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DATE: July 10, 1997

MARY BANE, DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR/TECHNICAL/ TO:

FROM: CHARLES PELLEGRINI, DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES

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ITEM 24, JULY 15, 1997, AGENDA CONFERENCE, REQUEST FOR RE:

DEFERRAL, DOCKETS NOS. 970713-TL AND 970631-TL

The purpose of this memorandum is to request the Chairman's approval of GTE's July 10, 1997, request (enclosed) to defer Item 24 from the July 15, 1997, agenda conference. The company has arranged to meet with OPC and staff on July 22, 1997, to discuss its proposed Advanced Credit Management tariff, the subject matter of Item 24.

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William Talbott

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July 10, 1997 - VIA FACSIMILE

Charlie Pelligrini, Staff Counsel Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Dear Charlie:

This confirms our recent telephone conversation during which GTE Florida Incorporated (GTE) expressed its desire to have Docket Nos. 970713-TL and 970631-TL removed from the Commission's agenda conference scheduled for July 15, 1997 GTE agrees that it will not implement its proposed tariff until the Commission addresses these dockets. It is my understanding that you will have the dockets removed from the agenda.

This also confirms our request to meet with you, the Commission Staff and the Office of Public Counsel to discuss our proposed plan If you have any questions, please fee! free to call me.

Sincerely,

Anthony P. Gillman

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