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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re :
CRESCENT PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS, INC., :
Debtor :
-and- :
AMERICAN NETWORK EXCHANGE, INC. and :
AMNEX, INC., :
Debtors. :
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Case No. 99 B 10183 (AJG)
Case No. 99 B 43019 (AJG)
Case No. 99 B 43020 (AJG)
(Procedurally Consolidated)

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE BAR DATE
AND PROCEDURES FOR FILING PROOFS OF CLAIM
FOR ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES**

TO: ALL PERSONS AND ENTITIES ASSERTING ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATES OF Crescent Public Communications, Inc. ("Crescent") or American Network Exchange, Inc. ("Anei") and/or Amnex, Inc. ("Amnex") (collectively, the "Debtors"):

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT on November 18, 2005, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Court") entered an order (the "Administrative Expense Bar Date Order") establishing **December 23, 2005 at 5:00 p.m. prevailing Eastern Time** (the Administrative Expense Bar Date"), as the last date and time for filing of proofs of claim for administrative expenses (each an "Administrative Expense Proof of Claim Form") against any of the Debtors. The Administrative Expense Bar Date and the procedures set forth below for the filing of proofs of claim apply to all administrative expense claims against (i) Crescent that arose between May 10, 1999, the date on which its case was commenced or, (ii) with respect to Anei and/or Amnex, May 5, 1999 (as to each of the Debtors, its respective "Commencement Date") and the Administrative Expense Bar Date (the respective "Administrative Expense Period").

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1. WHO MUST FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM

You MUST file an Administrative Expense Proof of Claim Form if you believe that you are entitled to an administrative expense claim that arose during the Administrative Expense Period, and such claim is not one of the types described in Section 2 below.

Administrative expense claims are specifically described in sections 503 and 507 of the Bankruptcy Code. Among other things, these sections provide that certain types of claims are entitled to administrative expense priority, including, without limitation: (i) the actual, necessary costs and expenses of preserving the estate, including wages, salaries, or commissions for services rendered after the commencement of the bankruptcy cases; (ii) certain taxes and penalties related thereto; (iii) compensation and reimbursement of certain officers; (iv) the actual, necessary expenses incurred during the Administrative Expense Period by (a) certain creditors, including, but not limited to, vendors and suppliers, (b) a creditor, an equity security holder, or a committee representing any such entities, in making a substantial contribution to any Debtor's chapter 11 case, (c) a custodian, (d) members of certain committees if incurred in the performance of the duties of such committees; (v) compensation for services rendered by an indenture trustee; and (vi) payments on account of personal injury or other tort claim against any of the Debtors.

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2. WHEN AND WHERE TO FILE

Except as provided for herein, Administrative Expense Proofs of Claim must be filed by mail or if delivered by hand or overnight courier, so as to be received on or before December 23, 2005 at 5:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time, at the following address:

United States Bankruptcy Court
Bankruptcy Clerk, 5th Floor
Southern District of New York
One Bowling Green
New York, NY 10004-1408

Note that Administrative Expense Proofs of Claim will be deemed timely filed only if **actually received** at the address listed above on or before the Administrative Expense Bar Date. Proofs of claim may not be delivered by facsimile or telecopy.

3. WHAT TO FILE

If you file an Administrative Expense Proof of Claim Form, your filed Administrative Expense Proof of Claim Form must: (i) specify which of the listed Debtors your claim is against and, in the space provided, its case number as provided above, (ii) be written in the English language; (iii) be denominated in lawful currency of the United States; and (iv) conform substantially with the proof of claim form, annexed hereto.

You should attach to your completed Administrative Expense Proof of Claim Form copies of any writings upon which such administrative expense claim is based.

