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April 4, 1998

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo Director Division of Records and Reporting 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Dear Ms. Bayo,

I am writing in regards to Docket No. 980168-TI.

ICG Telecom Group Inc. is certified as a local exchange provider in Florida, holding certificate number 3986.

A member of our tax group recently wrote the Commission advising that we sold our operations and no longer needed a local exchange certificate in Florida. Unfortunately she was incorrect. We are planning to use the certificate to provide local exchange service in the near future. She was unaware of our plans and frankly did not have the authority to make this notification. As such, we ask that the process to remove our certification be stopped immediately and protest the order.

We apologize for this mistake and would appreciate your assistance in retaining our certification. I will be glad to do whatever is necessary, so please let me know what our next course of action should be.

I can be reached at 770-350-7341 if you have any questions. Thank you very much for your assistance and consideration of our request.

APP CMU Sincerely, CTR EAG LEG J Carl Jackson Jr. Senior Director OPC Government and External Affairs RCH SEC

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