

Form **LLC-5.5**

Illinois
Limited Liability Company Act
Articles of Organization

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1. Limited Liability Company Name: BCDC CONNECT LLC

2. Address of Principal Place of Business where records of the company will be kept:

2249 N SHEFFIELD AVE

CHICAGO, IL 60614

3. Articles of Organization effective on the filing date.

4. Registered Agent's Name and Registered Office Address:

CHRISTOPHER D. HESSION
415 N LA SALLE DR STE 401
CHICAGO, IL 60654-2742

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5. Purpose for which the Limited Liability Company is organized:

"The transaction of any or all lawful business for which Limited Liability Companies may be organized under this Act."

6. The LLC is to have perpetual existence.

7. The Limited Liability Company has management vested in the member(s).

LINEBAUGH, CHARLES
2249 NORTH SHEFFIELD
CHICAGO, IL 60614

JAMES, BRIAN J.
2501 KANE LANE
BATAVIA, IL 60510

8. **Name and Address of Organizer**

I affirm, under penalties of perjury, having authority to sign hereto, that these Articles of Organization are to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, correct and complete.

Dated: FEBRUARY 19, 2014

CHARLES LINEBAUGH II
2249 N SHEFFIELD
CHICAGO, IL 60614

EXHIBIT C

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

BCDC Connect LLC

Brian James (50% Owner)

Charles Linebaugh II (50% Owner)

National Technologies NTI

DeNovo Media Inc.

Brian James (100% Owner)

Charles Linebaugh II (100% Owner)

Al Franzen - General Manager
Rick Danca - Project Manager
William Lough - Project Manager

Peter Newman - Data Center Tech
Mike McGing - Project Manager
Kelson Fagan - Technician

EXHIBIT B

Brian James – BCDC Connect LLC (Member) – National Technologies NTI (Owner)

Brian James has over 20 years of experience as a low voltage union electrician specializing in fiber optics. He excelled as an apprentice quickly moving up the ranks. He was entrusted by a multimillion dollar electrical company to start a low voltage division from the ground up. After successfully fulfilling his obligations, in 2009, he started his own company currently holding the role as Owner/Vice President of National Technologies NTI. Brian is also a certified teacher who currently teaches fiber optic for IBEW Local 701. Because of his dedication to fiber optics, he is always furthering his education. In 2008 he earned RCDD recognition, the highest design credentials in the information technology systems (ITS) industry. His work ethic and dedication to his customers, employees and business surpass none other.

Charles Linebaugh II – BCDC Connect LLC (Member) – DeNovo Media Inc (Owner)

Charles “Chuck” Linebaugh has over 20 years of experience in computer networking and data center technologies. Rising up through an international company providing networking design and implementation in Spanish and French languages he has evolved into an authority in the networking world. After achieving networking certifications through Cisco and Microsoft Chuck went on to open several companies providing Networking consultation, Data Center infrastructure construction, financial system hosting and development and Internet Service Provision. Chuck’s commitment to his customers and advancement of Networking Technologies is incomparable.

Peter Newman – DeNovo Media Inc (Employee)

Peter Newman holds multiple networking certifications with Cisco, Juniper and Microsoft with over 15 years of Data Center networking experience. He specializes in designing and maintaining multiple fiber networks making use of BGP to provide 100% uptime hosting for several fortune 500 companies.

Al Franzen - National Technologies NTI (Employee)

Al Franzen is an operational expert with decades of experience at the management level in a variety of fields. His current title as General Manager of Operations at NTI Fiber Optics takes advantage of the skills he’s mastered in his previous roles as an Inventory Control Manager, Risk Management Specialist, Regional Trainer, Customer Solutions Manager, Human Resource Expert and Supply Chain Specialist. Al is best described as a highly motivated, self-starter with a bar-none work ethic and a passion for creating efficiencies to help businesses run better. In 2014, he was recognized nationally for Inventory Control and Operational Excellence with Best Buy before making his transition to NTI Fiber Optics.

William Lough – National Technologies NTI (Employee)

William Lough has over 17 years of experience in the Fiber Optic telecommunication industry. He started his career in the early 90’s in Metro DC area with a national engineering company. He later continued his career with MFS-NT (Worldcom) to further his knowledge and expertise in the telecommunication industry. During his tenure there, William was responsible for the implementation and completion of major Fiber Optic projects. Before his employment with NTI, William was with AboveNet where he expanded Field Engineering skills.

Rick Danca – National Technologies NTI (Employee)

Rick Danca is a Project Manager for NTI Fiber Optics, a division of National Technologies. Rick entered the Telecommunications field in 1998. He started out installing several miles of fiber optic cable from state to state. He eventually moved on to OSP Construction Management and eventually into Project Management for fiber optic splicing.

