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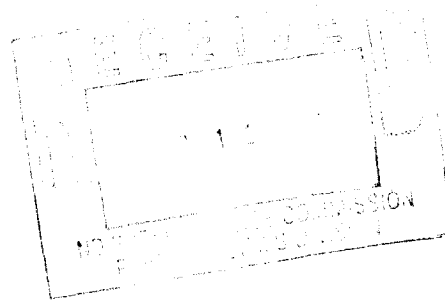
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March 13, 2006

Illona Jeffcoat-Sacco, Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E Boulevard Ave, Department 408
Bismarck, ND 58505



RE: DELTEL, INC.

Dear Ms. Jeffcoat-Sacco:

Attached please find a bond in further support of the above captioned corporation's Online Registration, a copy of the Online Registration is also attached.

Should you have any questions concerning this filing, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

EARLY, LENNON, CROCKER & BARTOSIEWICZ, P.L.C.

Patrick D. Crocker

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS RESELLER'S BOND
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
 SFN 50826 (5-96)

BOND NO: 272747

**PRINCIPAL
(Reseller)**

Name	DEL TEL, INC.		
Address	27071 Aliso Creek Road, Suite 150	City	Aliso Viejo
		State	CA
		Zip Code	92656

**SURETY
(Bonding
Company)**

Name	AMERICAN CONTRACTORS INDEMNITY COMPANY		
Address	9841 Airport Blvd., 9th Floor	City	Los Angeles
		State	CA
		Zip Code	90045

We, the above named PRINCIPAL and SURETY are bound to the State of North Dakota in the penal sum of *****
 *****TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND AND 00/100 Dollars. The payment of the penal sum shall bind the PRINCIPAL and SURETY,
 our heirs, legal representatives, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally under these obligations.

The PRINCIPAL is doing business in North Dakota as a reseller providing telecommunications services. This obligation covers all prepayments for service in this State including, but not limited to, front-end charges and prepaid monthly charges for services.

The condition of this obligation is as follows: if the PRINCIPAL faithfully performs all duties as a telecommunications reseller under the provisions of Certificate of Registration issued by the North Dakota Public Service Commission, complies with all laws of North Dakota pertaining to telecommunications companies and the rules of the Public Service Commission promulgated in connection therewith, and provides services in accordance with its legal obligations and agreements; then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall remain in effect.

Liability for this undertaking commences on February 17, 2006, and shall be continuous unless the SURETY by certified mail notifies the PRINCIPAL and the Public Service Commission that the surety bond has been canceled. The cancellation notice shall state that the surety bond will be canceled thirty (30) days after receipt by the Public Service Commission of the cancellation notice, or on a later date specified by the SURETY. In no event shall the aggregate liability of the SURETY accumulate above the face amount of the bond, unless the face amount is increased by appropriate endorsement or rider.

The liability of the SURETY for any violation of the obligations by the PRINCIPAL during the period of time the bond remains in effect shall remain in force for such period of time as may be permitted under the laws of the State of North Dakota. Bonding requirements may be increased or decreased by the Commission upon thirty (30) days notice to each PRINCIPAL and SURETY.

This bond, and the terms used herein, are governed by the provisions of Chapter 49-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, and Chapter 69-09-05 of the North Dakota Administrative Code.

Countersigned by North Dakota Resident Agent:

N/A

Name/Signature

Address

City, State(ND), Zip Code

THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY PRINCIPAL

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL

State of _____)
 County of _____)
 On this _____ day of _____,

before me personally appeared _____
 known to me to be the person or said corporation described in and
 who executed the within instrument as PRINCIPAL and
 acknowledged to me that he/she or said corporation executed the
 same.

*See attached
 see 3/6/06*

Signature of Principal

Notary Public

My Commission expires _____

(SEAL)

THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY SURETY

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY
(Corporate Officer)**

State of OHIO)
 County of CLERMONT)
 On this 17TH day of FEBRUARY, 2006

before me personally appeared CONNIE F. CAUDILL
 known to me to be ATTORNEY IN FACT
 of said corporation that is described in and that executed the within
 instrument as SURETY, and acknowledged to me that such corporation
 executed the same.

CONNIE F. CAUDILL, ATTORNEY IN FACT

Name and Title of Person Signing for Surety

Connie F. Caudill
 Signature

Linda Kay Brown
 Notary Public State of Ohio

My Commission expires September 28, 2010

(SEAL)

American Contractors Indemnity Company

9841 Airport Blvd., 9th Floor Los Angeles, California 90045



POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That American Contractors Indemnity Company of the State of California, a California corporation, does hereby appoint, **Paul R. Abrams, Connie F. Caudill, Kimberly A. Nunnelley or David E. Jones of Cincinnati, Ohio**

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full authority to execute on its behalf bonds, undertakings, recognizances and other contracts of indemnity and writings obligatory in the nature thereof, issued in the course of its business and to bind the Company thereby, in an Amount not to exceed \$ *****1,000,000.00*****. This Power of Attorney shall expire without further action on March 18, 2007.