ANY CREDITOR WHO FAILS TO FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 23, 2005. FOR ANY CLAIM SUCH CREDITOR HOLDS OR WISHES TO ASSERT AGAINST ANY OF THE DEBTORS WILL BE FOREVER BARRED, ESTOPPED, AND ENJOINED FROM ASSERTING SUCH ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE CLAIM (OR FILING A PROOF OF CLAIM WITH RESPECT TO SUCH ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE CLAIM) AGAINST THE DEBTORS, THE DEBTORS' ESTATES OR PROPERTY, AND THE DEBTORS EACH WILL BE FOREVER DISCHARGED FROM ANY AND ALL INDEBTEDNESS OR LIABILITY WITH RESPECT TO SUCH ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE CLAIM.

A CLAIMANT SHOULD CONSULT AN ATTORNEY REGARDING ANY INQUIRIES. SUCH AS WHETHER SUCH CLAIMANT SHOULD FILE AN ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE PROOF OF CLAIM FORM.

Dated: New York, New York
November 18, 2005

By Order of the Court _____

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ATTORNEYS FOR THE DEBTOR

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK Southern District of New York		ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE PROOF OF CLAIM
Name of Debtor Against Which Administrative Claim is Held SEE BELOW	Case Number	THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY
Name of Creditor (The person or other entity to whom the debtor owes money or property):	<input type="checkbox"/> Check box if you are aware that anyone else has filed a proof of claim relating to your claim. Attach copy of statement giving particulars. <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if you have never received any notices from the bankruptcy court in this case. <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if the address differs from the address on the envelope sent to you by the court.	
Name and address where notices should be sent:		
Telephone number:		
Account or other number by which creditor identifies debtor:	Check here if this claim <input type="checkbox"/> replaces a previously filed claim, dated: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> amends	
1. Basis for Claim <input type="checkbox"/> Goods sold <input type="checkbox"/> Services performed <input type="checkbox"/> Money loaned <input type="checkbox"/> Personal injury/wrongful death <input type="checkbox"/> Taxes <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Retiree benefits as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 1114(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Wages, salaries, and compensation (fill out below) Last four digits of SSN: _____ Unpaid compensation for services performed from _____ (date) to _____ (date)	
2. Date debt was incurred: _____	3. If court judgment, date obtained: _____	
4. Total Amount of Administrative Expense Claim: \$ _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if claim includes interest or other charges in addition to the principal amount of the claim. Attach itemized statement of all interest or additional charges.		
5. Brief Description of Administrative Expense Claim (attach any additional information).		
6. Credits: The amount of all payments on this claim has been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this proof of claim. 7. Supporting Documents: Attach copies of supporting documents, such as promissory notes, purchase orders, invoices, itemized statements of running accounts, contracts, court judgments, mortgages, security agreements, and evidence of perfection of lien. DO NOT SEND ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS. If the documents are not available, explain. If the documents are voluminous, attach a summary. 8. Date-Stamped Copy: To receive an acknowledgment of the filing of your claim, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope and copy of this proof of claim.		THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY
Date: _____	Sign and print the name and title, if any, of the creditor or other person authorized to file this claim (attach copy of power of attorney, if any): _____	
Penalty for presenting a fraudulent claim: Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571.		

Identify the entity against which your claim is asserted:

- A. Crescent Public Communications, Inc. (d/b/a Coastal Payphones Inc., Garden State Telephone Co., Inc. (Case No. 99 B 10183 (AJG) Bek Tel Phones, Inc.; Alcazar Phones, Ltd.; Digital Payphones and Long Island Payphones, f/k/a Crescent Communications, Inc.;
- B. American Network Exchange, Inc., d/b/a Amnex and a/k/a Amnex Acquisition Corp. (Case No. 99 B 43019 (AJG); and
- C. Amnex, Inc. (Case No. 99 B 43020 (AJG) Procedurally Consolidated

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PROOF OF CLAIM FORM

The instructions and definitions below are general explanations of the law. In particular types of cases or circumstances, such as bankruptcy cases that are not filed voluntarily by a debtor, there may be exceptions to these general rules.

— DEFINITIONS —

Debtor

The person, corporation, or other entity that has filed a bankruptcy case is called the debtor.

Creditor

A creditor is any person, corporation, or other entity to whom the debtor owed a debt on the date that the bankruptcy case was filed.