EXHIBIT E

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT
ILLINOIS TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACCESS CORPORATION

Name of Applicant: BCDC Connect, LLC

Address of Applicant: 2249 N. Sheffield Avenue

Chicago, Illinois 60614-3621

Name, title, address and telephone number of responsible individual with applicant to whom communications should be sent:

Chuck Linebaugh, Member

BCDC Connect, LLC

2249 N. Sheffield Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60614-3621

(312) 729-5033

The applicant hereby applies for membership in the Illinois Telecommunications Access Corporation ("Corporation"), an Illinois non-for-profit corporation. Upon the applicant's execution of this application and submission of this application to the corporation, the corporation will accept and execute this application in the space provided below, and will return and executed copy of this application to the applicant.

In support of its application for membership, the applicant states and agrees as follows:

1. Applicant is a telecommunications carrier providing local service as defined in the Illinois Public Utilities Act ("PUA").
2. Applicant agrees that it will be subject to, and have those rights and obligations set forth in, the By-laws of the corporation as adopted by the corporation's board of directors and approved by the Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission"), as now in effect and as amended from time to time in the future.
3. Applicant acknowledges that the corporation is subject to the continuing supervision of and regulation by the Commission, and that the rights and obligations of each member may change as a result of this supervision and regulation.
4. To the extent from time to time approved by the Commission, the applicant delegates to the corporation authority to make such actions on behalf of the applicant as shall be necessary for the applicant to comply with its obligations under Section 13-703 of the PUA.
5. Applicant agrees to pay such portions of the monies collected by or on behalf of the applicant under and pursuant to Section 13-703 of the PUA (including income there from and appreciation thereon) as the Commission may from time to time order or as the corporation may from time to time request in accordance with orders of the Commission.

Dated: 1/26/2015

By: [Signature]

Title: MEMBER

SPACE BELOW TO BE COMPLETED BY ITAC ONLY

Acceptance: The above application and agreement is hereby accepted and the applicant is hereby accepted for membership in the corporation.

Date: _____

Illinois Telecommunications Access Corporation

By: _____

Title: _____

Please submit completed form to:
Illinois Telecommunications Access Corporation
3001 Montvale Drive
Suite D
Springfield, IL 62704
217-698-4170 (V/TTY)
217-698-0942 (Fax)
nhostick@itactv.org

EXHIBIT F

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT
UNIVERSAL TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE CORPORATION

Name of Applicant: BCDC Connect, LLC

Address of Applicant: 2249 N. Sheffield Avenue

Chicago, Illinois 60614-3621

Name, title, and telephone number of responsible individual with Applicant to whom communications should be sent:

Chuck Linebaugh - Member

(312) 729-5033

The Applicant hereby applies for membership in the Universal Telephone Assistance Corporation ("UTAC"), an Illinois not-for-profit corporation upon the terms and conditions set forth herein. This Agreement shall be effective when approved by the Board of Directors.

In support of its application for membership, the Applicant states and agrees as follows:

1. Applicant is a telecommunications carrier providing local exchange telecommunications service as defined in the Illinois Public Utilities Act ("PUA"). Applicant agrees that as a member of UTAC it will comply with the provisions of 220 ILCS 5/13-301.1 and the rules of the Illinois Commerce Commission including but not limited to 83 Ill.Admin.Code Part 757.
2. Applicant agrees that it will be subject to, and have those rights and obligations set forth in, the By-laws of UTAC as adopted by the Corporation's board of directors and approved by the Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission"), as now in effect and as amended from time to time in the future.
3. Applicant acknowledges that UTAC is subject to the continuing supervision of and regulation by the Commission, and that the rights and obligations of each member may change as a result of this supervision and regulation.
4. To the extent from time to time approved by the Commission, Applicant delegates to UTAC authority to make such actions on behalf of the Applicant as shall be necessary for the Applicant to comply with its obligations under Section 13-301.1 of the PUA and Part 757.
5. Applicant agrees to pay such portions of the monies collected by or on behalf of the Applicant under and pursuant to Section 13-301.1 of the PUA (including income therefrom and appreciation thereon) as the Commission may from time to time order or as UTAC may from time to time request in accordance with orders of the Commission.
6. Benefits available under the UTSAP program shall be limited to one discount per household at the principal place of residence of the eligible subscriber. UTAC will only pay the benefit reimbursement for installation costs when the customer pays the appropriate portion of the LEC's installation charge.
7. Applicant agrees to promptly furnish documentation supporting any monetary request when requested by UTAC.
8. It is the policy of UTAC to prohibit churning. If the number of installation fee requests on par. 2.1 of Exhibit A exceeds the number of Lifeline customers reported on par. 3.1 of Exhibit A at the end of the month, or if the member LEC is not retaining customers on the system due to churning, then the Board may deny the member LEC's request for installation fee waivers.

Dated: 1/26/15

By: 

Title: Member

SPACE BELOW TO BE COMPLETED BY UTAC ONLY

Acceptance: The above application and Agreement is hereby accepted and the Applicant is hereby accepted for membership in UTAC.

Dated: _____

Universal Telephone Assistance Corporation

By: _____

Title: _____