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NAME: COMSAT RSI MARYLAND, INC.

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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO
TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA**

*IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS
SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE
STATE OF FLORIDA:*

1. COMSAT RSI Maryland, Inc.

(Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)

2. Delaware

(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)

3. _____

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. November 3, 1994

(Date of Incorporation)

5. Perpetual

(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. Upon qualification

(Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 607.1501, 607.1502, and 817.155, F.S.)

7. 1501 Moran Road

Sterling, Virginia 20166

(Current mailing address)

8. Engineering, designing and marketing of telecommunications equipment and products.

(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in the state of Florida)

9. **Name and street address of Florida registered agent:**

Name: The Prentice-Hall Corporation System, Inc.

Office Address: 1201 Hays Street, Suite 105

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, Florida, 32301

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10. **Registered agent's acceptance:**

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, 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 obligations of my position as registered agent.

The Prentice-Hall Corporation System, Inc.

By: [Signature] RICHARD VERESMARTI, ASST. SEC.
(Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

12. Names and addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: Bruce L. Crockett
Address: 6560 Rock Spring Drive
Bethesda, MD 20817

Vice Chairman: _____
Address: _____

Director: Richard E. Thomas
Address: 1501 Moran Road
Sterling, VA 20166

Director: _____
Address: _____

B. OFFICERS

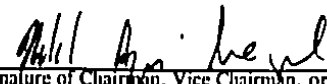
President: Raymond D. Thomas
Address: 22300 Comsat Drive
Clarksburg, MD 20871-9475

Vice President: Nancy E. Weber
Address: 6560 Rock Spring Drive
Bethesda, MD 20817

Secretary: Harold Aryai Siegel
Address: 1501 Moran Road
Sterling, VA 20166

Vice President & Treasurer: Mark D. Funston
Address: 1501 Moran Road
Sterling, VA 20166

NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13. 
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application.)

14. Harold Aryai Siegel, Secretary
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

ADDENDUM

12. Names and addresses of officers and/or directors:

B. OFFICERS

Assistant Treasurer: Gregory A. Samay

Address: 6560 Rock Spring Drive

Bethesda, MD 20817

Assistant Secretary: Charles N. Gregg III

Address: 6560 Rock Spring Drive

Bethesda, MD 20817

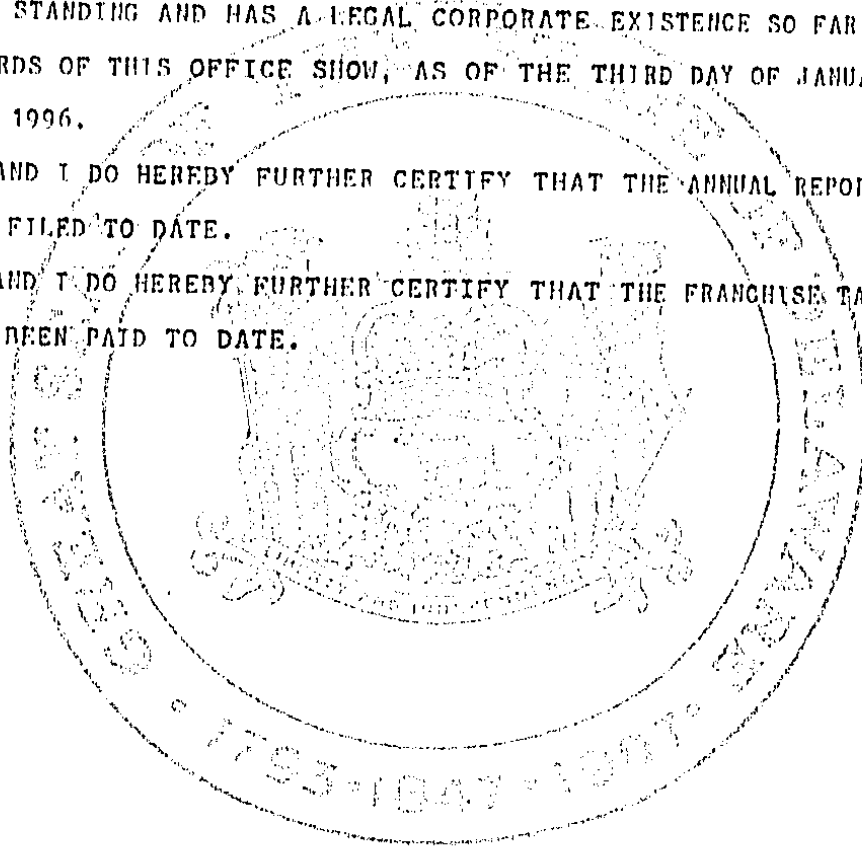
14. 
Harold Aryai Siegel, Secretary

Office of the Secretary of State

I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "COMSAT RST MARYLAND, INC." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE THIRD DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 1996.

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

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



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