# Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, DC 20554

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Section 63.71 Application of AT&T Corp.	)	File No.	OMM!	R - 8	EIVE
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For Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of	)		2.	9	Š
The Communications Act of 1934, As Amended,	)			9	()
To Discontinue the Provision of Service	)				

### SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION OF AT&T CORP.



AT&T Corp. ("AT&T"), applies for authority under Section 214(a) of the Communications Act, as amended ("the Act"), 47 U.S.C. § 214, and Section 63.71 of the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.71, to discontinue AT&T Corporate Calling Card Service.

As required by Section 63.71(a) and (b) of the Commission's rules, AT&T provides the following information:

#### Name and Address of Carrier (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71(a)(1), (b)(2)):

AT&T Corp.

Corporate Address: 1 AT&T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921

Address for correspondence related to this Application: 675 W. Peachtree St. Atlanta, GA 30046

#### Date of Planned Service Discontinuance (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71(a)(2), (b)(2)):

AT&T plans to no longer offer this service to new customers on or after May 15, 2015, and plans to discontinue this service to existing customers on or after December 31,

2016 subject to Commission authorization of the discontinuance pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(c).

#### Points of Geographic Areas of Service Affected (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71(a)(3), b(2)):

AT&T will discontinue this service in all 50 states, including the District of Columbia, and the following U.S. territories, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands, Saipan, and American Samoa.

#### Brief Description of Type of Service Affected (47 C.F.R. §§ 63.71(a)(3), b(2)):

AT&T Corporate Calling Card Service is a long distance travel card that allows users to place intrastate, interstate and/or international calls by dialing a company-provided toll-free access code or number.

The public convenience and necessity will not be impaired by this service discontinuance because calling card usage has been declining for several years. This is due to the market growth of other communication methods, including mobile phones, email, social media streams and voice over IP.

Brief Description of the Dates and Methods of Notice to All Affected Customers (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(b)(3)):

AT&T notified its customers of its intention to discontinue this service by letter sent via first class U.S. Mail on April 1, 2015. Copies of this Application are being sent, first class U.S. Mail, to the public utilities commissions and governors of the affected states and also to the Special Assistant for Telecommunications to the Secretary of Defense, as required by 63.71(a) of the Commission's rules.

#### Regulatory Classification of Carrier (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(b)(4)):

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Attachment A

AT&T is considered non-dominant with respect to the services to be discontinued.

Questions about this application may be addressed to David Talbott, AT&T Services, Inc., Director – Federal Regulatory, 1120 20<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20036, (202) 457-3039.

#### **Conclusion:**

The public convenience and necessity will not be adversely affected by the discontinuance of this service given the significant and continuing decline of this service and the many alternative options available to consumers. AT&T respectfully requests that the Commission approve its Section 63.71 Application to discontinue AT&T Corporate Calling Card service.

Respectfully submitted,

By:/s/Terri L. Hoskins

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Its Attorneys

April 2, 2015

# ATTACHMENT A







Notice Regarding Corporate Calling Cards (Including AT&T World Wide Calling Cards) Change in Service Effective 05/15/15

RE: Account Number(s)

Thank you for using AT&T for your business service needs. We want to make you aware of planned changes to your Corporate Calling Card.

Our records indicate active Corporate Calling Cards service within your VTNS agreements at the following address:

**Effective May 15, 2015**, pending regulatory approval, AT&T's Corporate Calling Cards will no longer be available to <u>new</u> customers (no current contract or service) in the 50 states and/or worldwide. As a <u>current AT&T</u> customer with Corporate Calling Cards, you may retain your existing service(s) subject to the following changes in service:

Effective May 15, 2015, AT&T will no longer renew calling card service within agreements for VTNS. Following the expiration of your current VTNS term agreement, AT&T will provide this service on a month-to-month basis until the service is discontinued. During any month-to-month service period, AT&T may change the rates, terms and conditions of the service upon required notification.

Effective June 1, 2016, Moves, Additions, and Change orders for calling cards within VTNS agreements will no longer be accepted. After May 30, 2016, no requests for physical changes to your service including the addition, replacement or modifications to calling cards, or the installation/activation of new calling card service will be accepted. Your calling card service will be discontinued on or after December 31, 2016.

The FCC will normally authorize this proposed discontinuance of service (or reduction or impairment) unless it is shown that customers would be unable to receive service or a reasonable substitute from another carrier or that the public convenience and necessity is otherwise adversely affected. If you wish to object, you should file your comments as soon as possible, but no later than 15 days after the Commission releases public notice of the proposed discontinuance. Address them to the Federal Communication Commission, Wireline Competition Bureau, Competition Policy Division, Washington, DC 20554, and include in your comments a reference to the §63.71 Application of AT&T Corp. Comments should include specific information about the impact of this proposed discontinuance (or reduction or impairment) upon you or your company, including any inability to acquire reasonable substitute service.

If you have any questions regarding this change please contact Paige Harrell, at 675 W. Peachtree St. Atlanta, GA 30046.

Your business is important to us and we want to ensure that you are obtaining the best service to stay connected to your customers, business partners, and employees. AT&T's Mobility Service is a great replacement solution for Calling Cards, given our competitive rates, excellent customer service, and extensive 4G LTE footprint.

Your AT&T account team wants to make this transition as smooth as possible. We encourage you to contact your account manager to discuss an alternate replacement solution from AT&T that best meets your needs.

We appreciate your understanding and look forward to serving your future business needs.

Sincerely, Paige Harrell Sr. Product Manager AT&T Services, Inc.

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Lacretia Hill, certify that I have, on April 2, 2015, served a copy of the foregoing Section 63.71 Application of AT&T by U.S. Mail postage prepaid to the addresses on the attached sheets:

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