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Martin Huelsmann, Executive Director
Public Service Commission of Kentucky
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

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Dear Mr. Huelsmann:

On behalf of Premiere Network Services, Inc. ("Premiere" or "Company"), enclosed for filing are an original and four (4) copies of this notification letter of Premiere's intent to provide resold and facilities based local services, access service and interexchange service in the State of Kentucky. Also enclosed, are Premiere's proposed tariffs governing the rates, terms and conditions of Premiere's telecommunications services in Kentucky.

Please date-stamp the enclosed extra copy of this letter and return it to the undersigned in the enclosed, self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope. Should you have any questions with respect to this filing, please do not hesitate to contact Terri K. Firestein at 301-842-1437.

In accordance with the Commission's Order in Administrative Case No. 359 (dated June 21, 1996), and the Commission's Order in Administrative Case No. 370 (dated January 8, 1998), Premiere submits the following information regarding the Company:

1. Name, address, telephone number and fax number of the Company are as follows:

Premiere Network Services, Inc.
1510 North Hampton Road
Suite 120
DeSoto, Texas 75115
Telephone: 972-228-8881
Facsimile: 972-228-8889

2. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** is a copy of Premiere's Certificate of Incorporation and authority to transact business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.
3. Questions concerning this application and tariff should be directed to:

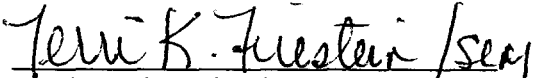
Terri K. Firestein, Consultant
Competitive Communications Group
10806 Garrison Hollow Road
Clear Spring, Maryland 21722
Telephone: 301-842-1437
Facsimile: 301-842-1439
4. The name, address, telephone number and fax number of the responsible contact person for customer complaints and regulatory issues are as follows:

Ms. Jacquetta Peace – Operations Manager
1510 North Hampton Road
Suite 120
DeSoto, Texas 75115

Telephone: 888-773-4374
Facsimile: 972-228-8889
5. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** is a statement by an officer of Premiere Network Service, Inc. that the Company has not provided or collected for intrastate service in Kentucky prior to filing this application.
6. Premiere does not seek to provide operator assisted services to traffic aggregators as defined in Administrative Case No. 330.

7. Premiere plans to provide both resale and facilities based local exchange, access and interexchange (intraLATA and interLATA) communication services. A full listing of services, terms and conditions can be reviewed in the proposed local and interexchange tariffs submitted with this document as Exhibit 3.

Respectfully submitted,


Terri K. Firestein, Consultant for
Premiere Network Services, Inc.

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1	Articles of Incorporation
Exhibit 2	Statement of Officer
Exhibit 3	Proposed Local and Interexchange Tariffs

EXHIBIT 1

Premiere Network Services, Inc.
Articles of Incorporation

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

FILED
In the Office of the
Secretary of State of Texas
MAY 16 1986
Clerk I-A
Corporations Section

ARTICLE ONE.

The name of the corporation is PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

ARTICLE TWO.

The period of its duration is perpetual.

ARTICLE THREE.

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is the transaction of any and all lawful business for which a corporation may be incorporated under the Texas Business Corporation Act and further, to buy, sell, and deal in real property, personal property, and service, subject to Part Four, Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Act.

ARTICLE FOUR.

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have the authority to issue is One Hundred Thousand (100,000) shares with Ten Cents (10¢) par value.

ARTICLE FIVE.

The corporation will not commence business until it has received consideration of the value of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) consisting of money, labor done, or property actually received, for the issuance of its shares.

ARTICLE SIX.

The street address of its registered office is 17304 Preston Road, Suite 1429, Dallas, Texas 75252 and the name of the initial registered agent at this address is Leo A. Wrobel.

ARTICLE SEVEN.

The number of initial directors is two (2). The names and addresses of the initial directors are:

Leo A. Wrobel, 17304 Preston Road, Suite 1429, Dallas, Texas 75252

Harold J. Erbs, 17304 Preston Road, Suite 1429, Dallas, Texas 75252

ARTICLE EIGHT.

The name and address of the incorporator is Carol Chapman-Kondos, 435 North Central Expressway, Richardson, Texas 75080.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 13 day of

May, 19 86.

Carol Chapman-Kondos
Carol Chapman-Kondos

SWORN TO this 13 day of May, 19 86.

Walter R. Kiley
Notary Public in and for the State
of Texas

My Commission Expires:

5/17/88

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
OF
PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

FILED
In the Office of the
Secretary of State of Texas
AUG 27 1997
Corporations Section

ARTICLE ONE

The name of the corporation is PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

ARTICLE TWO

The following amendments to the Articles of Incorporation were adopted on August 15, 1997, to be effective August 15, 1997.

ARTICLE FOUR is amended to read: The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is one million (1,000,000) shares of Common Stock of the par value of ONE AND NO/100 (\$1.00) DOLLARS per share.

ARTICLE SIX is amended to read: The street address of its registered office is 17304 North Preston Road, Suite 800, Dallas, Texas 75252 and the name of the initial registered agent at this address is Leo A. Wrobel.

ARTICLE THREE

The number of shares of the corporation outstanding and entitled to vote at the time of such adoption was 100,000.

ARTICLE FOUR

The number of shares voted for such amendments was 100,000; the number of shares voted against such amendments was zero.

