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DOMESTIC SECTION 214 APPLICATION FILED FOR THE TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF RESERVE TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC. AND RESERVE LONG DISTANCE CO., INC. FROM EXISTING TO FUTURE SHAREHOLDERS

STREAMLINED PLEADING CYCLE ESTABLISHED

WC Docket No. 07-199

Comments Due: September 26, 2007 Reply Comments Due: October 3, 2007

On September 6, 2007, the following application was filed pursuant to section 63.03 of the Commission's rules requesting authority to transfer control of Reserve Telephone Company, Inc. ("Telephone") and Reserve Long Distance Co., Inc. ("Long Distance") (collectively the "Company") from CEA Capital Partners USA, L.P., CEA Capital Partners USA CI, L.P., Indosuez RCC Partners, Hans Sternberg, and William W. Ironside ("Transferors") to Kevin P. Reilly, Jr. and Sean E. Reilly, both U.S. citizens.¹ Telephone is an incumbent local exchange carrier ("LEC") serving approximately one-third of St. John The Baptist Parish in Louisiana. Long Distance is a competitive LEC serving all of St. John The Baptist Parish. Pursuant to the proposed transaction, Transferors will sell their shares in Reserve Holdings, Inc., a Delaware holding company and the ultimate parent of the Company, to Kevin R. Reilly, Jr. and Sean E. Reilly, who will hold equal membership interests. Applicants assert that the proposed transaction is entitled to presumptive streamlined treatment under section 63.03(b)(1)(ii) of the Commission's rules and that a grant of the application will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity.²

Application Filed for the Transfer of Control of Reserve Telephone Company, Inc. and Reserve Long Distance Co., Inc. from Existing to Future Shareholders, WC Docket No. 07-199 (filed Sept. 6, 2007).

² 47 C.F.R. § 63.03(b)(1)(ii).

¹ 47 C.F.R § 63.03; *see* 47 U.S.C. § 214. Applicants filed a supplement to their domestic section 214 application on September 11, 2007.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The transfer of control identified herein has been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing as a streamlined application. The Commission reserves the right to return any transfer of control application if, upon further examination, it is determined to be defective and not in conformance with the Commission's rules and policies. Pursuant to section 63.03(a) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 63.03(a), interested parties may file comments **on or before September 26, 2007**, and reply comments **on or before October 3, 2007**. Unless otherwise notified by the Commission, Applicants are permitted to transfer control on the 31st day after the date of this notice.³ Comments may be filed using: (1) the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS), (2) the Federal Government's eRulemaking Portal, or (3) by filing paper copies. *See Electronic Filing of Documents in Rulemaking Proceedings*, 63 FR 24121 (1998).

- Electronic Filers: Comments may be filed electronically using the Internet by accessing the ECFS: <u>http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/ecfs/</u> or the Federal eRulemaking Portal: <u>http://www.regulations.gov</u>. Filers should follow the instructions provided on the website for submitting comments.
- For ECFS filers, if multiple docket or rulemaking numbers appear in the caption of this proceeding, filers must transmit one electronic copy of the comments for each docket or rulemaking number referenced in the caption. In completing the transmittal screen, filers should include their full name, U.S. Postal Service mailing address, and the applicable docket or rulemaking number. Parties may also submit an electronic comment by Internet e-mail. To get filing instructions, filers should send an e-mail to ecfs@fcc.gov, and include the following words in the body of the message, "get form." A sample form and directions will be sent in response.
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³ Such authorization is conditioned upon receipt of any other necessary approvals from the Commission in connection with the proposed transaction.

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- 5) Jim Bird, Office of General Counsel, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room 8-C824, Washington, D.C. 20554; e-mail: jim.bird@fcc.gov.

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