Georgia Public Service Commission

244 WASHINGTON STREET, SW
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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE (CLEC)

Please file the completed application electronically at https://psc.ga.gov/alternative-efile/.

Please also mail one (1) hard copy of the application and any attachments to:

Ms. Sallie Tanner
Executive Secretary
Georgia Public Service Commission
244 Washington Street, SW
Atlanta, GA 30334-5701

Questions regarding filing procedures should be directed to Sallie Tanner at (404) 463-7747 or stanner@psc.ga.gov.

Questions regarding the application should be directed to Erica Wilson at (404) 651-9402 or ewilson@psc.ga.gov.

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I. APPLICANT

NAME OF COMPANY	Stratus Networks, Inc.				
ADDRESS 1	4700 N. Prospect Rd.				
ADDRESS 2					
CITY	Peoria	STATE	IL	ZIP CODE	61625
TELEPHONE	(309) 222-2123	FAX			

EMPLOYEE DESIGNATED TO RECEIVE AND RESPOND TO COMMISSION REQUESTS:					
NAME	Tyler Evans	TITLE	VP, Operations		
ADDRESS 1	4700 N. Prospect Rd.				
ADDRESS 2					
CITY	Peoria	STATE	IL	ZIP CODE	61625
TELEPHONE	(309) 417-3291	FAX			
EMAIL ADDRESS	tevans@stratusnet.com				

NOTE: FAILURE TO NOTIFY THE COMMISSION, IN WRITING, WHEN THERE IS A CHANGE IN THE CONTACT PERSON OR ADDRESS(ES) LISTED IN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY.

II. ATTORNEY OR AGENT

IF APPLICANT IS NOT A GEORGIA CORPORATION, GIVE NAME AND ADDRESS OF AN ATTORNEY OR AGENT IN THE STATE OF GEORGIA UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED IN ANY SUIT AGAINST APPLICANT.

ATTORNEY NAME	Michael Donahue & Jane Wagner				
NAME OF FIRM	Marashlian & Donahue, PLLC				
ADDRESS 1	1430 Spring Hill Rd.				
ADDRESS 2	Suite 310				
CITY	McLean	STATE	VA	ZIP CODE	22102
TELEPHONE	703-714-1300	FAX			
EMAIL ADDRESS	jlw@commlawgroup.com mpd@commlawgroup.com				

III. ORGANIZATION

STATE AND DATE OF INCORPORATION:			
STATE	Illinois	DATE	6/6/2002

LIST THE NAMES, TITLES, AND ADDRESSES (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE) OF ALL OFFICERS OR PARTNERS:			
NAME	Darren Feder	ADDRESS	
TITLE	CEO		
NAME	Ben Russell	ADDRESS	
TITLE	CTO		
NAME	Bruce Skellie	ADDRESS	
TITLE	CFO		
NAME		ADDRESS	
TITLE			

ATTACH A COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS ISSUED BY THE GEORGIA SECRETARY OF STATE. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., "EXHIBIT A").	Exhibit A

IF APPLICANT IS A SUBSIDIARY, PARENT, OR AFFILIATE OF ANY OTHER COMPANY, REGARDLESS OF TYPE OR INDUSTRY, ATTACH A CHART SHOWING THE RELATIONSHIP OF THE APPLICANT TO ALL AFFILIATED COMPANIES. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., "EXHIBIT A"). IF NO AFFILIATED COMPANIES, SO STATE.	Exhibit B

IV. EXISTING AUTHORITY

DOES THE APPLICANT OR ANY AFFILATED COMPANY HAVE EXISTING CERTIFICATES OF AUTHORITY ISSUED BY THE GPSC? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES		NO	
		X		

IF YES, PLEASE LIST THE NAME OF EACH COMPANY AND THE CERTIFICATE NUMBER(S):

Stratus Networks, Inc., R-0971

DOES THE APPLICANT OR ANY AFFILIATED COMPANY HAVE EXISTING AUTHORITY GRANTED BY ANY STATE OR FEDERAL ENTITY? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES	X	NO	

