

Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554

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UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
Section 63.71 Application of)
Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc.)

WC Docket No. _____

For Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of)
the Communications Act of 1934,)
To Discontinue the Provision of Calling-)
Card Services)

**SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION OF
GLOBAL CROSSING TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc. ("Applicant"), a Level 3 company, seeks authorization pursuant to Section 214(a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), 47 U.S.C. § 214(a), and Section 63.71 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.71, to discontinue its provision of domestic calling-card services.

The Applicant provides the following information pursuant to Section 63.71 of the Commission's Rules:

1. Name and Address of the Carrier: Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc., 225 Kenneth Drive, Rochester, New York 14623.
2. Date of Planned Service Discontinuance: Applicant plans to discontinue calling-card services on or around December 31, 2011, or as soon thereafter as any necessary regulatory approvals are obtained. Applicant understands that this application will be automatically granted on the 31st day after public notice of filing unless the Commission notifies Applicant to the contrary. See 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(c).

3. Points of Geographic Areas of Service Affected: Applicant proposes to discontinue calling-card services throughout the United States.

4. Description of Service Affected: The affected services are long-distance calling-card telephone services, which enable customers to make long-distance calls by dialing a toll-free number, then entering a personal identification number and then entering the number to be called.

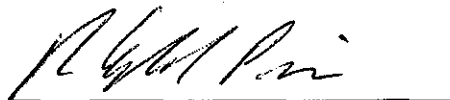
5. Brief Description of the Dates and Methods of Notice to All Affected Customers: Applicant has sent a written notification of the planned discontinuance to affected customers in accordance with Section 63.71(a) of the Commission's Rules.

6. Whether the Carrier is Considered Dominant or Non-dominant with Respect to the Service to be Discontinued: Applicant is considered non-dominant with respect to the services to be discontinued.

In accordance with Section 63.71(a) of the Commission's Rules, a copy of this Application is being mailed concurrently with the filing of this application to the governors and public utility commissions of all fifty states.

Additional questions regarding this application may be addressed to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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