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DOMESTIC SECTION 214 APPLICATION FILED FOR THE TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF VODA NETWORKS, INC. FROM MICHAEL BERG TO CHRISTINE RIZZUTO

STREAMLINED PLEADING CYCLE ESTABLISHED

WC Docket No. 13-271

Comments Due: December 10, 2013
Reply Comments Due: December 17, 2013

On November 18, 2013, Voda Networks, Inc. (Voda), Michael Berg (Berg) and Christine Rizzuto, (collectively, Applicants) filed an application pursuant to section 63.03 of the Commission's rules¹ to transfer control of Voda from Berg to Rizzuto.

Voda is a non-dominant carrier that resells local, domestic and long distance service from various facilities based carriers. Voda offers domestic interstate services in forty-eight states² and the District of Columbia as a non-dominant carrier. Rizzuto, a U.S. citizen, will acquire substantially all of the shares of Voda from Berg. 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.³

Domestic Section 214 Application Filed for the Transfer of Control of Voda Networks, Inc. from Michael Berg to Christine Rizzuto, WC Docket No. 13-271 (filed Nov. 18, 2013).

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 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 December 10, 2013**, and reply comments **on or before December 17, 2013**. Pursuant to section 63.52 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.52, commenters must serve a copy of comments on the Applicants no later than the above comment filing

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 63.03; *see* 47 U.S.C. § 214. Applicants filed a supplement to their application on November 25, 2013.

² Voda provides service in all states except Alaska and Hawaii.

³ 47 C.F.R. § 63.03(b)(1)(ii).

date. Unless otherwise notified by the Commission, the Applicants may transfer control on the 31st day after the date of this notice.

Pursuant to section 63.03 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 63.03, parties to this proceeding should file any documents in this proceeding using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS): <http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/ecfs2/>.

In addition, e-mail one copy of each pleading to each of the following:

- 1) Myrva Charles, Competition Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, myrva.charles@fcc.gov;
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- 3) David Krech, Policy Division, International Bureau, david.krech@fcc.gov; and
- 4) Jim Bird, Office of General Counsel, jim.bird@fcc.gov.

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For further information, please contact Myrva Charles at (202) 418-1506 or Dennis Johnson at (202) 418-0809.

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