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100003490091-----12/06/00--01046--025 *****210.00 ******35.00 CORPORATION(S) NAME e.spire Communications, Inc. () Profit () Amendment () Merger () Nonprofit () Foreign () Dissolution/Withdrawal () Mark () Reinstatement () Limited Partnership () Annual Report () Other ()LLC () Name Registration (x) Change of RA () Fictitious Name () UCC () Certified Copy () Photocopies () CUS () Call When Ready () Call If Problem () After 4:30 (x) Walk In () Will Wait (x) Pick Up () Mail Out Name 12/06/00 Order#: Availability Document Examiner Ref#: Updater Verifier

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STATEMENT OF CHANGE OF REGISTERED OFFICE OR REGISTERED AGENT, OR BOTH FOR CORPORATIONS

Pursuant to the provisions of sections 607.0502, 617.0502, 607.1508, or 617.1508, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware submits the following statement in order to change its registered office or registered agent, or both, in the State of Florida. 1a. The name of the corporation is: e.spire Communications, Inc.
1b. Date of incorporation August 5, 1994 Document number 1960 2003523
in Fla 7-11-96 2. The name and address of the current registered agent and office:
Norman H. Horton
Messer Caparello & Self, P.A., 215 South Monroe St., Tallahassee FL 32302
3. The name and address of the new registered agent and office: (P.O. Box Not Acceptable) C T CORPORATION SYSTEM
c/o C T CORPORATION SYSTEM, 1200 South Pine Island Rd., Plantation Florida 333:
The street address of its registered agent and the street address of the business office of its registered agent as changed will be identical.
Such change was authorized by resolution duly adopted by its board of directors or by an officer so authorized by the board. Juliette Williams Pryor Senior Vice President-Secretary (Type or printed name and title)
HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATION OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.
SIGNATURE BY: (Règistered Agent)
DATE CHARLES F SHAMPANG
Division of Corporations, P.O. Box 6327, Tallanassee, FL 32314

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