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

In the Matter of	)	
	)	
Section 63.71 Application of	)	No. ND-2022-24-C
Network Service Billing, Inc. for Authority	)	
To Discontinue Services.	)	

SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION OF
NETWORK SERVICE BILLING, INC.

Network Service Billing, Inc. (NSBI) applies for authority under Section 214(a) of the Communications Act, as amended (Act), 47 U.S.C. § 214(a), and Section 63.71 of the Federal Communications Commission's (Commission) rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.71, to discontinue all telecommunications services.

In support of its application, NSBI provides the following information required by Section 63.71 of the Commission's rules.

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1. Name and Address of Carrier:

   Network Service Billing, Inc.
   2000 Town Center
   Suite 1900
   Southfield, MI 48075

2. Date of Planned Service Discontinuance:

NSBI plans to discontinue all telecommunications services effective May 31, 2022 or as soon thereafter as the necessary regulatory approvals can be obtained.

3. Point of Geographic Areas of Service Affected:

NSBI proposes to discontinue its provision of telecommunications services throughout its service area. NSBI currently provides resold switchless long distance services to customers in the

following jurisdictions: Alabama, Arkansas, Arizona, California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.

4. Brief Description of Type of Service Affected:

NSBI proposes to discontinue its provision of resold, switchless, long distance service.

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

Across NSBI's entire service area, fewer than 2,700 customers receive service. NSBI provided notice to those customers by letter sent on April 15, 2022. A sample copy of the notice is attached as Exhibit A.

6. Regulatory Classification of Carrier:

NSBI is considered non-dominant with respect to the services it proposes to discontinue.

The public convenience and necessity will not be adversely affected by the discontinuance of NSBI's telecommunications services. The number of customers is limited and the affected customer has been given notice affording it ample time to acquire one of the many substitute services that are readily available. NSBI, therefore, respectfully requests Commission approval of this Section 63.71 Application. Please direct any questions regarding this Application to the undersigned.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICAT OF SERVICE

I, Seth L. Williams, hereby certify that on April 19, 2022 a copy of the forgoing Section 63.71 Application of Network Service Billing, Inc. was sent by first-class mail to the following parties:

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Network
Service Billing

April 15, 2022

Name
Address
City, State ZIP

Phone

Dear Customer:

This letter is to inform you that Network Service Billing, Inc. (NSBI) will no longer be providing long distance service throughout its service area, including in your area. NSBI will discontinue its service on May 31, 2022 or as soon thereafter as the necessary regulatory approval can be obtained. If you are receiving this notice, you will need to make arrangements for another carrier to provide your long distance service after the effective date. This includes interstate, intrastate and international long distance service. Any existing preferred carrier freezes on the service involved in the transfer will be lifted, so you would need to contact your local service providers to arrange a new freeze.

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. You may file your comments electronically through the FCC's Electronic Comment Filing System using the docket number established in the Commission's public notice for this proceeding, or you may address them to the Federal Communications Commission, Wireline Competition Bureau, Competition Policy Division, Washington, DC 20554, and include in your comments a reference to the § 63.71 Application of Communications Network Billing, 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

We thank you for being a loyal customer. If you have any questions about the sale or need any further assistance prior to the effective date, please feel free to contact NSBI's Customer Service Department at (800) 745-2479.