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# Before the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF KENTUCKY



IN THE MATTER OF THE INFORMATIONAL	)
FILING OF ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC	)
FOR THE AUTHORITY TO OPERATE AS A	) No
CARRIER OF INTEREXCHANGE AND LOCAL	)
EXCHANGE TELEPHONE SERVICE THROUGHOUT	)
KENTUCKY	)
( * Access)	

OneStar Communications, LLC, hereby submits the following information in accordance with the provisions of Administrative Case No. 3599 and its proposed tariffs in accordance with 807 KAR 5:011.

· 1. The name, post office address, telephone and fax number of the applicant company are:

OneStar Communications, LLC 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715

Phone:

(812) 437-7700

Fax:

(812) 437-7988

Website:

onestarld.com

- 2. A copy of the Company's Articles of Organization and Kentucky Certificate of Authority attached hereto as **Exhibits A and B**.
- 3. The name, street address, telephone and fax numbers of the responsible person(s) for customer complaints and regulatory issues:

Ami Larrison, Director of Regulatory Affairs OneStar Communications, LLC 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715

Phone:

(812) 437-7790

Fax:

(812) 437-7988

Email:

Alarrison@onestarld.com

4. A notarized statement that the company has not provided or collected for intrastate service in Kentucky prior to filing its tariff is attached as **Exhibit C**.

5. The company does not seek authority to provide operator assisted services to traffic aggregators as defined in Administrative Case No. 330.

OneStar Communications, LLC will only seek to provide operator services in conjunction with the offering of local exchange and interexchange services.

- 6. The company's proposed tariffs are attached as Exhibits D and E.
- 7. A sample Company bill is attached and Exhibit F.

WHEREFORE, OneStar Communications, LLC requests that the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Kentucky grant authority to engage in the sale of both resold and facilities-based local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services to the public in accordance with applicable laws currently in effect or hereinafter enacted by the Commission.

Respectfully submitted this 1th day of July, 2001

OneStar Communications, LLC

By:

Ami Larrison, Director of Regulatory Affairs

OneStar Communications, LLC

7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715

Phone: (812) 437-7790

#### **VERIFICATION OF APPLICANT**

state of <u>Indiana</u> ) county of <u>Vanderburgh</u> ) ss.
I, <u>Ami Larrison</u> , being first duly sworn, state that I am the <u>Director of Regulatory Affairs</u> for <u>OneStar Communications</u> , <u>LLC</u> , the Applicant herein; that I have reviewed the matters set forth in the Application and Exhibits and the statements contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge, except as to those matters which are stated on information or belief, and as to those matters I believe them to be true.
OneStar Communications, LLC
By: Ami Larrison, Director of Regulatory Affairs
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of July , 2001
Notary Rublic  My Commission Expires: 6/14/08

JULIE R. BUSE
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JUNE 14, 2008
A NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF INDIANA
RESIDING IN VANDERBURGH COUNTY

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## **EXHIBIT A**

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

# State of Indiana Office of the Secretary of State

#### ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

of

#### ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

I. SUE ANNE GILROY, Secretary of State of Indiana, hereby certify that Articles of Organization of the above Domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) have been presented to me at my office, accompanied by the fees prescribed by law and that the documentation presented conforms to law as prescribed by the provisions of the Indiana Business Flexibility Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, with this document I certify that said transaction will become effective Monday, February 26, 2001.



In Witness Whereof, I have caused to be affixed my signature and the seal of the State of Indiana, at the City of Indianapolis, February 26, 2001.

Sue ann Lillag

SUE ANNE GILROY, SECRETARY OF STATE

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#### ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

OF

### ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

The undersigned, desiring to form a Limited Liability Company (hereinafter referred to as "Company") pursuant to the provisions I.C. 23-18, execute the following Articles of Organization.

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the Company is ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC.

# ARTICLE II REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

- Section 1. Registered Office. The street address of the registered office of the Company in Indiana is 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard. Evansville. Indiana 47715.
- Section 2. Registered Agent. The name of the Company's registered agent at the Company's registered office is Alan J. Powers.

# ARTICLE III DURATION OF COMPANY

The duration of the limited liability company is perpetual or until dissolved in accordance with the Indiana Business Flexibility Act.

# ARTICLE IV MANAGEMENT

The business and affairs of the Company shall be managed in accordance with the following provisions:

Section 1. <u>Management Committee</u>. The general management of the business and affairs of the Company is vested in and shall be conducted by a Management Committee in

accordance with the procedures and requirements set forth in the Company's written Operating Agreement.

Section 2. Officers. The Management Committee of the Company shall elect Officers of the Company. The authority of the Management Committee shall be delegated to the Officers to the extent provided in the Company's Operating Agreement.

