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February 8, 2001

**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

Mr. Martin Huelsmann  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Boulevard  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615  
(502) 564-3940

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Re: Gates Communications, Inc.

Dear Mr. Huelsmann:

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Enclosed please find for filing one original and four (4) copies of Gates Communications, Inc.'s proposed tariff to Operate as a Reseller of Telecommunications Services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

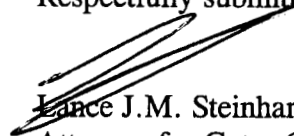
- (1) The name and address of the company is as follows: Gates Communications, Inc., 1100 Olive Way #951, Seattle, Washington 98101.
- (2) A copy of its certificate of authority from the Secretary of State are attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- (3) The name, address, telephone number and fax number of the responsible contact for complaints and regulatory issues is Mirel Jakovljevic, Gates Communications, Inc., 1100 Olive Way #951, Seattle, Washington 98101, (206) 748-7868 (Phone), (206) 748-7870 (Fax).
- (4) A notarized statement by an officer of the utility regarding intrastate service is attached as Exhibit B.
- (5) The company does not seek to provide operator assisted services to traffic aggregators.

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I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date-stamped and returned to me in the enclosed preaddressed, postage prepaid envelope.

If you have any questions or if I may provide you with additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Lance J.M. Steinhart  
Attorney for Gates Communications, Inc.

Enclosures

cc: Ivica Jakovljevic

**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY**

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
JOHN Y. BROWN III  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

Pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 271B, 273 or 274, the undersigned hereby applies for authority to transact business in Kentucky on behalf of the corporation named below and for that purpose submits the following statements:

- The corporation is  a business corporation (KRS 271B).  a nonprofit corporation (KRS 273).  
 a professional service corporation (KRS 274).
- The name of the corporation is GATES COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
- The name of the corporation to be used in Kentucky is \_\_\_\_\_  
(If "real name" is unavailable for use)
- Washington is the state or country under whose law the corporation is incorporated.
- January 5, 1999 is the date of incorporation and the period of duration is Perpetual
- The street address of the corporation's principal office is 1100 Olive Way, #951; Seattle, WA 98101
- The street address of the corporation's registered office in Kentucky is 828 Lane Allen Road, Ste. F4, Lexington, KY 40504  
and the name of the registered agent at that office is TCS Corporate Services, Inc.
- The names and usual business addresses of the corporation's current officers and directors are as follows:  
President See Attached  
Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary \_\_\_\_\_  
Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_  
Directors \_\_\_\_\_

(Attach a continuation sheet, if necessary)

- If a professional service corporation, all the individual shareholders, not less than one half of the directors, and all of the officers other than the secretary and treasurer are licensed in one or more states or territories of the United States or District of Columbia to render a professional service described in the statement of purposes of the corporation.
- A certificate of existence duly authenticated by the Secretary of State accompanies this application.
- This application will be effective upon filing, unless a delayed effective date and/or time is specified: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Delayed effective date and/or time)

Mirel Jakovljevic Signature President & CEO  
Type or Print Name & Title

Date: 12.31.00 2000

TCS Corporate Services, Inc. Type or print name of registered agent consent to serve as the registered agent on behalf of the corporation.

Chris Stockhoff Signature of Registered Agent Secretary  
Type or Print Name & Title

**LIST OF OFFICERS & DIRECTORS OF  
GATES COMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

**Officers**

**Mirel Jakovljevic  
Ivica Jakovljevic**

**President & CEO  
Vice President**

**Directors**

**Nermin Dizdar  
Drago Jurcevic**

**All the above referenced Officers & Directors can be reached at:  
1100 Olive Way #951, Seattle, WA 98101**

**AFFIDAVIT**

State of Washington, County of King, ss.

Mirel Jakovljevic, being duly sworn, deposes and says, on behalf of the Applicant, that he/she is the President & CEO of Gates Communications, Inc., and that to the best of his/her knowledge and belief, Gates Communications, Inc. has not provided service to the public in the Commonwealth of Kentucky nor has Applicant ever received compensation for providing intrastate telecommunications services to the public in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mirel Jakovljevic  
President & CEO

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 3 day of January, 2006.

My commission expires: OCT 4 2007.

Aaron N Mead  
Notary Public

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