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Mr. Don Mills  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
730 Schenkel Lane  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602  
(501) 564-3940

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Re: Universal Access, Inc.

Dear Mr. Mills:

Enclosed please find for filing one original and eleven (11) copies of Universal Access, Inc.'s Filing Requirements to Operate as a Reseller and Facilities-based Provider of Interexchange and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

- (1) Universal Access, Inc., respectfully requests approval from the Kentucky Public Service Commission in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, KRS 278.030(2), KRS 278.160, and KRS 278.512, for authority to operate as a reseller and facilities-based provider of interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services. The name and address of the company is as follows: Universal Access, Inc., 100 N. Riverside Plaza, Suite 2200, Chicago, IL 60606.
- (2) The name, address, telephone number and fax number of the responsible contact for complaints and regulatory issues is Tina Tygielski, Universal Access, Inc., 100 N. Riverside Plaza, Suite 2200, Chicago, IL 60606, (312) 660-5072 (Phone), (312) 660-5050 (Fax).
- (3) Copies of its articles of incorporation and certificate of authority from the Secretary of State are attached hereto as Exhibit A.

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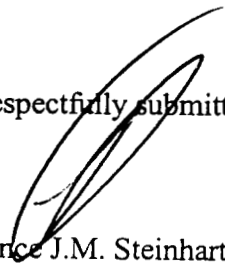
- (4) The names and qualifications of operating personnel and any other evidence to show owners have financial, technical, and managerial abilities to provide adequate, reasonable, and efficient service: See Exhibit B which is attached hereto, which contains biographies for Officers and Directors of Universal Access, Inc., and Exhibit C which is attached hereto, which contains Universal Access, Inc.'s Audited Financial Statements for the 9 months ended September 30, 1999, the year ended December 31, 1998, and the period from October 2, 1997 to December 31, 1997.
- (5) Attached hereto as Exhibit D is a Proposed Interexchange Tariff for Universal Access, Inc. A local exchange tariff will be filed upon completion of interconnection/resale agreements and prior to commencing service.
- (6) Interconnection / Resale Agreement. Universal Access, Inc., is in the process of entering into an Interconnection and/or Resale Agreements with the incumbent local exchange carriers in Kentucky.
- (7) A notarized statement by Tina Tygielski, Director of Regulatory Affairs for Universal Access, Inc., regarding intrastate service is attached hereto as Exhibit E.
- (8) Universal Access, Inc., intends to provide interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services to business and residential customers.
- (9) Universal Access, Inc., initially will provide interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services on a resale basis. In the future, Universal Access, Inc., may provide telecommunications services via a combination of resale, unbundled network elements, and its own facilities.
- (10) Universal Access, Inc., will comply with the monitoring requirements of the Kentucky Administrative Code 355.

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I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date-stamped and returned to me in the enclosed preaddressed, postage-prepaid envelope.

If you have any questions or if I may provide you with additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,



Larce J.M. Steinhart  
Attorney for Universal Access, Inc.

Enclosures  
cc: Tina Tygielski