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Ms. Renee Jenkins Secretary Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Re:

Application of Transcom Communications, Inc. to Abandon Services

and Cancel its Certificate and Tariff

Dear Ms. Jenkins,

Enclosed, on behalf of Transcom Communications, Inc., please find an original, ten copies and a duplicate of the above-captioned application. Please date-stamp the duplicate of this filing and return it in the pre-addressed, pre-stamped envelope provided. If there are any questions concerning this submission, please contact me at (202) 342-8819 or via email at <a href="https://www.wbrantl@kelleydrye.com">wbrantl@kelleydrye.com</a>. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Cordially,

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\* Member of the Maryland State Bar; not admitted in the District of Columbia at this time.

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# The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM for ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS (Effective: 01/18/2008)

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In the Matter of the Application of Transcom Communications, Inc. to Abandon Services and Cancel its Certificate and Tariff	) ) )	TRF Docket No. 90- Case No. 1 - 22 NOTE: Unless you have leave the "Case No" field	/ TP - reserved a C is BLANK.	CT-TK ABN ase # or are fil	ling a Contract,		
Name of Registrant(s) <u>Transcom Communication</u> DBA(s) of Registrant(s) Address of Registrant(s) <u>8445 Freeport Parkwa</u>		<u> 75063</u>					
Company Web Address www.maskina.com  Regulatory Contact Person(s) Bhavna Patel, Controller  Phone (972) 607-0461  Fax (972) 929-2840  Proposition of Contact Person of Parks o					929-2840		
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address <u>8445 Freeport Parkway</u> , <u>Suite 650, Irving, TX 75063</u> Contact Person for Annual Report <u>Bhavna Patel</u> , <u>Controller</u> Address (if different from above)					2) 607-0461		
Consumer Contact Information Bhavna Patel, Controller Address (if different from above)					Phone (972) 607-0461		
Motion for protective order included with filing?  Yes No No Notion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case?  No [Note: Waivers may toll any automatic timeframe.]							
Section I – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:11-6 OAC – Part I – Please indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below. CMRS providers: Please see the bottom of Section II.  NOTES: (1) For requirements for various applications, see the identified section of Ohio Administrative Code Section 4901 and/or the supplemental application form noted.  (2) Information regarding the number of copies required by the Commission may be obtained from the Commission's web site at www.puco.ohio.gov under the docketing information system section, by calling the docketing division at 614-466-4095, or by visiting the docketing division at the offices of the Commission.							
Carrier Type  Other (explain below)	☐ ILEC	CLEC		CTS	☐ AOS/IOS		
Carrier Type Other (explain below)  Tier 1 Regulatory Treatment		U OLLO		010			
Change Rates within approved Range	TRF <u>1-6-04(8)</u> (0 day Notice)	TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)					
New Service, expanded local calling	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	ZTA 1-6-04(B)					
area, correction of textual error	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)		_			
Change Terms and Conditions,	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>					
Introduce non-recurring service charges	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	(Auto 30 days) ATA 1-6-04(B)					
Introduce or Increase Late Payment or Returned Check Charge	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)					
Business Contract	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)					
Withdrawal	ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Non-Auto)	ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Auto 30 days)					
Raise the Ceiling of a Rate	Not Applicable	SLF <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)			,		
Tier 2 Regulatory Treatment							
Residential - Introduce non-recurring	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>					
service charges	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	<del>,</del>				
Residential - Introduce New Tariffed Tier 2 Service(s)	TRF <u>1-6-05(C)</u> (0 day Notice)	TRF <u>1-6-05(C)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ TRF (0 day Noti	ce)			
Residential - Change Rates, Terms and Conditions, Promotions, or Withdrawal	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u> (0 day Notice)	TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ TRF (0 day Not	<u>1-6-05(E)</u> ce)			
Residential - Tier 2 Service Contracts	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)		1-6-17	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
Commercial (Business) Contracts	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed				
Business Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffe				
Residential & Business Toll Services	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffe	q			

#### Section I - Part II - Certificate Status and Procedural

Certificate Status	ILEC	CLEC	CTS AOS/IOS		
Certification (See Supplemental ACE form)		☐ ACE <u>1-6-10</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACE <u>1-6-10</u> ACE <u>1-6-10</u> (Auto 30 days) (Auto 30 days)		
Add Exchanges to Certificate	ATA <u>1-6-09(C)</u> (Auto 30 days)	AAC <u>1-6-10(F)</u> (0 day Notice)	CLECs must attach a current CLEC Exchange Listing Form		
Abandon all Services - With Customers	☐ ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Non-Auto)	☐ ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Auto 90 day)	ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)		
Abandon all Services - Without Customers		ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)	ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)	
Change of Official Name (See below)	☐ ACN <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACN <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notiœ)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Change in Ownership (See below)	☐ ACO <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACO <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice) (	
Merger (See below)	AMT <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	AMT <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Transfer a Certificate (See below)	☐ ATC <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATC <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	Oday Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business (See below)	☐ ATR <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATR <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	O day Notice)	
Procedural					
Designation of Process Agent(s)	TRF (0 day Notice)	TRF (0 day Notice)	TRF (0 day Notice)	TRF (0 day Notice)	
Section II – Carrier to Carrier (Pursua	nt to <u>4901:1-7</u> ), CMR	RS and Other			
Carrier to Carrier	ILEC	CLEC	T		
Interconnection agreement, or	☐ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>	☐ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>			
amendment to an approved agreement	(Auto 90 day)	(Auto 90 day)			
Request for Arbitration	☐ ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)	☐ ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)			
Introduce or change c-t-c service tariffs,	☐ ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)	ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)	,		
Introduce or change access service pursuant to 07-464-TP-COI	ATA (Auto 30 day)				
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier supension or modifiction	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or (Non-Auto) <u>1-7-05</u>	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or (Non-Auto) 1-7-05			
Pole attachment changes in terms and conditions and price changes.	UNC 1-7-23(B) (Non-Auto)	UNC <u>1-7-05</u> (Non-Auto)			
<u>CMRS Providers</u> See <u>4901:1-6-15</u>	RCC [Registration & Change is (0 day)	n Operations]	NAG [Interconnection Agreement or Amendment] (Auto 90 days)		
Other* (explain)					