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of AMERICAN CONTRACTORS INDEMNITY COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 6th day of December, 1990.

"RESOLVED that the Chief Executive Officer, President or any Vice President, Executive Vice President, Secretary or Assistant Secretary, shall have the power and authority

1. To appoint Attorney(s)-in-Fact and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof and,
2. To remove, at any time, any such Attorney-in-Fact and revoke the authority given.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the signatures of such officers and the seal of the Company may be affixed to any such Power of Attorney or certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by facsimile signatures and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, American Contractors Indemnity Company has caused its seal to be affixed hereto and executed by its Chief Executive Officer on the 15th day of December, 2003.



AMERICAN CONTRACTORS INDEMNITY COMPANY

By: Robert F. Thomas
Robert F. Thomas, Chief Executive Officer

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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On this 15th day of December 2003, before me, Deborah Reese, a notary public, personally appeared Robert F. Thomas, Chief Executive Officer of American Contractors Indemnity Company, to me personally known to be the individual and officer described herein, and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing instrument and affixed the seal of said corporation thereto by authority of his office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Deborah Reese
Signature of Notary
My Commission expires March 18, 2007



I, Jeannie J. Kim, Corporate Secretary of American Contractors Indemnity Company, do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney and the resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of said Company as set forth above, are true and correct transcripts thereof and that neither the said Power of Attorney nor the resolution have been revoked and they are now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS HEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 17th day of Feb, 2006.

Bond No. 272747

Jeannie J. Kim
Jeannie J. Kim, Corporate Secretary

Agency No. #9041

CALIFORNIA JURAT WITH AFFIANT STATEMENT

State of California

County of Orange } ss.

- See Attached Document (Notary to cross out lines 1-6 below)
- See Statement Below (Lines 1-5 to be completed only by document signer[s], *not* Notary)

[Signature]
Signature of Document Signer No. 1

Signature of Document Signer No. 2 (if any)

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this

6th day of March, 2006, by
Date Month Year

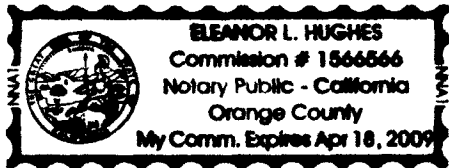
(1) ROBERT G. HUFF
Name of Signer

- Personally known to me
- Proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who appeared before me (.) (,)

(and)
(2) _____
Name of Signer

- Personally known to me
- Proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who appeared before me.)

[Signature]
Signature of Notary Public



Place Notary Seal Above

OPTIONAL

Though the information below is not required by law, it may prove valuable to persons relying on the document and could prevent fraudulent removal and reattachment of this form to another document.

Further Description of Any Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: NORTH DAKOTA TELECOMMUNICATIONS RESELLERS BOND.

Document Date: 2/17/06 Number of Pages: 1

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above: Conni F. Cundill

RIGHT THUMBPRINT OF SIGNER #1
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RIGHT THUMBPRINT OF SIGNER #2
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Current Registrations

User: **Patrick D. Crocker** Log Out

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For more information about the registration of telecommunications companies that are not incumbent telecommunications companies see [North Dakota Century Code Section 49-03.1-09](#) (12 kb pdf) (opens new window)

Submitted Date/Time: 3/8/2006 11:26:00 AM

Entity Type: Foreign Corporation

Sec of State System ID: 20393500

Company Name: DELTEL, INC.

Mailing Address: 27071 Aliso Creek Road
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Aliso Viejo, CA 92656
United States of America

Street Address: 27071 Aliso Creek Road
Suite 150
Aliso Viejo, CA 92656
United States of America

Telephone: 949-444-0150

Company Web Address: www.pbnext.com

Names under which your company does business:

NONE

Contact Information

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Title: Attorney

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Toll Free: 877-772-6398

Email: support@pbnext.com

Company Services

Services provided by your company:

Long Distance Services

Prepayment Information and Bond Requirement

Does your company resell any service? YES

If yes, does your company require prepayment for any service it resells? YES

NOTE: a deposit requirement is prepayment requirement.

Submit a performance bond YES

Required amount of bond/escrow account: 25000

Revocation


Has your company ever had its authority to provide service revoked in any jurisdiction?

NO

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