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Via Overnight Delivery

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, FCC Secretary
9300 East Hampton Drive
Capitol Heights, MD 20743
ATTN: WCB Competition Policy Division

RE: Petition To Discontinue Services and Waiver for Notice for Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and Section 63.71 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R Section 63.19, to discontinue its domestic services as a reseller of telecommunications services

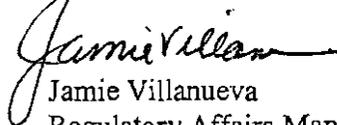
Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and six copies (6) copies of this letter and Petition to Discontinue Service and Waiver for Notice submitted on behalf of Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. to discontinue domestic and international services as a reseller of telecommunication services. The Company wishes to cease all regulated operations in the following states effective as follows: 7/31/09 MD, RI; 8/10/09 VA; 9/10/09 WV. Notices have been sent to the State Regulatory agencies, Governors' offices and the Department of Defense.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for this purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing may be directed to Randall Muench at 561-454-5041 or by email at rmuench@cleartel.com. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,



Jamie Villanueva
Regulatory Affairs Manager



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

In the Matter of)
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Section 63.71 Application of) WC Docket No. 09-____
Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc.)
to Discontinue Interstate)
Telecommunications Service)

SECTION 63.17 APPLICATION OF CLEARTEL TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. ("Applicant") hereby seeks authorization pursuant to Section 214 (a) of the Communication Act of 1934, as amended, and 47 C.F.R. Section 63.71, to discontinue the provision of domestic telecommunications services to end-user customers in Maryland, Rhode Island, Virginia and West Virginia.¹ Applicant is a non-dominant telecommunications carrier currently serving local and long distance customers on a resold basis and via a platform formerly known as UNE-P. Cleartel notified affected customers of this discontinuance via first class mail sent on June 10, 2009.

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

1. Name and address of Carrier:

Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc.
12124 High Tech Avenue, Suite 100
Orlando, FL 32817

¹ Applicant provides local exchange and intrastate, interstate and international long distances services to customers in Maryland, Rhode Island, and West Virginia. In Virginia, Applicant provides only interstate and international long distance services and its affiliate, Cleartel Telecommunications of Virginia, Inc. (together with Applicant, "Cleartel"), provide local exchange and intrastate long distance services.

Correspondence concerning this Application filing should be sent to:

Mr. Randall P. Muench
Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc.
12124 High Tech Avenue, Suite 100
Orlando, FL 32817
Telephone: (561) 454-5041
Facsimile: (877) 612-3027
Email: rmuench@cleartel.com

2. Date of Planned Service Discontinuance, Reduction or Impairment:

Cleartel plans to discontinue intrastate and interstate service to the affected customers as follows:

Maryland - July 31, 2009
Rhode Island - July 31, 2009
Virginia – August 10, 2009
West Virginia – September 10, 2009.²

3. Points of Geographic Areas of Service Affected:

Cleartel will discontinue the provision of all telecommunications services to all Cleartel customers in the following states: Maryland, Rhode Island, Virginia and West Virginia.

4. Brief Description of Types of Service Affected:

Cleartel will discontinue both local and long distance telecommunications services. The number of impacted customers in each state for each type of service is listed below:

State	Local and Long Distance Customers
Maryland	141
Rhode Island	1
Virginia	124
West Virginia	69

² Cleartel is also discontinuing international services in these states and is providing customers 60 days notice of such discontinuance. Pursuant to Section 63.19 of the Commission's Rules, Cleartel will file notification of the discontinuance with the Commission.

5. Brief Description of Dates and Methods of Notice to All Affected Customers:

Cleartel has provided written customer notice of the planned discontinuance in accordance with the requirements of Section 63.71(a) of the Commission's Rules by notice dated June 10, 2009, sent to all affected customers via first class mail. A copy of the notice is appended hereto as Exhibit A. Notice has also been sent to the relevant state regulatory agencies, governors' offices and the Department of Defense, as required under Section 63.71, concurrent with this filing, as set forth in the attached Certificate of Service.

6. Non-Dominance of the Carrier With Respect to the Service to be Discontinued:

Cleartel is non-dominant with respect to the services that Cleartel proposes to discontinue.

WHEREFORE, Cleartel believes that the proposed discontinuance is reasonable and necessary. Cleartel will take all reasonable steps, to the extent it is able, to assure that the discontinuance of service is not unduly disruptive to the present or future public convenience and necessity. Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U. S. C. Section 214, and Section 63.71 of the Commission's Rules, Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc.. understands that this application will be automatically granted on the 31st day after the Public Notice is released, with no Commission notification to the Applicant, unless the Commission has notified the company that the grant will not be automatically effective.