IF YES, PLEASE LIST THE NAME OF EACH COMPANY AND THE STATE OR FEDERAL ENTITY THAT GRANTED SUCH AUTHORITY:

Stratus Networks, Inc. holds the following authorizations:

FCC	Domestic Section 214 authorization; pending international 214 authorization; File No. ITC-214-20240105-00001
AL	IXC
AR	IXC
AZ	IXC
CO	IXC
CT	IXC, VoIP
FL	IXC, CLEC
GA	Reseller
IA	IXC and CLEC
ID	IXC
IL	Access, IXC and CLEC
IN	IXC, CLEC
KS	IXC
KY	IXC
LA	IXC
MA	IXC
MD	IXC
MI	IXC and VoIP
MN	IXC
MT	IXC/Telecom Service Provider
ND	IXC and VoIP
NE	IXC
NJ	IXC
NV	CPC
NY	IXC
OH	CTX-IXC
PA	IXC
PR	VoIP

TN	IXC
TX	IXC
WA	CLEC
WI	Reseller – IXC
WV	IXC
WY	Reseller/IXC and VoIP

HAS THE APPLICANT OR ANY AFFILIATED COMPANY HAD ANY PREVIOUS AUTHORITY REVOKED BY ANY STATE OR FEDERAL ENTITY? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES		NO	X

IF YES, PLEASE LIST THE NAME OF EACH COMPANY AND THE STATE OR FEDERAL THAT REVOKED SUCH AUTHORITY:

ATTACH A COPY OF ALL ORDERS REVOKING AUTHORITY. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., "EXHIBIT A").	

V. COMPLIANCE WITH COMMISSION RULES AND ORDERS

COMMISSION RULE 515-12-1-.34 CODE OF CONDUCT FOR WINBACK ACTIVITIES REQUIRES CLECS TO ANNUALLY FILE BY MARCH 31 OF EACH YEAR CUSTOMER SERVICE CONTACT INFORMATION AND COMPANY CONTACT ESCALATION.				
DOES THE APPLICANT AGREE TO COMPLY WITH COMMISSION RULE 515.12-1.34? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES	X	NO	

COMMISSION RULE 515-12-1-.37 FAMILY VIOLENCE SHELTER CONFIDENTIALITY REQUIRES CLECS TO SUBMIT AN AFFIDAVIT UPON CERTIFICATION AND ON JANUARY 31 OF EACH ODD-NUMBERED YEAR THEREAFTER AN AFFIDAVIT ATTESTING THAT THE CARRIER WILL COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE RULE.				
DOES THE APPLICANT AGREE TO COMPLY WITH COMMISSION RULE 515.12-1.37? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES	X	NO	
DOWNLOAD CURRENT FAMILY VIOLENCE SHELTER CONFIDENTIALITY PROTECTION AFFIDAVIT FROM THE GPSC WEBSITE. ATTACH EXECUTED AND NOTARIZED AFFIDAVIT TO THE APPLICATION. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., EXHIBIT A).	Exhibit C			

COMMISSION RULE 515-12-1-.38 TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE REQUIRES CLECS TO REMIT CONTRIBUTIONS ON A QUARTERLY BASIS TO THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE FUND.				
DOES THE APPLICANT AGREE TO COMPLY WITH COMMISSION RULE 515.12-1.38? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES	X	NO	

COMMISSION RULE 515-12-1-.39 UNIVERSAL ACCESS FUND REQUIRES CLECS TO REMIT CONTRIBUTIONS ON A QUARTERLY BASIS TO THE UNIVERSAL ACCESS FUND.				
DOES THE APPLICANT AGREE TO COMPLY WITH COMMISSION RULE 515.12-1.39? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES	X	NO	

DOES THE APPLICANT AGREE TO COMPLY WITH ALL OTHER APPLICABLE COMMISSION RULES AND ORDERS? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES	X	NO	

VI. COMPETIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE1

WHAT CUSTOMER CLASS(ES) DOES THE APPLICANT PROPOSE TO SERVE? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOXES.)	BUSINESS	X
	RESIDENTIAL	
	OTHER (LIST BELOW)	

