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TO:

DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING

FROM: DIVISION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS (KING) γ

RE:

DOCKET NO. 991084-TP - PETITION OF SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP FOR ARBITRATION OF COMPLAINT AGAINST BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR FAILURE TO

COMPLY WITH INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT.

Attached is a MEMORANDUM TO THE PARTIES, to be issued in the above-referenced docket. (Number of pages - 2)

Please issue to the Parties listed in the Docket file.

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Attachment

cc: Division of Legal Services (Caldwell)

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M E M O R A N D U M FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DATE:

October 26, 1999

TO:

Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

FROM:

Laura King, Division of Telecommunications

RE:

991084-TP - Petition of Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership

for arbitration of complaint against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for

failure to comply with interconnection agreement.

Attached is staff's proposed issues list for the above-referenced docket. Staff requests that the parties who wish to submit their own issues lists do so by October 29, 1999. Please fax issues lists to (850) 413-6176 or (850) 413-6589.

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DOCKET NO. 991084-TP

STAFF'S PROPOSED ISSUES (October 26, 1999)

- 1. Under the terms of their July 1, 1997 interconnection agreement, is BellSouth obligated to provision unbundled network element combinations for Sprint? If so, does BellSouth's refusal to accept orders after June 23, 1999 for extended loop combinations constitute a breach of the interconnection agreement?
- 2. Did BellSouth adhere to the Dispute Resolution provisions of the BellSouth/Sprint interconnection agreement with respect to the disagreement between the parties about provisioning extended loop combinations? If not, was BellSouth obligated to do so, and if so, does this constitute a breach of the interconnection agreement?
- 3. If BellSouth has breached its interconnection agreement with Sprint, what actions should the Commission require BellSouth to take?