Respectfully submitted,

CLEARTEL TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

By: /s/ *Randall Muench*
Randall P. Muench
President - Chief Marketing Officer
Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc.
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Orlando, FL 32817

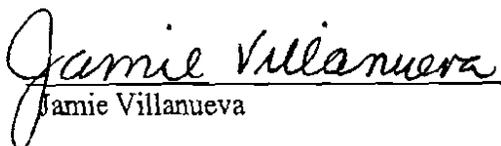
Ms. Jamie Villanueva
Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc.
12124 High Tech Avenue, Suite 100
Orlando, FL 32817
Telephone: (407) 215-9736
Facsimile: (877) 612-3027
Email: jvillanueva@cleartel.com

Dated: June 10, 2009.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Jamie Villanueva, certify that on this 10th day of June, 2009, the foregoing Section 63.71 Application of Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. was sent via first class mail, postage prepaid, to the following persons listed below.

Office of the Governor State of Maryland 100 State Circle Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1925	Office of the Governor State of Rhode Island 222 State House Providence, RI 02903-1196
Terry Romine Executive Secretary Maryland Public Service Commission William Donald Schaefer Tower 6 St. Paul St., 16th Floor Baltimore, MD 21202	Luly Massaro, Clerk Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission 89 Jefferson Blvd. Warwick, RI 02888-104
Office of the Governor Commonwealth of Virginia Patrick Henry Building, 3rd Floor 1111 East Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23219	Office of the Governor State of West Virginia 1900 Kanawha Boulevard, E. Charleston, WV 25305
Document Control Center Office of the Clerk Virginia State Corporation Commission P.O. Box 2118 Richmond, Virginia 23218	Ms. Sandra Squire Executive Secretary Public Service Commission of West Virginia 201 Brooks Street Charleston, West Virginia 25301
Secretary of Defense Attn: Special Assistant for Telecommunications Pentagon Washington, D.C. 20301	FCC Form 499 Data Collection Agent Universal Service Administration Corporation 200 L Street NW, Suite 200 Washington, DC 20036



 Jamie Villanueva

Exhibit A

Customer Notice



P.O. Box 4669
Winter Park, Florida 32792

NOTICE OF TELEPHONE SERVICE DISCONTINUANCE

***YOU MUST TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION
TO PREVENT DISRUPTION OF YOUR SERVICE***

DO NOT DISREGARD THIS NOTICE

June 10, 2009

Via 1st Class Mail

Customer Name
Address

Dear Customer:

We regret to inform you that Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. (Cleartel) has decided to cease providing all telecommunications services in Maryland. As a result, **all telecommunications services (local and long distance)** provided to you by Cleartel will be discontinued **on or after July 31, 2009**, subject to regulatory approval.

YOUR IMMEDIATE ACTION IS REQUIRED! YOU MUST SELECT A NEW TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE OR YOU MAY LOSE ALL LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE SERVICES PROVIDED BY CLEARTEL. If you fail to switch your service to a new telecommunications provider by July 31, 2009, your service will be discontinued. We regret that we cannot give you further notice in this matter, but we must cease providing your services on or after July 31, 2009, subject to regulatory approval.

We understand that switching to another carrier can be inconvenient, and we will help you with the transition. A list of most local telephone service providers may be found in your telephone directory or online at the following website of the Maryland Public Service Commission under Consumer Information:

http://webapp.psc.state.md.us/intranet/telephone/home_new.cfm#ConsumerInfo



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Once you have chosen your new carrier, we will work closely with that company to provide your network and other customer information necessary to transfer your services.

The Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") permits customers to object to discontinuance of their service by a telecommunications provider. As provided in the FCC's rule 47 CFR 63.71:

"The FCC will normally authorize this proposed discontinuance of service unless it is shown that customers would be unable to receive service or a reasonable substitute from another carrier or that the public convenience and necessity is otherwise adversely affected. If you wish to object, you should file your comments as soon as possible, but no later than 15 days after the Commission releases public notice of the proposed discontinuance. Address them to the Federal Communications Commission, Wireline Competition Bureau, Competition Policy Division Washington, D.C. 20554, and include in your comments a reference to the Section 63.71 Application of Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. Comments should include specific information about the impact of this proposed discontinuance upon you or your company, including any inability to acquire reasonable substitute service."

Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc appreciates having the opportunity to serve you and regrets any inconvenience this change may cause you. If you have further questions regarding the discontinuance of our services, please contact our Customer Service Department at 1-888-389-1400.