#### ARTICLE V EFFECTIVE DATE

These Articles of Organization shall be effective as of the date the same are filed with the Secretary of State of Indiana.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the person designated to execute and file these Articles of Organization, verifies, subject to the penalties of perjury, that the statements contained herein are true.

DATED this 23rd day of February, 2001.

TERRY G. FARMER

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS PREPARED BY LAURA A. SCOTT ATTORNEY AT LAW

# EXHIBIT B

KENTUCKY CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

#### **CT** CORPORATION SYSTEM

441 Vine Street Cincinnati, OH 45202 Tel. 513 621 3697 Fax 513 621 0116

April 30, 2001

China Layne OneStar Communications, LLC 7100 Eagle Crest Blvd. Evansville, IN 47715

Re: ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

Dear Ms. Layne:

Please find attached the recorded copy of the Application for Certificate of Authority which was filed with the Secretary of State of Kentucky on April 11, 2001 and recorded in the in the Jefferson County Recorder on April 24, 2001.

Very truly yours,

Jusan J. metre

Susan J. Metze

Senior Customer Specialist

# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY JOHN Y. BROWN III SECRETARY OF STATE

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John Y. Brown III Secretary of State

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on behalf of the limited liability company named bel	ow and for that purpose subn	for authority to transact	nts:		
1.The company is (XXX) a limited liability compan a professional limited lia			Poraine - L902		
The name of the limited liability company is					
OneStar Communic	ations, LLC		*		
The name of the limited liability company to be us	ed in Kentucky is				
	(if "real name" is unavailable for use)	· <del>/ · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·</del>	•		
Indiana is the s	tate or country of organization	١.			
February 26, 2001 is the dof dissolution, the latest date upon which the limit	ate of organization and, if the	limited liability company	has a specific date		
The street address of the office required to be ma office address is	intained in the state of forma	tion or, if not so required	, the principal		
7100 Eagle Crest Blvd., Eva		IN	<u>47715</u> .		
The names and usual business addresses of the	current managers, if any, are	as follows:	Zip Code		
See Attachment A	See Atta	chment A			
Name		Address			
Name (Att	ach a continuation, if necessary)	Address			
The street address of the registered office in Ken	tucky is				
1511 Kentucky Home Life Bldg.	, Louisvill		40202 Zip Code		
and the name of the registered agent at that office	e is	City State	Zip Gode		
This application will be effective upon filing, unles	s a delayed effective date and	d/or time is specified:			
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pertify that, as of the date of filing this application, ompany under the laws of the jurisdiction of its form	the above-named limited liab nation.		ts as a limited liability		
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	Date:	March 30	, 20 <u>01</u>		
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# ATTACHMENT A

#### ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

#### **MEMBERS:**

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Name
Percentage of Interest
Capital Contribution
(as of date of organization)

OneStar Long Distance, Inc. 80%
\$46,400,000.00

7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, Indiana 47715 812-437-7700

CRG International, Inc.
d/b/a Network One 20% \$11,600,000.00
2000 Riveredge Parkway, Suite 900
Atlanta, Georgia 30328
800-296-7030

#### **MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE:**

Alan J. Powers 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715 812-437-7700

Michael W. Hanus 1620 Helminski Road Arbor Vitae, WI 54568 812-437-7700

Mark W. Powers 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715 812-437-7700

William Stapleton 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715 812-437-7700

Richland Ventures and Cordova Capital Partners Pat Ortale, Managing Partner 200 31<sup>st</sup> Avenue North, Suite 200 Nashville, TN 37203 615-383-8030

#### **OFFICERS:**

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Alan J. Powers, Chief Executive Officer and Secretary 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715 812-437-7700

Michael W. Hanus, President 1620 Helminski Road Arbor Vitae, WI 54568 812-437-7700

Mark W. Powers, Treasurer 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard Evansville, IN 47715 812-437-7700

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Deputy Clerk: TIFSTE

# **Detailed Information About**

## **ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC**

Company ID

0514026

Company Name ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

Status

Active Standing Good

State

IN

Company Type

**FLC** 

Country

4/11/2001 Org. Date

**Authority Date** 

4/11/2001

Exp. Date

File Date

Last Annual

Report

**Date Agent** Resigned

Registered Agent CT CORPORATION SYSTEM

Registered Office

KENTUCKY HOME LIFE

Principal Office

7100 EAGLE CREST

BLVD.

LOUISVILLE, KY 40202

**EVANSVILLE, IN 47715** 

## **Organizers**

ALAN J. POWERS

ORGANIZER

## Members/Managers

ONESTAR LONG DISTANCE, INC.

