

WINDSTREAM SERVICES, LLC

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November 18, 2015

Becky Beier, Executive Secretary  
Oregon Public Utility Commission  
P.O. Box 1088  
Salem, OR 97302

**Re: Notice of Entity Conversions**

Dear Secretary Beier:

PAETEC Communications, Inc., Talk America, Inc., Windstream Communications, Inc., Windstream Norlight, Inc., and Windstream NuVox, Inc., hereby notify the Oregon Public Utility Commission (“Commission”) of the following name changes.

PAETEC Communications, Inc., authorized to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services pursuant to authority issued in Order No. 04-486 issued in CP-540, hereby notifies the Commission of its conversion to a limited liability company and its name change to PAETEC Communications, LLC. Attached hereto is a copy of the Amended Application filed with the Oregon Secretary of State’s Office.

Talk America, Inc., authorized to provide interexchange telecommunications services pursuant to authority issued in Order No. 01-145 issued in CP-328, hereby notifies the Commission of its conversion to a limited liability company and its name change to Talk America, LLC. Attached hereto is a copy of the Amended Application filed with the Oregon Secretary of State’s Office.

Windstream Communications, Inc., authorized to provide interexchange telecommunications services and operator services pursuant to authority issued in Order No. 06-040 issued in CP-1310, hereby notifies the Commission of its conversion to a limited liability company and its name change to Windstream Communications, LLC. Attached hereto is a copy of the Amended Application filed with the Oregon Secretary of State’s Office.

Norlight, Inc., authorized to provide interexchange telecommunications services pursuant to authority issued in Order No. 07-473 issued in CP-1385, hereby notifies the Commission of its conversion to a limited liability company and its name change to Windstream Norlight, LLC. Attached hereto is a copy of the Amended Application filed with the Oregon Secretary of State’s Office.

Windstream NuVox, Inc., authorized to provide local exchange telecommunications services pursuant to authority issued in Order No. 10-487 issued in CP-1496, hereby notifies the

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Commission of its conversion to a limited liability company and its name change to Windstream NuVox, LLC. Attached hereto is a copy of the Amended Application filed with the Oregon Secretary of State's Office.

Should you have any questions concerning this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Cesar Caballero

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Exhibits



Secretary of State  
Corporation Division  
255 Capitol Street NE, Suite 151  
Salem, OR 97310-1327

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**Type:** FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

**Next Renewal Date:** 05/15/2016

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4001 N RODNEY PARHAM RD  
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### **Acknowledgment Letter**

The document you submitted was recorded as shown below. Please review and verify the information listed for accuracy.

**Document**

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY

**Filed On**

05/15/2015

**Jurisdiction**

DELAWARE

**Name**

WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

**Principal Place of Business**

4001 N RODNEY PARHAM RD  
LITTLE ROCK AR 72212

**Registered Agent**

C T CORPORATION SYSTEM  
388 STATE ST ST 420  
SALEM OR 97301

**Mailing Address**

4001 N RODNEY PARHAM RD  
LITTLE ROCK AR 72212



Application for Authority to Transact Business - Foreign Limited Liability Company

Secretary of State - Corporation Division - 255 Capitol St. NE, Suite 151 - Salem, OR 97310-1327 - http://www.FilingInOregon.com - Phone: (503) 988-2200

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REGISTRY NUMBER: 1113469-95
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OREGON SECRETARY OF STATE

In accordance with Oregon Revised Statute 192.410-192.490, the information on this application is public record. We must release this information to all parties upon request and it will be posted on our website.

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Please Type or Print Legibly in Black Ink. Attach Additional Sheet if Necessary.

1) NAME: Windstream Communications, LLC

NOTE: (Must contain the words "Limited Liability Company" or the abbreviations "LLC" or "L.L.C.") Must be identical to the name of record in home jurisdiction.

2) REGISTRY NUMBER IN HOME JURISDICTION

OR: CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE (ATTACHED)

(Please provide a web-verifiable registry number from the entity's home jurisdiction. Certain states, such as Delaware and New Jersey, do not provide status information online. Entities from such places must instead attach an official certificate of existence, current within 60 days of delivery to this office.)

7) REGISTERED AGENT'S PUBLICLY AVAILABLE ADDRESS:

(Must be an Oregon Street Address, which is identical to the registered agent's business office.)

388 State Street, Ste. 420

Salem, OR 97301

3) DATE OF ORGANIZATION: 11/02/2005 DURATION, IF NOT PERPETUAL:

8) ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS:

4001 Rodney Parham Road

Little Rock, AR 72212

4) STATE OR COUNTRY OF ORGANIZATION: Delaware

9) ADDRESS WHERE THE DIVISION MAY MAIL NOTICES:

4001 Rodney Parham Road

Little Rock, AR 72212

5) THIS FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SATISFIES THE REQUIREMENTS OF ORS 63.714(3).

10) HOW WILL THIS LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY BE MANAGED?

6) NAME OF OREGON REGISTERED AGENT: C T Corporation System

- This LLC will be member-managed by one or more members.
This LLC will be manager-managed by one or more managers.

11) EXECUTION: (At least one member or manager must sign.) By my signature, I declare as an authorized authority, that this filing has been examined by me and is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, correct, and complete. Making false statements in this document is against the law and may be penalized by fines, imprisonment or both.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Printed Name: John P. Fletcher

Title: Manager

CONTACT NAME: (To resolve questions with this filing.)

PHONE NUMBER: (Include area code.)

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# Delaware

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*The First State*

I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS, LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE EIGHTH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2015.


AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State  
AUTHENTICATION: 2273635

DATE: 04-08-15