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**NON STREAMLINED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS/PETITIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING
Section 214 Applications (47 C.F.R. § 63.18); Authorize Switched Services over Private Lines (47 C.F.R. § 63.16
and Section 310(b)(4)**

Unless otherwise specified, the following procedures apply to the applications listed below:

The applications listed below have been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. These applications are not subject to the streamlined processing procedures set forth in Section 63.12 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.12. These applications shall not be deemed granted until the Commission affirmatively acts upon the application, either by public notice or by written order. Operation for which authorization is sought may not commence except in accordance with any terms or conditions imposed by the Commission.

Unless otherwise specified, interested parties may file comments with respect to these applications within 28 days of the date of this public notice. We request that such comments refer to the application file number shown below. No application listed below shall be granted by the Commission earlier than the day after the date specified in this public notice for the filing of comments.

Unless otherwise specified, ex parte communications between outside parties and Commission staff concerning these applications are permitted subject to the Commission's rules for "permit-but-disclose proceedings." See 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

Copies of all applications listed here are available for public inspection in the FCC Reference and Information Center, located in room CY-A257 at the Portals 2 building, 445 12th Street SW, Washington DC 20554. The center can be contacted at (202) 418-0270. People with Disabilities: To request materials in accessible formats for people with disabilities (braille, large print, electronic files, audio format), send an e-mail to fcc504@fcc.gov or call the Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau at 202-418-0530 (voice), 202-418-0432 (tty). All applications listed are subject to further consideration and review, and may be returned and/or dismissed if not found to be in accordance with the Commission's rules, regulations, and other requirements.

ISP-PDR-20090526-00003 P Pride Network , Inc.

Petition for Declaratory Ruling

Pride Network, Inc. ("Pride Network" or "Petitioner"), petitions the Commission for a declaratory ruling under section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act, as amended (the "Act"), that indirect foreign ownership of Petitioner's U.S. parent company in excess of the 25 percent foreign ownership benchmark applicable to common carrier radio licensees is in the public interest. Pride Network, a Texas corporation, currently holds no radio station licenses under the Act, but has filed an application for initial authority to provide Wireless Broadband Services in the 3650-3700 MHz band. See ULS File No. 0003853193.

Pride Network is a wholly-owned subsidiary of NTS Communications, Inc. ("NTS"), a Texas corporation, which, in turn, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Xfone, Inc. ("Xfone"), a publicly traded Nevada holding and managing company. Petitioners state that Xfone's officers and directors hold, in the aggregate, a 39.71 percent ownership interest in Xfone. Mr. Abraham Keinan, an Israeli and U.K. citizen, and Mr. Guy Nissenson, a citizen of the U.K. and Argentina, hold, respectively, a 24.19 percent and a 14.16 percent interest in Xfone. (Mr. Keinan is the Chairman of the Board of Xfone, and Mr. Nissenson is the President, Chief Executive Officer, and a director of Xfone.) Six other directors, all of whom are Israeli citizens, hold in the aggregate 1.36 percent interest in Xfone.

Petitioner assert that, pursuant to the rules and policies established in the Foreign Participation Order, 12 FCC Rcd 23891 (1997), Order on Reconsideration, 15 FCC Rcd 18158 (2000), its indirect foreign ownership is in the public interest.

International Telecommunications Certificate

Service(s): Global or Limited Global Resale Service

Application for authority to provide resale service in accordance with section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).

REMINDER:

Applicants must certify that neither the applicant nor any party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits by federal and/or state courts under authority granted in 21 U.S.C. § 862. See 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.2001–2003.

An updated version of Section 63.09-.25 of the rules, and other related sections, is available at <http://www.fcc.gov/ib/pd/pf/telecomrules.html>