Member

WILLIAM RICHLAND VENTURES AND CARDOVA CAPITAL PARTNERS

Manager

WILLIAM STAPLETON

Manager

MARK W POWERS

Manager

MICHAEL W HANUS

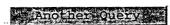
Manager

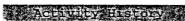
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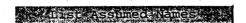
Manager

CRG INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Member







# **EXHIBIT C**

NOTARIZED STATEMENT

#### **AFFIDAVIT**

I, <u>Ami Larrison</u>, Director of Regulatory Affairs for <u>OneStar Communications</u>, <u>LLC</u>, do hereby certify that the Company has not provided or collected for intrastate service in Kentucky prior to filing of this application and tariffs.

Ami Larrison, Directory of Regulatory Affairs OneStar Communications, LLC

Sworn to and subscribed before me this <u>11 th</u> day of <u>July</u>, 2001.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Ce/18/08

JULIE R. BUSE
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JUNE 14, 2008
A NOTARY PUBLIC. STATE OF INDIANA
RESIDING IN VANDERBURGH COUNTY

### **EXHIBIT D**

PROPOSED TARIFF NO. 1 - INTEREXCHANGE TARIFF PROPOSED TARIFF NO. 2 - LOCAL EXCHANGE TARIFF PROPOSED TARIFF NO. 3 - ACCESS TARIFF

## Exhibit D - Customer Notices



#### We have some exciting news to share with you!

OneStar Long Distance, Inc. has agreed to transfer its customer base to OneStar Communications, LLC. We would like to thank you for being a customer of OneStar Long Distance and share with you some information regarding this transition to OneStar Communications, LLC.

You're going to love being a OneStar Communications, LLC customer! OneStar Communications, LLC is an integrated communications provider headquartered in Evansville, Indiana. Beginning in1982, our product portfolio includes a full range of voice and data services for commercial and residential customers, while providing a single point of contact through a bundled billing concept. OneStar Communications, LLC provides local, long distance, high-speed data, and broadband services.

OneStar Communications, LLC can be your single source for communication services! The addition of OneStar Long Distance's products and services will integrate quickly into OneStar Communication LLC's structure, providing a smooth transition with no interruption of normal services. The only change you will see is an increase in product offerings and cost effective solutions to all your communication needs as the strengths of both companies are combined into the premier provider of communications. OneStar Communications, LLC can provide a variety of value-added services designed to save you money and provide additional conveniences for your business by being your single contact for voice, video, data, Internet, hardware, as well as technical support and service.

This transfer of service requires no action on your part and will be a smooth transition with no interruption of service. You should not incur PIC (Primary Interexchange Carrier) charges from your local telephone company as a result of this transition. Should any PIC related charges be incurred, please notify OneStar Communications, LLC and your account will be credited accordingly.

Upon regulatory approvals, the completion of this transition to OneStar Communications, LLC will be finalized over the next few months. After the date of transfer, OneStar Communications, LLC will provide you the same great telecommunications services currently provided by OneStar Long Distance, such as your local and/or long distance services (intrastate, interstate and international) and will handle all aspects of your account. OneStar Communications, LLC takes pride in furnishing its customers with the competitive voice and data service tools they need to conduct their business in the most cost effective manner possible.

Going forward, OneStar Communications, LLC will provide your telecommunications services. There will not be any change to the rates and fees you receive. At your option, you may choose a carrier other than OneStar Communications, LLC to provide your telecommunications services. Please be aware that customers who have a PIC Freeze on their lines will also be transferred. If you choose another carrier, you may incur a one-time charge from your local telephone company to make the change.

OneStar Communications, LLC's primary focus is consistent customer satisfaction! OneStar Communications, LLC will work hard to continually exceed your expectations, now and in the future. Company representatives look forward to assisting you with additional product information, resolving open issues or concerns, and introducing new service offerings to you all while providing the most professional customer service in the industry. Should you have any questions regarding this transition, please contact the Customer Service Department at 1-800-482-0000 or via e-mail at <a href="mailto:cservice@onestarcom.com">cservice@onestarcom.com</a>.

To find out more about OneStar Communications, LLC, check out the web site at <a href="www.onestarcom.com">www.onestarcom.com</a> or call the Customer Service Department at 1-800-482-0000.



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Going forward, OneStar Communications, LLC will provide your telecommunications services. Immediately upon completion of the transfer, you will continue to receive the same rates, terms and conditions as you presently enjoy from Network One. Every effort will be made to ensure you receive the best service going forward. At your option, you may choose a carrier other than OneStar Communications, LLC to provide your telecommunications services. Please be aware that customers who have a PIC Freeze on their lines will also be transferred. If you choose another carrier, you may incur a one-time charge from your local telephone company to make the change.

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