agency that can answer questions we may have regarding the termination of operations in FLORIDA.

**11. All State Agencies have been informed of this information**

The information in this letter has also been sent to the agencies listed below in order to facilitate the complete termination of regulated status and authority to do business in FLORIDA.

In closing, I thank you for your assistance with this matter. If you have any questions, please call me at 617-354-7561 or email me at [Litwinetz@tcn.org](mailto:Litwinetz@tcn.org).

Very truly yours,



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FLORIDA Department of Revenue  
FLORIDA Secretary of State  
Original letter addressed to each of the above.