

## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT		
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST AND THE GOODWILL		
CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Alltel Corporation		07/17/2006	CORPORATION: DELAWARE
Alltel Communications, Inc.		07/17/2006	CORPORATION: DELAWARE
RECEIVING PARTY DATA			
Name:	Windstream Communications, Inc.		
Street Address:	4001 Rodney Parham		
Internal Address:	1170-B1F3-71A		
City:	Little Rock		
State/Country:	ARKANSAS		
Postal Code:	72212		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE		
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3			
Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
Registration Number:	2761890	BUSINESS CONNECT	
Registration Number:	2649171	HYPERFAST ALWAYS ON	
Registration Number:	1513928	PROTECTION PLUS	
CORRESPONDENCE DATA			
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Signature:	/William P. Creasman/
Date:	07/28/2006
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## ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. TRADEMARKS

**WHEREAS**, effective as of July 17, 2006, Alltel Corporation and Alltel Communications, Inc., both Delaware corporations having a place of business at One Allied Drive, Little Rock, AR 72202 (collectively, "Assignor"), each being, respectively, the sole and exclusive owner of the United States trademark applications and registration described on Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "Marks"), each intend to assign the Marks; and

**WHEREAS**, Windstream Communications, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 4001 Rodney Parham Road, Little Rock, AR 72212-2442 ("Assignee"), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said marks and the registrations thereof;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valid consideration paid by Assignee and received by Assignor, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to Assignee all its right, title and interest in, to, and under said Marks and registrations, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Marks, together with all rights and privileges granted and secured thereby, including the right to sue and recover for any past infringement, said rights to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and benefit and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this Assignment and sale had not been made.

**AND FURTHER**, Assignor hereby covenants that it has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Assignor has executed this Assignment by its proper and duly authorized officers.

**Alltel Corporation**

**Alltel Communications, Inc.**

By: *Dillan P. Creamer*

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Title: *Senior Vice President*

Title: *Senior Vice President*

### EXHIBIT A

<u>Mark</u>	<u>Application Number or Registration Number</u>	<u>Application Date or Registration Date</u>
BUSINESS CONNECT	Registration Number: 2761890	Registration Date: 09/09/03
HYPERFAST ALWAYS ON	Registration Number: 2649171	Registration Date: 11/12/02
PROTECTION PLUS	Registration Number: 1513928	Registration Date: 11/22/88