ARTICLE FIVE

The manner in which any exchange, reclassification, or cancellation of issued shares provided for in the amendments shall be effected as follows: The 100,000 issued and outstanding shares

having a par value of Ten Cents (10¢) each shall be exchanged for 10,000 shares having a par value of ONE AND NO/100 (\$1.00) DOLLAR each.

ARTICLE SIX

The manner in which the change in stated capital is effected, and the amount of stated capital as changed, are as follows: NONE.

ATTEST:

BY:

Leo A. Wrobel
LEO A. WROBEL, Sec.

PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES,
INC., a Texas corporation

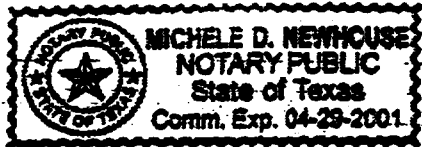
BY:

Leo A. Wrobel
LEO A. WROBEL, Pres.

STATE OF TEXAS §
COUNTY OF ELLIS §

BEFORE ME, a notary public, on this day personally appeared LEO A. WROBEL, President and Secretary of PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC., a Texas corporation, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing document, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein contained are true and correct.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL of office this 2nd day of August, 1997.



Michele D. Newhouse
Notary Public in and for the
State of Texas

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
OF
PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

FILED
In the Office of the
Secretary of State of Texas
SEP 4 1997
Corporations Section

ARTICLE ONE

The name of the corporation is PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

ARTICLE TWO

The following amendment to the Articles of Incorporation was adopted on August 27, 1997, to be effective August 27, 1997.

ARTICLE FOUR is amended to read: The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is one million (1,000,000) shares of Common Stock of the par value of TEN CENTS (10¢) per share.

ARTICLE THREE

The number of shares of the corporation outstanding and entitled to vote at the time of such adoption was 100,000.

ARTICLE FOUR

The number of shares voted for such amendment was 100,000; the number of shares voted against such amendment was zero.

ARTICLE FIVE

The manner in which any exchange, reclassification, or cancellation of issued shares provided for in the amendments shall be effected as follows: NONE

ARTICLE SIX

The manner in which the change in stated capital is effected, and the amount of stated capital as changed, are as follows: NONE.

ATTEST:

PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES,
INC., a Texas corporation

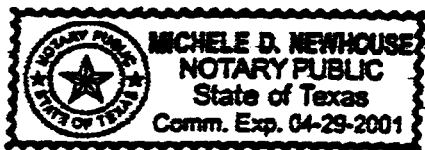
By: Sharon M. Wrobel
SHARON M. WROBEL, Sec.

By: Leo A. Wrobel
LEO A. WROBEL, Pres.

STATE OF TEXAS §
COUNTY OF ELLIS §

BEFORE ME, a notary public, on this day personally appeared LEO A. WROBEL, President and SHARON M. WROBEL, Secretary of PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC., a Texas corporation, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing document, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein contained are true and correct.

GIVEN UNDER BY HAND AND SEAL of office this 2nd day of September, 1997.



Michele D. Newhouse
Notary Public in and for the
State of Texas

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
OF
PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

FILED
In the Office of the
Secretary of State of Texas
DEC 15 1998
Corporations Section

ARTICLE ONE

The name of the corporation is PREMIERE NETWORK SERVICES, INC.

ARTICLE TWO

The following amendment to the Articles of Incorporation was adopted on December 8, 1998, to be effective December 8, 1998.

ARTICLE FOUR is amended to read: The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have the authority to issue is ten million (10,000,000) shares of Common Stock of the par value of ONE CENT (1¢) per share.

ARTICLE THREE

The number of shares for the corporation outstanding and entitled to vote at the time of such adoption was 173,500.

ARTICLE FOUR

The number of shares voted for such amendment was 173,500, the number of shares voted against such amendment was zero.

ARTICLE FIVE

The manner in which any exchange, reclassification, or cancellation of issued shares provided for in the amendment shall be effected as follows:


Ten (10) shares of one cent (1¢) ^{par value} stock shall be exchanged for one (1) share of ten cent (10¢) ^{par value} stock.

EXHIBIT 2

Notarized Statement

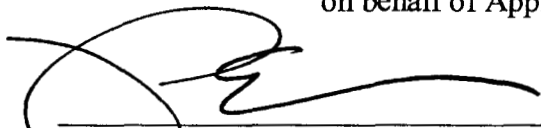
NOTARIZED STATEMENT

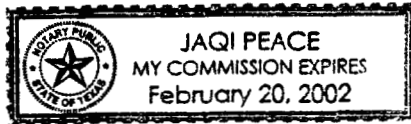
I, Leo A. Wrobel, being duly sworn, do hereby depose and state that I am the President and Chief Executive Officer (CEO), of Premiere Network Services, Inc. and that Premiere Network Services, Inc. has not provided or collected for intrastate service in Kentucky prior to filing this application.

By: 
Leo A. Wrobel, President and CEO
Premiere Network Services, Inc.

STATE OF: TEXAS
COUNTY OF: DALLAS

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on June 29, 2000
on behalf of Applicant – Premiere Network Services, Inc.


Jaqi Peace
Notary Public



My Commission expires: February 20, 2002