\*NOTE: During the interim period between the effective date of the rules and an Applicant's Detariffing Filing, changes to existing business Tier 2 and all toll services, including the addition of new business Tier 2 and all new toll services, will be processed as 0-day TRF filings, and briefly described in the "Other" section above.

All Section I and II applications that result in a change to one or more tariff pages require, at a minimum, the following exhibits. Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). ACN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see <a href="tel:the-te

Commission's Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.

Exhibit	Description:
Α	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s)
В	The Tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
C	A short description of the nature of the change(s), the intent of the change(s), and the customers affected.
D	A copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according to the applicable rule(s).

#### **AFFIDAVIT**

#### Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, Transcom Communications, Inc. (Name)

I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS) Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-5 OAC for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards, as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on (Date) 1/9/09 at (Location) was have two declared and Title) when the state of Ohio.

This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the
applicant.

#### VERIFICATION

I, Winafred R. Brantl
verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Application Form for Routine Proceedings provided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\*Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.

Send your completed Application Form, including all required attachments as well as the required number of copies, to:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Attention: Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Or

Make such filing electronically as directed in Case No 06-900-AU-WVR

## EXHIBIT A

Current Tariff Pages (attached)

# Ехнівіт В

**Revised Tariff Pages** 

Not Applicable

The Requested Change Will Cancel the Company's Current Pages

#### TITLE SHEET

#### INTRASTATE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

This tariff applies to the provision of intrastate interexchange services furnished by Transcom Communications, LLC between one or more points in the State of Ohio as authorized by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("PUCO"). This tariff is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Ohio and may be inspected during regular business hours. Copies also may be inspected during regular business hours at Transcom's principal place of business, 8445 Freeport Parkway, Suite 650, Irving, Texas 75063. A Service Guide describing the services that have been detariffed pursuant to case No. 06-1345-TP-ORD can be found at www.maskina.com.

In its provision of regulated telecommunications services in Ohio, Transcom will adhere to the Minimum Telephone Service Standards pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-5 O.A.C. for the state of Ohio.

Issued: June 30, 2008

Effective: July 1, 2008

Issued under authority of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio in Case No. 03-647-CT-ACE.

Issued by:

Chris Yeoh Transcom Communications, Inc. 8445 Freeport Parkway, Suite 650 Irving, Texas 75063

#### 1. MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES

#### 1.1 Late Charge

A late fee of 1.5% monthly or the amount otherwise authorized by law, whichever is lower, will be charged on any past due balances. Late payment fees should not include interest on previously charged late payment fees. The late payment charge will not be applied to previous late payment charges that have been assessed but not yet paid for, but will apply to the accumulated services for which the customer is in arrears. Late payment charges will be applied without discrimination.

## 1.2 Returned Check Charge

A fee of \$25 will be charged whenever a check or draft presented for payment for service is not accepted by th institution on which it is written. The Company may waive the returned check charge under appropriate circumstances.

#### 1.3 Reconnection Charge

A reconnection fee of \$25.00 per occurrence will be charged when service is reestablished for Customers which have been disconnected due to non-payment.

Issued: June 30, 2008

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Issued under authority of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio in Case No. 03-647-CT-ACE.

Issued by:

### **EXHIBIT C**

### Description of Change(s)

With this filing, Transcom Communications Inc. ("Transcom") requests cancellation of its Ohio intrastate telecommunications authorization and associated tariff materials. The Company's corporate parent, Vyke Communications plc, a publicly traded company incorporated in the United Kingdom, has decided to withdraw most of its operations from the United States and concentrate its service offerings abroad. Thus, Transcom is exiting the United States telecommunications market.

Transcom holds interexchange authority in Ohio under Certificate 90-6113, issued 4/1/03 pursuant to Case No. 03-647-CT-ACE. At this time, Transcom has no customers for the services offered under its intrastate Ohio authority, so no customers will be affected by this cancellation.

## **EXHIBIT D**

## **Customer Notice**

Not Applicable.

At this time, Transcom Communications, Inc. has no customers for the services provided under its intrastate Ohio authority.

Consequently, there are no customers to be notified.