Proof of Claim

A form telling the bankruptcy court how much the debtor owed a creditor at the time the bankruptcy case was filed (the amount of the creditor's claim). This form must be filed with the clerk of the bankruptcy court where the bankruptcy case was filed.

Secured Claim

A claim is a secured claim to the extent that the creditor has a lien on property of the debtor (collateral) that gives the creditor the right to be paid from that property before creditors who do not have liens on the property.

Examples of liens are a mortgage on real estate and a security interest in a car, truck, boat, television set, or other item of property. A lien may have been obtained through a court proceeding before the bankruptcy case began; in some states a court judgment is a lien. In addition, to the extent a creditor also owes money to the debtor (has a right of setoff), the creditor's claim may be a secured claim. (See also *Unsecured Claim*.)

Unsecured Claim

If a claim is not a secured claim it is an unsecured claim. A claim may be partly secured and partly unsecured if the property on which a creditor has a lien is not worth enough to pay the creditor in full.

Unsecured Priority Claim

Certain types of unsecured claims are given priority, so they are to be paid in bankruptcy cases before most other unsecured claims (if there is sufficient money or property available to pay these claims). The most common types of priority claims are listed on the proof of claim form. Unsecured claims that are not specifically given priority status by the bankruptcy laws are classified as *Unsecured Nonpriority Claims*.

Items to be completed in Proof of Claim form (If not already filled in)

Court, Name of Debtor, and Case Number:

Fill in the name of the federal judicial district where the bankruptcy case was filed (for example, Central District of California), the name of the debtor in the bankruptcy case, and the bankruptcy case number. If you received a notice of the case from the court, all of this information is near the top of the notice.

Information about Creditor:

Complete the section giving the name, address, and telephone number of the creditor to whom the debtor owes money or property, and the debtor's account number, if any. If anyone else has already filed a proof of claim relating to this debt, if you never received notices from the bankruptcy court about this case, if your address differs from that to which the court sent notice, or if this proof of claim replaces or changes a proof of claim that was already filed, check the appropriate box on the form.

1. Basis for Claim:

Check the type of debt for which the proof of claim is being filed. If the type of debt is not listed, check "Other" and briefly describe the type of debt. If you were an employee of the debtor, fill in the last four digits of your social security number and the dates of work for which you were not paid.

2. Date Debt Incurred:

Fill in the date when the debt first was owed by the debtor.

3. Court Judgments:

If you have a court judgment for this debt, state the date the court entered the judgment.

4. Total Amount of Claim at Time Case Filed:

Fill in the applicable amounts, including the total amount of the entire claim. If interest or other charges in addition to the principal amount of the claim are included, check the appropriate place on the form and attach an itemization of the interest and charges.

5. Secured Claim:

Check the appropriate place if the claim is a secured claim. You must state the type and value of property that is collateral for the claim, attach copies of the documentation of your lien, and state the amount past due on the claim as of the date the bankruptcy case was filed. A claim may be partly secured and partly unsecured. (See DEFINITIONS, above).

6. Unsecured Nonpriority Claim:

Check the appropriate place if you have an unsecured nonpriority claim, sometimes referred to as a "general unsecured claim". (See DEFINITIONS, above.) If your claim is partly secured and partly unsecured, state here the amount that is unsecured. If part of your claim is entitled to priority, state here the amount not entitled to priority.

7. Unsecured Priority Claim:

Check the appropriate place if you have an unsecured priority claim, and state the amount entitled to priority. (See DEFINITIONS, above). A claim may be partly priority and partly nonpriority if, for example, the claim is for more than the amount given priority by the law. Check the appropriate place to specify the type of priority claim.

8. Credits:

By signing this proof of claim, you are stating under oath that in calculating the amount of your claim you have given the debtor credit for all payments received from the debtor.

9. Supporting Documents:

You must attach to this proof of claim form copies of documents that show the debtor owes the debt claimed or, if the documents are too lengthy, a summary of those documents. If documents are not available, you must attach an explanation of why they are not available.