SELECT THE METHOD(S) BY WHICH SERVICE WILL BE PROVIDED. (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOXES.)	RESALE	
	FACILITIES-BASED	X

IF FACILITIES-BASED, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.		
WILL THE FACILITIES BE NEWLY CONSTRUCTED OR ACQUIRED THROUGH LEASE OR PURCHASE? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOXES.)	NEW CONSTRUCTION	
	ACQUISITION	X
IF NEW CONSTRUCTION, PLEASE DESCRIBE THE LOCATION AND TYPE OF FACILITIES THAT WILL BE CONSTRUCTED.		
IF AQUISITION, PLEASE DESCRIBE THE LOCATION AND TYPE OF FACILITIES THAT WILL BE ACQUIRED.		
Stratus intends to place switching equipment in CLEC central offices adjacent to the Public Switched Telephone Network facilities. This switching equipment will connect both regionally and to Stratus's nationwide network.		
PROVIDE A BREAKDOWN OF ANTICIPATED COSTS OF FACILITIES.		

TARIFFS FOR LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES ARE NO LONGER REQUIRED. DOES THE COMPANY WISH TO MAINTAIN A LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES TARIFF WITH THE COMMISSION? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES		NO	X

1 Stratus plans to offer "Basic Telephone Service" and/or "Telephone Exchange Service" as defined by Georgia law and/or Section 3(54) of the federal Communications Act of 1934, as amended ("Act"), 47 U.S.C. § 153(54). The determination of whether a call is provided pursuant to this definition is based on the end points of such call, using the locations of the originating and terminating telephone numbers, as required by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC").

Stratus plans to offer "Exchange Access" as defined by Georgia law and/or Section 3(20) of the Act, 47 U.S.C. § 153(20). The FCC's call end points policy will be used to determine whether a call is provided pursuant to this definition.

IF YES, PLEASE ATTACH A LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES TARIFF. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., "EXHIBIT A").				
PURSUANT TO O.C.GA. § 46-5-166(E), PROVIDERS OF ACCESS SERVICES MUST FILE ACCESS SERVICES TARIFFS WITH THE COMMISSION. DOES THE APPLICANT INTEND TO PROVIDE ACCESS SERVICES? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES		NO	X
IF YES, PLEASE ATTACH AN ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., "EXHIBIT A").				

VII. TECHNICAL CAPABILITY

ATTACH RESUMES AND/OR PROFILES OF THE APPLICANT'S MANAGEMENT TEAM. DESCRIBE EACH TEAM MEMBER'S TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS, INCLUDING ANY RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE, EDUCATION, AND TRAINING. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., "EXHIBIT A").	See Exhibit D.

VIII. FINANCIAL CAPABILITY

PROVIDE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE MOST RECENT FISCAL YEAR. IF AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE UNAVAILABLE, PROVIDE UNAUDITED INCOME STATEMENT, BALANCE SHEET, AND STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR MOST RECENT FISCAL YEAR. PLACE EXHIBIT NAME IN BOX TO RIGHT (e.g., "EXHIBIT A").	See CONFIDENTIAL Exhibit E.

IS APPLICANT PRESENTLY INVOLVED IN ANY LITIGATION? (PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX.)	YES		NO	X
IF YES, PLEASE DESCRIBE EACH CASE IN DETAIL (PARTIES, SUBJECT MATTER, JURISDICTION, CASE NUMBER, ETC.):				

IX. AFFIDAVIT

OFFICER OR ATTORNEY/ AGENT:					
NAME	Tyler Evans				
TITLE	VP, Operations				
ADDRESS 1	4700 N Prospect Rd				
ADDRESS 2					
CITY	Peoria Heights	STATE	IL	ZIP CODE	61616