Sincerely,

Randall Muench

Randall P. Muench
President and CMO



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Dear Customer:

We regret to inform you that Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. (Cleartel) has decided to cease providing all telecommunications services in Rhode Island. As a result, **all telecommunications services (local and long distance)** provided to you by Cleartel will be discontinued **on or after July 31, 2009**, subject to regulatory approval.

YOUR IMMEDIATE ACTION IS REQUIRED! YOU MUST SELECT A NEW TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE OR YOU MAY LOSE ALL LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE SERVICES PROVIDED BY CLEARTEL. If you fail to switch your service to a new telecommunications provider by **July 31, 2009**, your service will be discontinued. We regret that we cannot give you further notice in this matter, but we must cease providing your services on or after July 31, 2009, subject to regulatory approval.

We understand that switching to another carrier can be inconvenient, and we will help you with the transition. A list of most local telephone service providers may be found in your telephone directory or online at the following site:

<http://www.ripuc.org/utilityinfo/telecom.html>

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Via 1st Class Mail

Customer Name
Address
City, CT zip

Dear Customer:

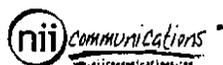
We regret to inform you that Cleartel Telecommunications of Virginia, Inc. and Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. (Cleartel) has decided to cease providing all telecommunications services in Virginia. As a result, **all telecommunications services (local and long distance)** provided to you by Cleartel will be discontinued **on or after August 10, 2009**, subject to regulatory approval.

YOUR IMMEDIATE ACTION IS REQUIRED! YOU MUST SELECT A NEW TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE OR YOU MAY LOSE ALL LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE SERVICES PROVIDED BY CLEARTEL. If you fail to switch your service to a new telecommunications provider by July 31, 2009, your service will be discontinued. We regret that we cannot give you further notice in this matter, but we must cease providing your services on or after August 10, 2009, subject to regulatory approval.

We understand that switching to another carrier can be inconvenient, and we will help you with the transition. A list of most local telephone service providers may be found in your telephone directory. Once you have chosen your new carrier, we will work closely with that company to provide your network and other customer information necessary to transfer your services.



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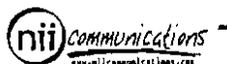
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June 10, 2009

Via 1st Class Mail

Customer Name
Address
City, CT zip

**YOU MUST CHOOSE A NEW LOCAL AND/OR LONG DISTANCE
TELEPHONE SERVICE PROVIDER BY August 10, 2009.**

Dear Customer:

We regret to inform you that Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. (Cleartel) has decided to cease providing all telecommunications services in West Virginia. As a result, **all telecommunications services (local and long distance)** provided to you by Cleartel will be discontinued **on or after September 10, 2009**, subject to regulatory approval.

YOUR IMMEDIATE ACTION IS REQUIRED! YOU MUST SELECT A NEW TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE OR YOU MAY LOSE ALL LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE SERVICES PROVIDED BY CLEARTEL. If you fail to switch your service to a new telecommunications provider by August 10, 2009, you may lose you local and long distance telephone service. We regret that we cannot give you further notice in this matter, but we must cease providing your services on or after September 10, 2009, subject to regulatory approval.

Please be aware that you are responsible for paying all bills rendered to you by Cleartel during this transition. You may be subject to suspension or termination of your phone service in accordance with the Rules of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia (WV PSC) if you fail to pay you telephone bill.

After selecting a new local telephone provider, you should also contact your current long distance provider, if it is not Cleartel, to ensure that your current long distance plan is not changed as a result of your change in your local service. If you do not contact your long distance provider, you may be charged basic rates (non-calling plan rates) for long distance calls.



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Generally, a list of most local telephone service providers may be found in your telephone directory or online at the following WV PSC website below:

<http://www.psc.state.wv.us/utilities/default.htm>

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Cleartel was also authorized to provide intrastate telecommunications service in West Virginia by the WV PSC. You may address questions about this letter to the WV PSC at:

West Virginia Public Service Commission
201 Brooks Street
Charleston, WV 25301
1- 800-344-5113

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Sincerely,

Randall Muench

Randall P. Muench
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VERIFICATION

I, Randall P. Muench, state that I am President - Chief Marketing Officer of Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. ("Cleartel"), the Applicant in the foregoing *Section 63.71 Application of Cleartel Telecommunications, Inc. for Authority to Discontinue Interstate Telecommunications Services*; that I am authorized to make this Verification on behalf of Cleartel; that I have read the foregoing Application and know the contents thereof; and that the same are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and are made in good faith.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 10th day of June, 2009.

CLEARTEL TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

15/ Randall Muench

By: Randall P. Muench
President - Chief Marketing Officer