MEMORANDUM

February 24, 1999

REPORTING

TO: DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING

FROM: DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (B. KEATING)

RE: DOCKET NO. 950814-TL - In re: Request for approval of tariff filing proposing cellular service for Dog Island by St. Joseph Telephone & Telegraph Company. (T-95-404 filed 6/26/95)

99-0402-FOF-TC

Attached is an Final Order Closing Docket to be issued in the above-referenced docket. (Number of pages in order - 3)

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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COM 41SSION

In re: Request for approval of tariff filing proposing cellular service for Dog Island by GTC, Inc. d/b/a GT Com (f/k/a St. Joseph Telephone & Telegraph Company). (T-95-404 filed 6/26/95) DOCKET NO. 950914-TL ORDER NO. PSC- 9-0402-FOF-TL ISSUED: February 24, 1999

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

JOE GARCIA, Chairman J. TERRY DEASON SUSAN F. CLARK JULIA L. JOHNSON E. LEON JACOBS, JR.

## FINAL ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Order No. PSC-97-1196-FOF-TL, issued October 2, 1997, we directed our staff to conduct an evaluation of the Spread Spectrum Radio Service to be provided to Dog Island subscribers by GTC, Inc. d/b/a GT Com (GT Com) within 120 to 180 days after this service was initiated. The purpose of the evaluation was to ensure that the service being provided to Dog Island is satisfactory. On December 15, 1998, our staff evaluated the service provided to Dog Island subscribers in accordance with our Order.

Commission staff has indicated that its evaluation verified that GT Com is providing satisfactory service to Dog Island via Spread Spectrum Radio (SSR) technology. Our staff has confirmed that GT Com is providing service equal in quality and services, which include voice, facsimile, and data, to its other Carrabelle subscribers. In addition, Dog Island residents stated that their telephone service is excellent.

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Based upon our staff's evaluation and the statements of the Dog Island subscribers, it appears that the service provided by GT Com to Dog Island subscribers via the Spread Spectrum Radio Service is satisfactory and complies with our Orders and Rules. As such, there are no further issues for us to address, and this docket shall be closed.

It is therefore

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Docket No. 950814-TL is closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this <u>24th</u> day of <u>February</u>, <u>1999</u>.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director

Division of Records and Reporting

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## NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

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Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water and/or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9 900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.