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE (HEREINAFTER, "APPLICANT") PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE THE UNDERSIGNED, AN OFFICER DULY AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS. THE APPLICANT, AFTER FIRST BEING DULY SWORN, DEPOSES AND CERTIFIES THAT HE OR SHE HAS READ THE APPLICATION AND KNOWS THE CONTENTS THEREOF, AND THAT THE STATEMENTS MADE HEREIN ARE TRUE TO THE BEST OF HIS OR HER KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

APPLICANT FURTHER AGREES TO ABIDE BY ALL APPLICABLE LAWS UNDER THE STATE OF GEORGIA, AS CODIFIED IN THE OFFICIAL CODE OF GEORGIA ANNOTATED; ALL APPLICABLE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE GEORGIA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION; AND ALL FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS, TERMS, AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH IN PERTINENT COMMISSION ORDERS.

UNDER PENALTIES OF PERJURY, APPLICANT DECLARES THAT THE STATEMENTS MADE IN THE FOREGOING APPLICATION, INCLUDING ACCOMPANYING STATEMENTS AND ATTACHMENTS ARE TRUE, COMPLETE, AND CORRECT. I UNDERSTAND THAT ANY FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION IN, OR IN CONNECTION WITH, MY APPLICATION MAY BE CAUSE FOR DENIAL OR LOSS OF CERTIFICATE.

Tyler Evans
SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT

3/29/24
DATE

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO ME THIS
29 DAY OF March, 20 24.

Jeri J Shreffler
NOTARY PUBLIC

(SEAL)

"OFFICIAL SEAL"
JERI J SHREFFLER
Notary Public, State of Illinois
My Commission Expires 02/23/2027

EXHIBIT A

Secretary of State
Corporations Division
315 West Tower
#2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

CONTROL NUMBER	: 0428738
EFFECTIVE DATE	: 05/04/2004
JURISDICTION	: ILLINOIS
REFERENCE	: 0093
PRINT DATE	: 05/17/2004
FORM NUMBER	: 316

C T CORPORATION SYSTEM
RUDENE REMBERT
1201 PEACHTREE ST.,NE
ATLANTA, GA 30361

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS

I, Cathy Cox, the Secretary of State and the Corporations Commissioner of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that

ACCESS2GO, INC.
A FOREIGN PROFIT CORPORATION

has been duly incorporated under the laws of the jurisdiction set forth above and has filed an application meeting the requirements of Georgia law to transact business as a foreign corporation in this state.

WHEREFORE, by the authority vested in me as Corporations Commissioner, the above named corporation is hereby granted, on the effective date stated above, a certificate of authority to transact business in the State of Georgia as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta and the State of Georgia on the date set forth above.

Cathy Cox
Secretary of State

CATHY COX
Secretary of State

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE
CORPORATIONS DIVISION
315 West Tower, #2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530
(404) 656-2817
Registered agent, officer, entity status information via the Internet
http://www.sos.state.ga.us/corporations

WARREN RARY
Director

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOR FOREIGN CORPORATION

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DOCKET CODE		**DATE FILED**		**AMOUNT RECEIVED**	
CHECK/ RECEIPT #		**TYPE CODE**		**EXAMINER**	
JURISDICTION CODE					

NOTICE TO APPLICANT: PRINT PLAINLY OR TYPE REMAINDER OF THIS FORM

1. ACCESS2GO, INC.
Corporate Name — Name Reservation Number (Optional)

Upon Qualification
Date business commenced (or proposed) in Georgia (NOTE: If the date provided here is more than 30 days prior to the date the application is received by the Secretary of State, a $500 penalty must be paid; penalty is statutory and cannot be waived by Secretary of State.)

2. Judy Riley, Telcom Professionals, Inc. — 405-755-8177
Applicant/Attorney — Telephone Number

2912 Lakeside Dr., Ste. 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73120
Address — City State Zip Code

3. 4609 N. Prospect Road, Peoria Heights, IL 61616
Principal Office Mailing Address — City State Zip Code

4. C T Corporation System
Name of Registered Agent in Georgia
c/o C T CORPORATION SYSTEM, 1201 Peachtree Street, NE
Registered Office Street Address in Georgia
Atlanta — Fulton — GA — 30361
City — County — State — Zip Code

5.

Circle ONE	Jurisdiction (Home State/Country):	Date of Incorporation:
(PROFIT) NONPROFIT	Illinois	06/06/2002

6.

Officer / CEO	Address	City	State	Zip Code
Officer / CFO	Address	City	State	Zip Code
Officer / SEC	Address SEE ATTACHMENT	City	State	Zip Code

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SECRETARY OF STATE
CORPORATIONS DIVISION

7. **NOTICE: Mail or deliver the following items to the Secretary of State at the above address.**
(1) **Original and one copy of this application**
(2) **An ORIGINAL certificate of existence, not more than 90 days old, certified by the home state or country must be sent in with this application. A photocopy WILL NOT be accepted. Certificate from home state must accompany application and be no more than 90 days old.**
(3) **Filing fee of $225.00 payable to "Secretary of State." Filing fees are NON-refundable.**

Authorized Signature Jamison J. Shefts — Date 3/30/04 — FORM 236

Certificates, certified copies and entity information via the Internet: http://www.sos.state.ga.us/corporations/

Attachment to Georgia

Officers & Directors

1.	Full Name:	Jamison J. Shefts
	Officer/Director:	Officer,Director
	Officer's Title:	President
	Business Address:	4609 N. Prospect Road
	City:	Peoria Heights
	State:	IL
	ZIP Code:	61616
2.	Full Name:	Colleen K. Shefts
	Officer/Director:	Officer,Director
	Officer's Title:	Vice President
	Business Address:	4609 N. Prospect Road
	City:	Peoria Heights
	State:	IL
	ZIP Code:	61616

File Number 6225-066-6

STATE OF ILLINOIS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

To all to whom these Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

I, Jesse White, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that ACCESS2GO, INC., A DOMESTIC CORPORATION, INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THIS STATE JUNE 6, 2002, APPEARS TO HAVE COMPLIED WITH ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THE BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FILING OF ANNUAL REPORTS AND PAYMENT OF FRANCHISE TAXES, AND AS OF THIS DATE, IS IN GOOD STANDING AS A DOMESTIC CORPORATION IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS********

In Testimony Whereof, *I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois, this* 28TH *day of* APRIL *A.D.* 2004

Jesse White

SECRETARY OF STATE

C-260.2

Initial File #: 0428738

STATE OF GEORGIA

Secretary of State
Corporations Division
313 West Tower
#2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

CERTIFICATE OF NAME CHANGE

I, **Brian P. Kemp,** The Secretary of State and the Corporations Commissioner of the State of Georgia, hereby certify under the seal of my office that

ACCESS2GO, INC.

Name Changed To

STRATUS NETWORKS, Inc.

is hereby issued a CERTIFICATE OF NAME CHANGE under the laws of the State of Georgia on 1/30/2013 12:00:00 AM by the filing of all documents in the Office of the Secretary of State and by the paying of all fees as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated .

WITNESS my hand and offical seal in the City of Atlanta and the State of Georgia on 2/22/2013 10:39:31 AM

Brian P. Kemp
Secretary of State

Tracking #: JkI7NH2D

CORPORATIONS DIVISION
237 Coliseum Drive
Macon, GA 31217-3858
(404) 656-2817

Brian P. Kemp
Secretary Of State

Application for Amended Certificate of Authority of a Foreign Entity

Form CD 613

An amended certificate of authority must be obtained only if a foreign entity changes its name or its jurisdiction of organization. Complete (where applicable) and return this form with a check payable to "Secretary of State" in the amount of $20.00. Entity must be in "Active Compliance" status in order to use this form.

1. Entity Name: ACCESS2GO, INC
2. Entity Control No.: 0428738
3. State/County of Jurisdiction: ILLINOIS
4. Date of Authorization in Georgia: 05/04/2004
5. Please indicate Entity Type (Check One Box Only)

- [x] Corporation (Corporation Must Provide Certificate of Existence from Home State with New Name)
- [ ] Limited Liability Company
- [ ] Limited Partnership
- [ ] Limited Liability Partnership

6. The name by which the entity will hereafter be known is:
STRATUS NETWORKS, INC.
7. New Jurisdiction:

ATTENTION: If any other information required in the original application for certificate of authority has changed, the entity has an obligation under Georgia law to inform the Secretary of State of said changes. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Signed By: _____
Signature

JOHN PETRAKIS, PRESIDENT
Printed name of signer

Title of Person signing above (Check one only)

- [x] Corporation — Officer, Receiver or Trustee
- [ ] LLC — Member, Manager, Receiver or Trustee
- [ ] LP — General Partner, Receiver or Trustee
- [ ] LLP — General Partner, Receiver or Trustee
- [ ] Attorney in fact

Email Address: LMalott@ntglaw.com

File Number 6225-066-6

STATE OF ILLINOIS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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I, Jesse White, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that

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In Testimony Whereof, *I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois, this* 23TH *day of* JANUARY *A.D.* 2013 .

Jesse White

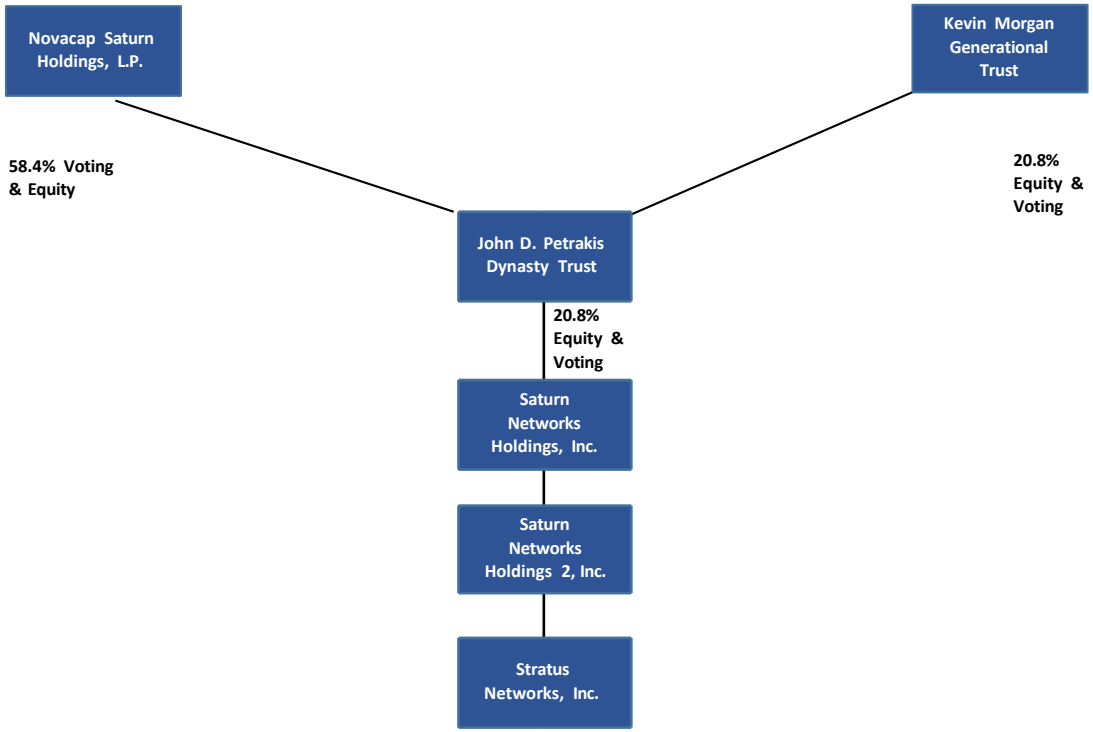
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EXHIBIT B

Stratus Networks, Inc.
Organizational Chart



All interest are 100% unless otherwise specified.

EXHIBIT C

FAMILY VIOLENCE SHELTER CONFIDENTIALITY PROTECTION AFFIDAVIT

OFFICER OR ATTORNEY/ AGENT:					
COMPANY	Stratus Networks, Inc.				
NAME	Benjamin Russell				
TITLE	Chief Technology Officer				
ADDRESS 1	4700 Prospect Road				
ADDRESS 2					
CITY	Peoria	STATE	IL	ZIP CODE	61625

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE (HEREINAFTER, "AFFIANT") PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE THE UNDERSIGNED, AN OFFICER DULY AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS. THE AFFIANT, AFTER FIRST BEING DULY SWORN, DEPOSES AND CERTIFIES THAT HE OR SHE HAS READ COMMISSION RULE 515-12-1-.37 FAMILY VIOLENCE SHELTER CONFIDENTIALITY PROTECTION AND WILL COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED THEREIN.

THIS AFFIDAVIT SHALL CONSTITUTE THE PLAN FOR PROTECTION OF THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF FAMILY VIOLENCE SHELTERS REQUIRED BY COMMISSION RULE 515-12-1-.37 FAMILY VIOLENCE SHELTER CONFIDENTIALITY PROTECTION AND O.C.G.A. § 46-5-7.

Ben Russell
SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT

3-26-24
DATE

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO ME THIS

26 DAY OF March, 2024.

Allison Kerr
NOTARY PUBLIC

(SEAL)

"OFFICIAL SEAL"
ALLISON KERR
NOTARY PUBLIC — STATE OF ILLINOIS
COMMISSION NO. 926923
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES FEB. 26, 2025

EXHIBIT D

Officers

Darren Feder - CEO

Mr. Feder has a Bachelor of Arts degree from Rutgers University.

Darren is currently the CEO of Stratus Networks since April 2023. Mr. Feder has 25 years in telecom and technology with significant background growing and leading organizations that design, sell, construct, operate and support digital infrastructure networks.

Darren has held senior executive positions with companies like Level 3, MCI and Metropolitan Fiber Systems (MFS), responsible for business units with >$500 million in revenue and leading large organizations with regional, national and global responsibility.

For the 10 years prior to joining Stratus, Darren was an entrepreneur, the President of Skywire Networks, an internet and voice carrier in the New York City market. Darren was a founder member of Skywire. Skywire served over 26,000 business and residential customers, lighting over 2,000 buildings in 50 neighborhoods.

Ben Russell - CTO

Ben holds a degree in Telecommunications Management from Illinois State University. Mr. Russell has over 20 years in telecommunications and the computer networking industry.

Ben is the CTO at Stratus networks. He is responsible for all technology related to the organization (maintains backbone network, hires and coaches engineers for new product development and network improvements/augmentations). His experience spans municipal networks to Fortune 50 enterprises and crosses several sectors including Finance, Insurance, Education and Service Providers.

Mr. Russell is an active CCIE in Route/Switching with additional professional certifications including CCDP, VCNE, MEF SD-WAN and MEF-CECP

Ben has written exam questions and lab scenarios as a Subject Matter Expert for Cisco's CCNA/CCNP and CCIE programs for over ten years.

Bruce Skellie - CFO

Bruce started as the Chief Financial Officer at Stratus Networks in January 2024.

Bruce resides in the Albany, New York area and attended Le Moyne College in Syracuse, New York majoring in accounting.

Bruce spent the last 12 years working at FirstLight Fiber, Inc. as the Chief Accounting Officer and Treasurer along with other various finance roles. He was a member of the Senior Team helping FirstLight grow both organically and through M&A. Prior to that, he spent a few years as the Controller of a manufacturing Company in Upstate New York and started my career in Public Accounting working as an auditor.

Directors

Benjamin Desmaris (Board Secretary)

Benjamin has been involved in funding, managing, and developing technology companies for the last 15 years. He holds a Bachelor's in Business Administration, Finance and IT Management from HEC Montréal, Quebec; he studied Computer Engineering at Polytechnique Montréal, Québec.

Prior to joining Novacap, Mr. Desmarais was CEO of Fibrenoire, an internet service provider ("ISP") that he co-founded in 2007 and which quickly became the largest independent communications provider to businesses in Canada. Under his leadership, Fibrenoire experienced exponential growth and successfully partnered with Novacap in 2013 to build a unique organization in eastern Canada. Fibrenoire was eventually acquired by Vidéotron in 2016, delivering substantial value for all stakeholders. Following his tenure at Fibrenoire, Benjamin served as CEO and Chairman of the Board at Ni2, a software company that developed a modern OSS solution tailored to addressing modern needs of telecommunications companies and ISPs.

Mr. Desmarais is an angel investor and advisor to many start-ups and entrepreneurs with a particular interest in ESG and HR Tech. He is also a member of the Board of Directors of Gestion Férique, a fund manager dedicated to servicing Canadian engineers and their families.

Mr. Desmarais was recognized as CEO of the year in 2013 by Investissement Quebec in acknowledgement of his exemplary leadership at Fibrenoire.

Francois LaFlamme (Chairman and President of the Board)

Francois Laflamme has been involved in the technology sector as entrepreneur, technology innovator and private equity investor. He holds an Electrical Engineering Degree from Ecole Polytechnique of Montreal and an MBA in Finance from HEC Montreal. Mr. Laflamme also completed the Entrepreneurship Development Program from MIT.

Mr. Laflamme has over 30 years of experience in managing technology companies. He was President and CEO of LiquidxStream Systems, a telecom equipment company in the Novacap portfolio. He was also a Partner at IUGO Ventures, a venture-capital fund specialized in the TMT industry, where he led several investments in technology companies based in Canada and the US. In addition, he was Vice-President of IP

Telephony at Videotron, where he pioneered the introduction of local telephony. Mr. Laflamme joined Novacap in 2012.

Mr. Laflamme is currently member of the Board of Logibec, Horizon, Stratus and All West.

Jon LaSala

Jonathan is a Principal at Novacap. Mr. LaSala has 10+ years of professional experience, focused primarily within the digital infrastructure sector. Jonathan holds an MBA from Fordham University and a Bachelor of Science in Economics from Manhattan College.

Prior to joining Novacap, Jonathan was a Vice President at Rothschild & Co in the North American Technology, Media, and Telecommunications (TMT) practice. At Rothschild & Co, Jonathan provided M&A advisory and restructuring services with a specialization in communications infrastructure. Prior to Rothschild & Co, Jonathan worked at TAP Advisors in an M&A advisory role, where he was focused on wireless infrastructure M&A. Jonathan also has experience working in Deloitte's TMT valuation group and began his career in commercial real estate development in the tri-state area (U.S.).

Mr. LaSala is currently a member of the Board of Directors at Stratus Networks and All West Communications.

Kevin Morgan

Mr. Morgan holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Wisconsin Madison.

Kevin has 25 plus years in the telecommunications industry.

Kevin was a founding member of Stratus Networks (previously Access2Go) in the late 90's. He served as the Companies CEO for 14 years before stepping away from the company in 2022. Prior to CEO Mr. Morgan was in sales and operations for the company.

During his time at Stratus Networks Mr. Morgan was responsible among other things for running operational teams, regulatory affairs, company initiatives and the network itself.

Kevin oversaw Stratus evolution from the time it was a start up. Mr. Morgan currently sits on the Stratus board and consults for Stratus when needed.

Kevin currently sits on the board of Stratus Networks and Opex Communications. He is also actively involved in assisting a number of start up companies.

John Petrakis

Mr. Petrakis has a Bachelor of Science degree from Illinois State University.

Mr. Petrakis has over 30 years experience in the telecommunications industry. John was a founding member of Stratus Networks(previously Access2Go) in the late 90's.

John served as President of the Company for 14 years and Co-CEO for 7 of those as well. John has a heavy background in sales and ran both the retail and customer facing sales departments during that time. He was directly responsible for the revenue growth at Stratus over the years.

Mr. Petrakis stepped down from his role as Co-CEO in 2022, but has remained on with the company as VP of M&A and customer relations.

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EXHIBIT E

The information contained in Confidential Exhibit E is provided to the Commission under seal under separate cover.