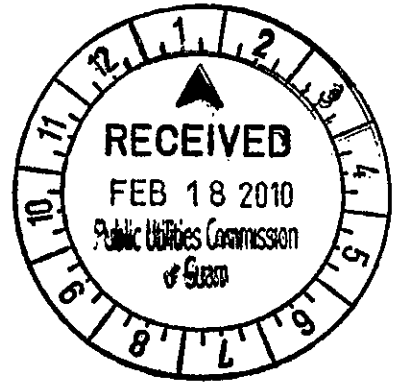


Before the
GUAM PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
Hagatña, Guam 96910



In the Matter of)
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Joint Petition of GTA TeleCom, LLC and) Docket No. 10-03
Guam Telecom, LLC for approval of the)
Amendment of the Interconnection)
Agreement pursuant to Section 252 of the
Telecommunications Act of 1996


**PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE 1ST AMENDMENT TO THE
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT FOR THE TERRITORY OF GUAM UNDER
SECTIONS 251 AND 252 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996**

GTA Telecom, LLC (“GTA”) and Guam Telecom, LLC (collectively referred to as the (“Parties”), hereby petition the Guam Public Utilities Commission (“GPUC” or “Commission”) for approval of the first Amendment of the Interconnection Agreement for the Territory of Guam attached hereto as Attachment A (the “Amendment”).

The Parties submit the Agreement for approval in accordance with the terms of Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the “Act”). The Parties request that the GPUC approve the Agreement in accordance with the requirements of Section 252(e) of the Act by determining that the grounds for rejection of such Agreement set forth in Section(s) 252 (e)(2)(A)(i) and 252(e)(2)(A)(ii) of the Act are not applicable to the Agreement. The Parties assert that the Agreement does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier not a party to the Agreement. The Parties also assert that the implementation of the Agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity. The implementation of the Agreement does not violate any requirement of the Commission.

The Parties respectfully request that the Commission approve the Agreement consistent with the intent of the Act.

Dated this 17th Day of February, 2010

By: 

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Attachment A

**AMENDMENT TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN GTA
TELECOM, LLC AND GUAM TELECOM, LLC**

This Amendment (this "Amendment") is effective as of February 17, 2010 (the "Amendment Effective Date") by and between Guam Telecom, LLC ("GT"), a Delaware limited liability corporation, with offices at 497 Harmon Loop Road Dededo, Guam 96929 and GTA Telecom, LLC ("GTA"), a Delaware limited liability corporation with offices at 624 North Marine Corps Drive Tamuning, GU 96913, respectively. (GTA and GT may be hereinafter referred to individually as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, GTA and GT are Parties to an Interconnection Agreement under Sections 251 and 252 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act") dated December 23, 2009 (the "Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 252(a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, (the "Act"), the Parties wish to amend the Agreement, as set forth herein, in order to provide for Alternative Interconnection Arrangements through the use of a Mid Span Fiber Meet ("MSFM") (as such term is used in this Amendment) arrangements to be placed in Section 3 of the Interconnection Attachment of the Agreement and;

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement to set forth terms for Section 9 in the matter of Transmission and Routing of Exchange Access Traffic and;

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement to set forth the terms for Section 10 in the Interconnection Attachment in the matter of Meet-Point Billing and;

WHEREAS the parties wish to amend the Agreement to set forth the terms for Section 11 in the Interconnection attachment in the matter of Toll Free Service Access Code Traffic.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual agreements set forth herein, the Parties agree to amend the Agreement Sections 3, 9, 10, and 11 of the Interconnection Attachment as follows:

3. Alternative Interconnection Arrangements: Mid Span Fiber Meeting ("MSFM") Arrangement Provisions
 - 3.1 The Parties agree to consider to use existing fiber cable with spare capacity, where available, to implement any such request for a MSFM arrangement. Neither Party is required to construct or deploy fiber cable necessary for any MFSM. GTA and GT have examined possible MSFM sites and agree that the GTA Agana Central Office will serve as the MSFM location. This site provides a suitable environment for both Parties to terminate any spare fiber optic cable and complete the fiber splice for termination of their fiber optic cables in the GTA manhole.