# EXHIBIT A SOUTH DAKOTA CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

## State of South Bakota



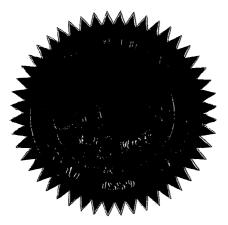
### **OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

## **Certificate of Authority**

**ORGANIZATIONAL ID #: FB032451** 

I, Chris Nelson, Secretary of State of the State of South Dakota, hereby certify that the Application for a Certificate of Authority of NOVATEL LTD., INC. (TX) to transact business in this state duly signed and verified pursuant to the provisions of the South Dakota Corporation Acts, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

**ACCORDINGLY** and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I hereby issue this Certificate of Authority and attach hereto a duplicate of the application to transact business in this state.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, at Pierre, the Capital, this February 29, 2008.

Chris Nelson Secretary of State



Secretary of State, Corporations Division 500 E. Capitol Avenue, Pierre SD 57501 Phone 605-773-4845, Fax 605-773-4550

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S.D. SEC. OF STATE Application for Certificate of Authority

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FILING FEE: \$550

FILING INSTRUCTIONS: A foreign corporation may apply for a certificate of authority to transact business in South Dakota by delivering this application to the Office of the Secretary of State for filing. One ORIGINAL and One COPY of the application must be submitted. This application must include a CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE, or a focument of similar import, duly authenticated by the secretary of state or other official having custody of corporate records in the state or country under whose law it is incorporated.	
(1) The name of the corporation is (exact corporate name including	corporation company, incorporated, limited or an abbreviation of one of such words)
NovaTel Ltd., Inc.	this William
(2) State where incorporated Texas	ander the laws of which it is incorporated is
and the period of its duration is Perpetual	(O) Marked Or.
(4) The address of its principal office in the state or country u 11550 IH-10 West, Suite 110, San Anto	onio, TX Zip Code 78230
mailing address if different from above is:	-
maining address it different from above is.	Zip Code
(5) The street address, or a statement that there is no street ad-	dress, of its registered office in the State of South Dakota is
319 S. Coteau Street, Pierre, South Dakot	_
and the name of its registered agent in the State of South Dak	ī
(6) The names and usual business addresses of its current dire	ectors and officers are:
Name Officer Title	
Paul A. Golibart Pres.	11550 IH-10 West, Suite 110, San Antonio, TX 78230
The application must be signed by an authorized officer of the Date: Feb. 21, 2008	e corporation.  Signature  Paul A. Golibart  Printed Name  President  Title  ***********************************
Consent of Appointment by the Registered Agent	
I, C T Corporation System (name of registered agent) agent for NovaTel Ltd., Inc. (corporate name)	, hereby give my consent to serve as the registered
	C T Corporation System
Dated 1-6 22 2008	By: (signature of registered agent)



### Office of the Secretary of State

#### **Certificate of Fact**

The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, does hereby certify that the document, Certificate of Conversion for NOVATEL LTD., INC. (file number 800916684), a Domestic For-Profit Corporation, was filed in this office on December 28, 2007.

It is further certified that the entity status in Texas is in existence.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused to be impressed hereon the Seal of State at my office in Austin, Texas on February 23, 2008.



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Phil Wilson Secretary of State

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