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Re: Docket No. 980696-TP

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the captioned docket is an original and one copy of the following documents:

1. e.spire's™ Notice of Service of its Second Request for Production of Documents to Sprint-Florida, Inc.; **07725-98**
2. e.spire's™ Notice of Service of its Second Request for Production of Documents to GTE Florida, Incorporated; and **07726-98**
3. e.spire's™ Notice of Service of its Second Request for Production of Documents to BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. **07727-98**

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cc: James C. Falvey, Esq.
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of e.spire's™ Notice of Service of e.spire's™ Second Request for Production of Documents to Sprint-Florida, Inc. in Docket No 980696-TP has been furnished by Hand Delivery (*) and/or U.S. Mail to the following parties of record this 22nd day of July, 1998:

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Determination of Cost of Basic Local
Telecommunications Services)

Docket No. 980696-TP
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**e.spire's™ NOTICE OF SERVICE OF
e.spire's™ SECOND REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF
DOCUMENTS TO BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

American Communications Services, Inc. - Jacksonville, Inc., d/b/a e.spire™ Communications, Inc. ("e.spire™"), by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby files and serves Notice that it has served its Second Request for Production of Documents to BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. by U. S. Mail on Nancy White, Esq. c/o Ms. Nancy Sims, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., 150 S. Monroe St., Suite 400, Tallahassee, Florida, 32301, on this 22nd day of July, 1998.

Respectfully submitted,



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