## Before the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF KENTUCKY

PUBLIC SERVICE

Petition of	)		COMMISSION
PREPAID TELECOM, INC.	)		
For Authority to Discontinue Competitive Local Exchange and Interexchange Services in Kentucky	) ) )	Case No	

## PETITION TO DISCONTINUE COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE AND INTEREXCHANGE SERVICES

Pursuant to the rules of the Kentucky Public Service Commission (the "Commission"), Prepaid Telecom, Inc. (Prepaid) submits this Petition to Discontinue Competitive Local Exchange and Interexchange Services, and in support thereof states as follows:

- 1. Prepaid was granted authority to provide local exchange telecommunications service In Kentucky and the Commission stamped Prepaid's tariff on February 1, 2002.
- 2. Due to a change in business plans, Prepaid now wishes to relinquish its certificate to provide said services in Kentucky. Prepaid no longer wishes to provide telecommunications services to customers in Kentucky.
- 3. Prepaid further states that it no longer has any customers in Kentucky, so there are no Kentucky customers affected by Prepaid's Petition.
- 4. Because it serves no customers in Kentucky, Prepaid has no customers in Kentucky to notify of its plans to discontinue local telephone service pursuant to the Commission's Rules.

WHEREFORE, Prepaid Telecom, Inc. prays that the Commission grant this Petition to Discontinue Competitive Local Exchange Services; that the Commission cancel it's tariff stamped by the Commission on February 1, 2002; and that the Commission grant all other necessary and proper relief.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of December, 2008.

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## **VERIFICATION**

I, <u>HOUSSAM ABDALLAH</u>, being first duly sworn, state that I am <u>President/CEO</u> of <u>Prepaid Telecom</u>, <u>Inc.</u>, that I am authorized to make this Verification on behalf of Prepaid Telecom, Inc., that the foregoing filing was prepared under my direction and supervision; and that the contents are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Houssam Abdallah President/CEO

Prepaid Telecom, Inc.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of December, 2008.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

ANGELA C BRIGGS

Notary Public, Gwinnett County, Georgia
My Commission Expires December 3, 2009