

**TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT**

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	CHANGE OF NAME
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CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Ionex Telecommunications, Inc.		04/03/2003	CORPORATION:

RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
Name:	Birch Telecom, Inc.
Street Address:	2020 Baltimore
City:	Kansas City
State/Country:	MISSOURI
Postal Code:	64108
Entity Type:	CORPORATION:

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 4		
Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2577238	IONEX
Registration Number:	2542377	IONEX
Registration Number:	2509015	IONEX
Registration Number:	2514288	IONEX TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

CORRESPONDENCE DATA	
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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Kyle L. Elliott
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Total Attachments: 1  
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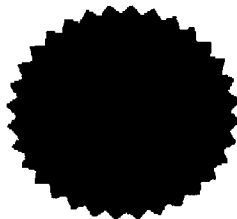
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*The First State*

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF "IONEX TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "IONEX TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC." TO "BIRCH TELECOM, INC.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE THIRD DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2003, AT 11:01 O'CLOCK A.M.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.



*Harriet Smith Windsor*  
Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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DATE: 04-03-03