Case Assignment and Scheduling Record

Section 1 - Division of Records and Report R (RAR) Completes

Docket No. 980584-11

Company: National Communications Association, Inc.

Universal Telecommunications Group (Universal Comm

Date Docketed: 04/27/1998 Title: Request for approval of easignment of and name change on Intereschange Telecommunications Certificate No. 2968 from National Communications Association, Inc. to Universal Communications Group, Inc. d/b/a Universal Telecommunications Group.

ferred to: ()" indicates	OPR)	ADH	2000			(CMU)			LEG	RAR	***	LAU		
ction 2 - OPR	Completes and re	eturns to							In	e Sched	tule			
ogram/Module	B1(c)			MARN	ING: TH	IS SCHED	ULE IS	AN INTE	RHAL PL	ANNING	DOCUMEN	L		
						CONTACT					411-A77	n		
	Stoff Assis	SCHOOL F.		10,000		SR revis			action.	(030)	413 011		Due I	etes
R Staff	N Pruitt					0	7					Den	. Louis	Current
						0	_					P.C.	V100s	carrent
						Recommen			_			NON	_	07/09/199
		_				- Regul der - Au		Closic	0			NO.	NE.	07/21/1998
aff Counsel	K Pena					OE! N					-	-	-	50/10/11/1
all commen	B. 1 31/4			5.										
Rs ()				6.										
			_	7.	_								_	
				10.								_		
()														
				12.										
				14.										
				15.										
()			_	17.									_	
				1.00										
				19.										
2 4				20.					_					
()				22.									-	
				23.										
				24.							-	_		
()				26.										
				27.	-									
				28.										
				30.										
commended ass	ignments for hear	ring		31.	-									
d/or deciding				32.										
			20	33.								_		
Full Commissi	on X Commis	ssion Pane	_	34.	-								_	_
nearing Exami				200										
te filed with	RAR: 05/08/1998			37.								_		
itials: OPR				38.									-	
	f Counsel			40.						-			-	-
-,,0,,				01 222			-					- 1		

Staff Commissioners Hrg. Exem. ALL JN DS CL GR JC

Where panels are assigned the senior Commissioner is Panel Chairman; the identical panel decides the case. Where one Commissioner, a Hearing Examiner or a Staff Hember is assigned the full Commission decides the case.

ADR	Comm'ssioners								
	JC	GR	CI	1,	JN				
×									

Approved:	41/m	
NAME OF TAXABLE PARTY.	8 × 1000	

Date: 05/08/1998

Case Assignment and Scheduling Record

ACM AFA APP CAF (CMU) EAG GCL LEG RAR
Program/Module BI(3) WARNING: THIS SOURCE IS AN INTERNAL PLANNING DOCUMENT TTS TRINTIVE AND SELECT TO SEVISION
Staff Assignments
taff Counse! (A) (BS (A) (BS (A) (BS (B) (B
taff Counse!
CRS ()
10
12
15
17
20
22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 29 29 29 29 20 20 20
24 25 26 27 28 29 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 3
27 28 29 30 30 30 31 32 32 33 54 54 54 54 54 54 54
29 30 30 31 31 32 33 33 33 33 34 34 35 36 36 36 37 38 38 39 39 39 39 39 39
Full Commission Commission Panel 32 33 33 34 34 34 34 35 36 36 37 38 38 39 39 39 39 31 31 32 33 33 34 34 35 36 36 37 38 38 38 39 39 39 39 39
Full Commission
ate filed with RAR 37 38 38 39 39 51 51 51 51 51 51 51 51 51 51 51 51 51
nitials OPR 39 Staff Counsel 40 ection 3 - Chairman Completes Assignments are as follows
ection 3 - Chairman Completes Assignments are as follows
1
nearing utilizer(s)
Commissioners Hrg Staff Commissioners ADM
ALL JN DS CL GR JC Exam JN DS CL GR JC

SUITE 500 1400 SIXTH NTH STRIFT IN W

WASHINGTON DIG 20016

TILLEPHONE - 202 | 328 8200

202 462 1784 202 462 1786

May 1, 1998



Ms. Blanca Bayo Director of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 101 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re:

Assignment of National Communication Association, Inc's Certificate to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service (Docket No. 920138-TI; Order No. PSC-92-0397-FOF-TI) to Universal Communications Group, Inc.

Dear Ms. Bayo

On behalf of Universal Communications Group, Inc. ("UCG") and National Communications Association, Inc. ("NCA"), non-facilities based (or "switchless") resellers of interexchange telecommunications services, we hereby inform the Florida Public Service Commission that NCA plans to assign to UCG its Certificate to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service, issued May 26, 1992 (Docket No. 920138-TI; Order No. PSC-92-0397-FOF-TI), a copy of which is attached hereto.

UCG is qualified and authorized to transact business in Florida. Pursuant to a resolution of its Board of Directors, UCG adopted Universal Telecommunications Group for use as its "d/b/a" name in the State of Florida. UCG's use of a "d/b/a" name has been registered with the Florida Secretary of State. NCA is a New York corporation and UCG is Delaware corporation. Both corporations are qualified to do business in Florida. NCA and UCG are both who ly owned by Mr. George Schoenberg, a U.S. citizen, who is a resident of the State of New York. Mr. Schoenberg currently serves as President and Chairman of the Board of NCA and UCG.

