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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records & Recording Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

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Re: Letter Application of Counsel Springwell LLC and WorldxChange Corp.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Counsel Springwell Communications LLC ("Counsel Springwell") and WorldxChange Corp. ("WorldxChange") (together "Applicants"), through their undersigned counsel and pursuant to Section 364.33, Florida Statutes hereby request that the Commission grant such authority as may be necessary or required in connection with an intra-corporate reorganization resulting from a debt restructuring that the Applicants propose to complete at the holding company level. Although the proposed restructuring will result in a change in ownership of all of the stock of WorldxChange's direct parent, the resulting intracorporate reorganization will not result in a change in the ultimate majority control of WorldxChange. Moreover, because the proposed restructuring will be completed at the holding company level and will not result in a change of the rates, terms and conditions under which WorldxChange. As a result, the proposed restructuring will be entirely *pro forma* in nature.

Despite its *pro forma* nature, the proposed debt restructuring is expected to rationalize the internal structure of the Counsel Springwell entities, significantly enhance WorldxChange's financial position and position WorldxChange to compete more effectively in the Florida telecommunications market. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the Commission approve this Application as expeditiously as possible in order to allow Applicants to consummate the proposed restructuring as soon as possible.

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In support of this Application, Applicants state as follows:

I. Description of the Applicants

A. Counsel Springwell Communications LLC ("Counsel Springwell")

Counsel Springwell is a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware. Counsel Springwell is a majority owned (86%) indirect subsidiary of Counsel Corporation ("Counsel"), a publicly traded Canadian corporation that specializes in investments, including in communications companies. Among other things, Counsel Springwell currently holds an indirect majority interest of approximately 68% in WorldxChange through a 68% majority interest in I-Link, Incorporated ("I-Link"), WorldxChange's corporate parent. In addition, WorldxChange and I-Link each have outstanding loan obligations to Counsel Springwell in the aggregate amounts, including accrued and unpaid interest, of approximately \$12.4 million and approximately \$39.4 million, respectively.

B. WorldxChange Corp. ("WorldxChange")

WorldxChange Corp. is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with principal offices located at 9775 Business Park Avenue, San Diego, California 92131. WorldxChange is a wholly owned subsidiary of CPT-1 Holdings, Inc., ("CPT-1 Holdings"), a corporation formed under the laws of the State of Delaware. CPT-1 Holdings is a wholly owned direct subsidiary of WebToTel, Inc. ("WebToTel"), a corporation formed under the laws of the State of Delaware. CPT-1 Holdings is a wholly owned direct subsidiary of WebToTel, Inc. ("WebToTel"), a corporation formed under the laws of the State of Delaware. WebToTel is, in turn, a wholly owned direct subsidiary of I-Link, a publicly traded company organized under the laws of the State of Florida with principal place of business located at 13751 S. Wadsworth Park Drive, Suite 200, Draper, Utah 84020.¹

In Florida, WorldxChange is authorized to provide telecommunications services pursuant to a certification granted by the Commission in Docket No. 011023-TI, issued on August 27, 2001.² Further information concerning WorldxChange's legal, technical, managerial and financial qualifications to provide service was submitted with its application for certification with the Commission and is, therefore, a matter of public record. WorldxChange respectfully

Another wholly owned I-Link subsidiary, I-Link Communications, Inc. ("I-Link Communications") is authorized to provide service in Florida pursuant to authority granted to in Docket No. 971293-TI.

² WorldxChange was formerly known as PT-1 Counsel, Inc. but changed its name in connection with its acquisition of certain operations of the now bankrupt WorldxChange Communications, Inc. out of bankruptcy in 2001.

requests that the Commission take official notice of that information and incorporate it herein by reference.

II. Contact Information

Questions or inquiries concerning this Application may be directed to:

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III. Description of the Transaction

As part of the proposed Debt Restructuring ("Debt Restructuring"), Counsel Springwell proposes to acquire a 100% indirect interest in WorldxChange in exchange for, and in satisfaction of, a portion of its current loans to I-Link. In particular, as referenced above, Counsel Springwell currently holds outstanding loan obligations of WorldxChange and I-Link in the aggregate amounts of approximately \$12.4 million and approximately \$39.4 million respectively (the "Loans"). Applicants now propose to complete a Debt Restructuring through which \$25.9 million of the \$39.4 million owed to Counsel Springwell by I-Link would be converted to equity. In addition, Counsel Springwell has agreed to release I-Link from its guaranty of the indebtedness owed by WorldxChange to Counsel Springwell (which indebtedness would remain outstanding), continue to provide additional funding to I-Link and to surrender for cancellation warrants to purchase 15,000,000 shares of I-Link common stock which were issued in conjunction with the Loans. In conjunction with those transactions, I-Link would transfer to Counsel Springwell additional I-Link stock and all of the outstanding capital stock of CPT-1 Holdings, the immediate corporate parent of WorldxChange.

As a result of the proposed Debt Restructuring, complete indirect ownership of WorldxChange will be transferred from I-Link to Counsel Springwell. Counsel Springwell currently holds a 68% interest in I-Link and therefore indirectly in WorldxChange. Accordingly, although 100% of the stock of CPT-1 Holdings will be transferred (along with its 100% interest in WorldxChange), the Debt Restructuring will not result in a change in ultimate majority control of WorldxChange. In addition, there will be no change in the day-to-day operations or operational control of WorldxChange. As a result, the Debt Restructuring will therefore be *pro forma* in nature.

Through the proposed Debt Restructuring, Counsel Springwell will increase the magnitude of its direct ownership interest in I-Link (Counsel Springwell currently owns approximately 68% I-Link, with the remainder being widely and publicly held). Through the Debt Restructuring, Counsel Springwell proposes to increase its interest in I-Link from approximately 68% to approximately 85%, with a corresponding indirect increase in the ownership of all of I-Link subsidiaries.³ An illustrative chart describing the pre- and post-Debt Restructuring structures of Applicants is provided in Exhibit A.

IV. Public Interest Considerations

Applicants respectfully submit that the proposed Debt Restructuring serves the public interest. The proposed restructuring will not result in a change in the ultimate control or majority ownership of any Florida utility. In addition, because the proposed Debt Restructuring will be completed at the CPT-1 Holdings level, the proposed transaction will not affect the day-to-day operation or management of WorldxChange. Indeed, the proposed Debt Restructuring will be entirely transparent to customers of WorldxChange.

³ As noted previously, in addition to WorldxChange, I-Link owns 100% of I-Link Communications, a provider of telecommunications services in Florida. Following the proposed Debt Restructuring and unlike WorldxChange, however, I-Link Communications will continue to be wholly owned by I-Link. As a result, the only effect of the proposed Debt Restructuring on I-Link Communications will be to increase Counsel Springwell's indirect ownership interest to approximately 89%. Based on a review of Florida law, Applicants understand that no approval is required to complete the Debt Restructuring with respect to I-Link Communications. If, however, that understanding is inaccurate, Applicants respectfully request that the Commission grant such additional approval as may be necessary to complete the Debt Restructuring in connection with this Application.

V. Conclusion

For the reasons stated above, Applicants respectfully submit that the public interest, convenience, and necessity would be furthered by a grant of this Application. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request expedited treatment to permit Applicants to consummate the transactions described herein as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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Illustrative Chart

Exhibit A: Illustrative Chart of Pro Forma Reorganization



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STATE OF) D. SNR. J & COUNTY OF) ss:

I, David Boillot, being first duly sworn, state that I am General Counsel of Counsel Springwell Communications, LLC and Assistant Secretary of WorldxChange Corp., Applicants in the foregoing Application; that I am authorized to make this Verification on behalf of Counsel Springwell Communications, LLC and WorldxChange Corp. and that the contents of the foregoing Application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

David Boillot

General Counsel, Counsel Springwell Communications, LLC and Assistant Secretary, WorldxChange Corp.

Sworn and subscribed before me this $\frac{31^{2}}{4}$ day of $\frac{7049}{2002}$, 2002 My commission expires October 31, 2002

Katherine Ann Swall Notary Public in and for The District of Columbic

