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**SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC  
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

April 2, 2007

Attn: Keith Senger  
Public Utilities Commission  
Capitol Bldg., 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
500 East Capitol Ave.  
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Dear Keith:

Attached please find the Indemnity Bond and Power of Attorney for Orbitcom, Inc. for your records. The Indemnity Bond for Orbitcom is being rewritten to Great American Insurance Company. We ask that you please release the Westfield Bond for Orbitcom, Inc. at 1701 N Louise Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57107 effective April 18, 2007.

Please mail the release to our office in the return envelope provided.

If you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call at (605) 336-0425.

Sincerely,



Chad Dubisar  
Boen & Associates, Inc.

Enclosures

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**INSURANCE - BONDS**

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INDEMNITY BOND  
TO THE  
PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC  
UTILITIES COMMISSION

Bond No. 3866676

We, Orbitcom, Inc. the principal and applicant for a CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY, to provide local exchange telecommunications services within the State of South Dakota, and Great American Insurance Company of Eagan, Minnesota as an admitted surety insurer, bind ourselves unto the Public Utilities Commission of the State of South Dakota and the consumers of South Dakota as Obligees, in the sum of \$25,000,000.

The conditions of the obligation are such that the principal, having been granted such CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY subject to the provision that said principal purchase this Indemnity Bond, and if said principal shall in all respects fully and faithfully comply with all applicable provisions of South Dakota State Law, and reimburse customers of Orbitcom, Inc. for any prepayment or deposits they have made which may be unable or unwilling to return to said customers as a result of insolvency or other business failure, then this obligation shall be void, discharges and forever exonerated, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

This bond shall take effect as of the date hereon and shall remain in force and effect until the surety is released from liability by the written order of the Public Utilities Commission, provided that the surety may cancel this Bond and be relieved of further liability hereunder by delivering thirty (30) days written notice to the Public Utilities Commission. Such cancellation shall not affect any liability incurred or accrued hereunder prior to the termination of said thirty (30) day period.

Dated this 18th day of April, 2007

To be effective this 18th day of April, 2007

Orbitcom, Inc.  
Sioux Falls, SD

By: William Bradley VanLear Pres.  
Title: William Bradley VanLear, President

Great American Insurance Company  
Eagan, MN

By: Sondra Bowden  
Title: Sondra Bowden, Attorney-in-Fact

# GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY®

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The number of persons authorized by this power of attorney is not more than Four

No. 0 16690

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That the GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Ohio, does hereby nominate, constitute and appoint the person or persons named below its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, for it and in its name, place and stead to execute in behalf of the said Company, as surety, any and all bonds, undertakings and contracts of suretyship, or other written obligations in the nature thereof; provided that the liability of the said Company on any such bond, undertaking or contract of suretyship executed under this authority shall not exceed the limit stated below.

Name	Address	Limit of Power
Donald E. Boen	all of	all
Kevin Kroeze	Sioux Falls, SouthDakota	Unlimited
Michael M.Mahan		
Sondra Bowden		

This Power of Attorney revokes all previous powers issued in behalf of the attorney(s)-in-fact named above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed and attested by its appropriate officers and its corporate seal hereunto affixed this 12th day of September, 2001  
Attest GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY



*[Signature]*  
Assistant Secretary

*[Signature]*  
Divisional Senior Vice President

DAVID C. KITCHIN (513-412-4602)

STATE OF OHIO, COUNTY OF HAMILTON - ss:

On this 12th day of September, 2001, before me personally appeared DAVID C. KITCHIN, to me known, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he resides in Cincinnati, Ohio, that he is the Divisional Senior Vice President of the Bond Division of Great American Insurance Company, the Company described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of the said Company; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by authority of his office under the By-Laws of said Company, and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.



KAREN L. BERRY  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF OHIO  
My Commission Expires 02-16-09

*[Signature]*  
Karen L. Berry

This Power of Attorney is granted by authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of Great American Insurance Company by unanimous written consent dated March 1, 1993.

**RESOLVED:** That the Division President, the several Division Vice Presidents and Assistant Vice Presidents, or any one of them, be and hereby is authorized, from time to time, to appoint one or more Attorneys-in-Fact to execute on behalf of the Company, as surety, any and all bonds, undertakings and contracts of suretyship, or other written obligations in the nature thereof; to prescribe their respective duties and the respective limits of their authority; and to revoke any such appointment at any time.

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That the Company seal and the signature of any of the aforesaid officers and any Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or certificate of either given for the execution of any bond, undertaking, contract or suretyship, or other written obligation in the nature thereof, such signature and seal when so used being hereby adopted by the Company as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Company, to be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

## CERTIFICATION

I, RONALD C. HAYES, Assistant Secretary of Great American Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the foregoing Power of Attorney and the Resolutions of the Board of Directors of March 1, 1993 have not been revoked and are now in full force and effect.

Signed and sealed this 18th day of April, 2007



*[Signature]*  
Assistant Secretary