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January 12, 2000

TO:

Tommy Williams, Division of Communications

FROM:

Eva P. Samaan, Division of Auditing and Financial Analysis

RE:

Docket No. 000010-TI, ezTel Network Services, LLC, Financial Analysis for Certifiqate

Application for Intrastate Interexchange Telecommunications Service

Section 364.337 (3), Florida Statutes, requires the following:

The commission shall grant a certificate of authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service upon a showing that the applicant has sufficient technical, financial, and managerial capability to provide such service in the geographic area proposed to be served.

Also Section 364.01 (3) and (4) states that:

(3) The Legislature finds that the competitive provision of telecommunications service, including local exchange telecommunications service, is in the public interest.

and

(4)(d) The Commission shall exercise its exclusive jurisdiction in order to: (d) Promote competition by encouraging new entrants into telecommunications markets . . .

Regarding the showing of financial capability, the Finance staff has analyzed the unaudited balance sheet of ezTel Network Services (EZT) for the period ending December 31, 1999. An audit could change one's opinion of the company's financial condition. As the attached schedule shows, EZT has adequate liquidity, sufficient common equity, but as a new company had no income to report for the current period.

In this matter, EZT is asking for a certificate to provide IXC service. Staff notes the limited nature of the application and that no customer provided funds appear to be at risk. For purposes of granting a certificate based on the financial information provided, the financial capability appears adequate.

The applicant attests to its financial capability to provide and maintain the proposed telecommunications service. The principals of the company are committed to provide an additional \$100,000 if required in order to provide service in the State of Florida. Based on this showing, the applicant appears to meet the financial capability standard of Section 364.337, Florida Statutes.

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IXC TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS



FROM UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF 12/31/99

CURRENT ASSETS	\$250,000	
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CURRENT RATIO	NMF	
CASH	250,000	
COMMON EQUITY	250,000	
LONG-TERM DEBT		
TOTAL INVESTOR CAPITAL	250,000	
COMMON EQUITY RATIO	100%	
NET INCOME	The Legislature finds that the compositive provising local exchange telecal 0 minimations service,	
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NMF= Non-meaningful figure