UCG will have the same management team as NCA, and hence, the same operational and technical resources. Both corporations have their principal offices at: 16 East 34th Street, 15th

RECEIVED & FILED

FPSC-BUREAU OF RECORDS

Blanca Bayo, Director of Records and Reporting May 1, 1998 Page 2

Floor, New York, New York 10016. The common corporate telephone number is 212-683-8585. The assignment will be accomplished in a seamless fashion that will be transparent to consumers and without any effect on the services now provided by NCA. At the appropriate time, NCA will notify its customers that its services will henceforth be provided by UCG.

NCA has determined that the proposed assignment will improve the operational efficiency of its interexchange resale business. The assignment will enable UTG to reduce its operating expenses and realize operational and management efficiencies and other corporate benefits that will inure to the benefit of subscribers in Florida. In addition, the assignment will increase flexibility in meeting customer demand, and will facilitate responses to changing market conditions. Consequently, this assignment will further the public's interest in availability of high quality interexchange services.

An extra copy of this filing and a self-addressed return envelope are enclosed for datestamping and return by the Commission.

Please direct any questions concerning this matter to the undersigned counsel for Universal Communications Group, Inc. and National Communications Association, Inc.

Jume KBlack

Very truly yours,

Jerome K. Blask

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Tom Williams

REFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for certicate to provide interexchange | telecommunications service by | NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS | ASSOCIATION, INC. |

DOCKET NO. 920138-TI ORL TR NO. PSC-92-0397-F0F-TI ISSUED: 05/26/92

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman SUSAN F. CLARK J. TERRY DEASON LUIS J. LAUREDO

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION ORDER GRANTING CERTIFICATE

BY THE COMMISSION:

Notice is hereby given by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are substantially affected files a petition for formal proceeding pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

National Communications Association, Inc. filed an application for an interexchange certificate on February 17, 1992. The application contained the required background information and its proposed tariff. After having considered the application, it appears that the Company is technically capable of providing service. Therefore, we find that it is in the public interest to grant a certificate to National Communications Associations and it is our intention to grant the certificate. Interext of the carriers (IXCs) are subject to the provisions of Rules 25-24.455 through 25-24.495, Florida Administrative Code. Additionally, by Order No. 16804, 'XCs are prohibited from constructing facilities to bypass a local exchange company without express prior approval from the Commission.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the application of National Communications Association, Inc. for a

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

05339 HAT 26 CT

- -- --

ORDER NO. PSC-92-0397-FOF-TI DOCKET NO. 920138-TI PAGE 2

certificate to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service is granted as set forth in the body of this order. It is further

ORDERED that the effective date of the certificate is the date specified below, if there is no protest to the proposed agency action within the time frame set forth below. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall be closed if no protest is filed in accordance with the requirements set forth below.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 26th day of May, 1992.

STEVE TRIBBLE, Director Division of Records and Reporting

(SEAL)

JKA

by: Kay Hegan Chief, Bureal of Records

NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to motify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

ORDER NO. PSC-92-0197-FOF-TI DOCKET NO. 920138-TI PAGE 1

The action proposed herein is preliminary in nature and will not become effective or final, except as provided by Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code. Any person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed by this order may file a petition for a formal proceeding, as provided by Rule 25-22.029(4), Florida Administrative Code, in the form provided by Rule 25-22.036(7)(a) and (f), Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tellaharian Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on June 16. 11

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become affective on the day subsequent to the above date as provided by Rule 25-22.029(6), Florida Administrative Code.

Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

If this order becomes final and effective on the date described above, any party adversely affected may request judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or by the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.

CMU -Please advise on the following -1. Does "UCG" have a

- Florida IXC certificate?

 2. Does this action include a name change?
- 3. Do NCA's cirt being cancill?
- 4. So the docket title Correct?

Thanks. Kay Flynn

STATE OF FLORIDA

Commissioners: JULIA L. JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN J. TERRY DEASON SUSAN F. CLARK JOE GARCIA E. LEON JACOBS, JR



DIVISION OF RECORDS & REPORTING BLANCA S. BAYO DIRECTOR (850) 413-6770

Public Service Commission

April 29, 1998

Timothy M. Smith Gurman Blask & Freedman Chartered 1400 Sixteenth Street, NW, Suite 500 Washington, DC 20036

Re: Docket No. 980584-TI

Dear Mr Smith

This will acknowledge receipt of a request by National Communications Association, Inc. for approval of assignment of Interexchange Telecommunications Certificate No. 2968 to Universal Communications Group, Inc., which was filed in this office on April 27, 1998 and assigned the above-referenced docket number. Appropriate staff members will be advised.

Mediation may be available to resolve any dispute in this docket. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to an administrative hearing. For more information, contact the Office of General Counsel at (850) 413-6078 or FAX (850) 413-6079.

Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission