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## January 3, 2011

#### BY HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Walter L. Thomas, Jr. Secretary Alabama Public Service Commission RSA Union Building 8th Floor 100 N. Union Street Montgomery Alabama 36104

## Re: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., d/b/a AT&T Alabama or AT&T Southeast v. Image Access, Inc., d/b/a New Phone; Docket No. 31320

Dear Mr. Thomas:

Enclosed are the original and one copy of the Verified Application for Admission to Practice Under Rule VII of the Rules Governing Admission to the Alabama State Bar of Paul F. Guarisco, attorney for Image Access, Inc., d/b/a New Phone in the above-referenced matter, which was electronically filed with the Commission earlier today.

Very truly yours Robin G. Laurie

RGL:dpe Enclosures

cc: Hon. John Garner Counsel of Record

#### BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., D/B/A AT&T ALABAMA

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Plaintiff

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31320

Case No.

VS.

ALABAMA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION (Court or Administrative Agency)

IMAGE ACCESS, INC. D/B/A NEWPHONE Defendant

## VERIFIED APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO PRACTICE UNDER RULE VII OF THE RULES GOVERNING ADMISSION TO THE ALABAMA STATE BAR

Comes now Paul F. Guarisco \_\_\_\_\_\_, applicant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

1. Applicant res	ides at 17662 Chancellorsville Avenue Street Ad		,
Baton Rouge, LA	, East Baton Rouge Parish	, Louisiana	,
City	County	State	
70817	, 225-752-1253	, XXX-XX-XXXX	
Zip Code	Telephone	Social Security Number	

2. Applicant is an attorney and a member of the law firm of (or practices law under the name of) Phelps Dunbar LLP \_\_\_\_\_, with offices at II City Plaza - 400 Convention St-Ste1100, Baton Rouge Street Address City East Baton Rouge Parish , Louisiana 70821 225-346-0285 Zip Code Telephone County State paul.guarisco@phelps.com E-mail

 3. Applicant has been retained personally or as a member of the above named

 law firm by \_\_\_\_\_\_ Image Access, Inc. D/B/A Newphone \_\_\_\_\_\_ to

 provide legal representation in connection with the above-styled matter now pending

 before the above-named court or administrative agency of the State of Alabama.

4. Since April 23, of 1993, , applicant has been, and presently is, a member in good standing of the Bar of the highest court of the State of Louisiana , where applicant regularly practices law ATTACH A CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING.

5. Applicant has been admitted to practice before the following courts: (List all of the following courts applicant has been admitted to practice before: United States District Courts; United States Circuit Courts of Appeals; the Supreme Court of the United States; and courts of other states.)

Court:	Date Admitted:
Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana	April 23, 1993
United States District Court Eastern District of Louisiana	February 9, 1994
United States District Court Middle District of Louisiana	March 18, 1997

Applicant is presently a member in good standing of the Bars of those courts listed above, except as may be listed below: (Here list any court named in the preceding paragraph that applicant is no longer admitted to practice before.)

N/A

6. Applicant presently is not subject to any disbarment proceedings, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., jurisdiction, court, date):

True

7. Applicant presently is not subject to any suspension proceedings, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., jurisdiction, court, date):

True

8. Applicant never has been subject to any disbarment proceedings, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., jurisdiction, date of proceedings, court, date of reinstatement):

True

9. Applicant never has been subject to any suspension proceedings, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., jurisdiction, date of proceedings, court, date of reinstatement): True

10. Applicant never has had any certificate or privilege to appear and practice before any administrative body suspended or revoked, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., date, administrative body, date of suspension and reinstatement):

True

11. Applicant, either by resignation, withdrawal, or otherwise, never has terminated or attempted to terminate applicant's office as an attorney in order to avoid administrative, disciplinary, disbarment, or suspension proceedings.

True

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## EXHIBIT "A"

## PHELPS DUNBAR, LLP PRO HAC VICE APPLICATIONS Attachment to Item #12

Date of Application	Name of Applicant	Case and Style of Case	Application Granted/Denied
	None for Applicant.		
November 11, 2010	S. Ault Hootsell, III	CV-2010-000939 David Gill and Teresa Gill v Brett Robinson Gulf Corporation, Circuit Court for Mobile County	Pending, January 28, 2011 hearing date
July 29, 2005	Kyle Moran Jim Wyly	99-CV03979 Bill Harbert Construction Company, a division of Bill Harbert International Construction, Inc. v The Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, Plymouth Nine Hundred, Inc. f/k/a BCM Engineers, Inc., ATC Group Services, Inc., and Spiderman's Professional Services, Inc. et al, Circuit Court of Mobile County	Granted
July 20, 2009	Scott Ellzey	09-0376-C Safeco Insurance Company of America v Jessie Crager, Elliott Crager, Jason Crager, Underwriters at Lloyd's of London, Hosey Calhoun and Community Bank, N.A. United States District Court for the Southern District of Alabama, Southern Division	Granted

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January/2010	Kim M. Boyle David M. Korn Brandon E. Davis	1:05-CV-1142-T Clarence Hunter, Clarence A. Jones & James Starks v Army Fleet Support & DynCorp International LLC United States District Court-Middle District of Alabama-Southern Division	Granted
November 13, 2010	Brent Barriere Skyler Rosenbloom	CV-2010-903705 Meadowcraft, Inc., Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., Webster Business Credit Corp., Burdale Financial Limited, et al v Blount Samuel, Maynor Larry, Camp Jerry Markel Walter, et al, in the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, Alabama, Birmingham Division	Granted

	(Item 14	<ol> <li>Continued)</li> </ol>		
Name of Counsel: Robin G	. Laurie	Party Represented:	Image Access	s, Inc. D/B/A Newphone
Mailing Address and E-mail	Balch & Bingham, LLP 105 Tallapoosa St., St Montgomery, AL 361	uite 200		
Name of Counsel: Paul F. C	Guarisco	Party Represented:	Image Access,	Inc. D/B/A Newphone
Mailing Address and E-mail:	paul.guarisco@phelps Phelps Dunbar LLP II City Plaza-400 Conv Baton Rouge, LA 708.	vention StSte. 110	0	
Name of Counsel: Francis	3. Semmes	Party Represented:	AT&T Alabama	3
Mailing Address and E-mail:	francis.semmes@ATT AT&T Alabama 600 North 19th Street- Birmingham, AL 35203	Ste. 28A2		
Name of Counsel: Patrick V	V. Turner	Party Represented:	AT&T Alabama	l
Mailing Address and E-mail:	pt1285@att.com BellSouth Telecommur Carolina Suite 5200, 1600 Willian Columbia, SC 29201	ms Street		
Name of Counsel:		Party Represented:		
Mailing Address and E-mail:				

(If necessary, please attach list of additional attorney's)

15. Applicant agrees to comply with the provisions of the Alabama Rules of Professional Conduct, and applicant consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and the disciplinary boards of the State of Alabama.

16. Applicant respectfully requests to be admitted to practice in the above named court or administrative agency for this cause only.

DATED this	30	of December	, 20 <u>10</u>
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		<u>-</u>	APPLICANT

STATE OF LOUISIANA ) COUNTY OF EAST BATON ROUGE PARI\$H

I, Paul F. Guarisco ,do hereby swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I am the applicant in the above-styled matter; that I have read the foregoing application and know the contents thereof, and that the contents are true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe them to be true.

APPLICANT/AFFIANT

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this

30 day of December , 2010 .

NOTARY PUBLIC

William Bradley Kline Bar Roll No. 32530 Notary Public, State of Louisiana My Commission is for Life

I hereby consent, as local counsel of record, to the association of applicant in this cause pursuant to Rule VII of the Rules Governing Admission to the Alabama State Bar.

320 day of January DATED this ,20 11 Local ounsel of Record

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

This application for admission is set for hearing before the court or administrative agency in the style hereof on the 20-21 day of January ,2011

Applicant/Affiant

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served a copy of this application upon the Alabama State Bar:

[ ] via Alafile (Including \$300 electronic payment)

OR

[ V] by mail to: Alabama State Bar, Attn: PHV Admissions, P.O. Box 671, Montgomery, Alabama 36101, accompanied by payment of the \$300 filing fee to the Alabama State Bar.

> On this the 3th day of January , 20 11 .

Applicant/Affiant

(Form approved by Alabama State Bar and Alabama Supreme Court to be effective January 1,1994.)

## **United States of America**

# State of Louisiana

# Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

I, JOHN TARLTON OLIVIER, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana, do hereby certify that

## PAUL FRANCIS GUARISCO, ESQ., #22070

was duly admitted and licensed to practice as an attorney and counselor at law in this Court and the several courts of the State of Louisiana, on the 23rd Day of April, 1993 A.D.; and is currently in good standing, and sufficiently qualified to perform the duties of an attorney and counselor at law.

> IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto sign my name and affix the seal of this Court, at the City of New Orleans, this the 20th Day of December, 2010, A.D.

**Clerk of Court** 

Supreme Court of Louisiana

	Houisiana State (	Bar Association	
The Louisiana State	e Bar Association hereby (	certifies that	
	Mr. Paul Fran	sis Guarisco	
whose address is	Il City I 400 Conventior		
	Baton Rouge,	LA 70821	
23rd	day of		
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