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Florida Public Service Commission  
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RE: Transfer of Control of STORMTEL, INC. f/k/a Z-TEL, INC. to CCC Merger Corp.

Dear Sir:

STORMTEL, INC. f/k/a Z-TEL, INC. ("STORMTEL"), by its attorneys, hereby notifies the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") of the proposed transfer of control of STORMTEL from its current shareholders to CCC Merger Corp. through the sale of all of STORMTEL's corporate stock. It is our understanding that under the circumstances set forth below, no formal approval of the Commission is required for this transaction.

STORMTEL, a Nevada corporation, is currently authorized to provide intrastate toll telecommunication services in Florida.<sup>1</sup> STORMTEL is currently authorized as a reseller of intrastate, interexchange telecommunications services in 47 states. It also is authorized by the Federal Communications Commission to resell interstate and international service.

On December 31, 1998, Progressive Telecommunications Corporation ("Progressive") and the shareholders of STORMTEL, entered into a Merger Agreement whereby CCC Merger Corp., a wholly owned subsidiary of Progressive, will acquire 100 percent of the issued and outstanding capital stock of STORMTEL's parent corporation, CCC Communications Corp.

The transfer of control of STORMTEL from its current shareholders to CCC Merger Corp. is in the public interest. The addition of STORMTEL to CCC Merger Corp.'s other interests will enhance both CCC Merger Corp. and STORMTEL's ability to compete in the market for telecommunication services in Florida and elsewhere. The benefit from increased economies of scale will permit STORMTEL to operate more efficiently and thus to compete more effectively.

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<sup>1</sup> STORMTEL was authorized by the Commission to provide intrastate telecommunication services as a reseller in Order No. PSC-97-1260-FOF-TI, in Docket No. 970777-TI, effective November 5, 1997.

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In addition, STORMTEL will have access to the financial resources it needs to introduce new products and services and to respond to competition in the competitive telecommunications environment in Florida. Over time, consumers in Florida will benefit from a greater number of products and service options, as well as lower prices.

Questions concerning this matter should be directed to Patrick D. Crocker at the address indicated below:

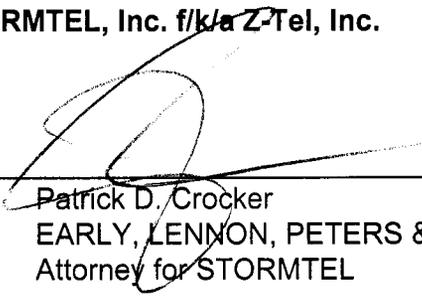
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Finally, please stamp the enclosed duplicate copy of this letter and return it to our firm using the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided.

Respectfully submitted,

**STORMTEL, Inc. f/k/a Z-Tel, Inc.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

  
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