BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for approval of agreement and plan of merger and reorganization whereby NewSouth Communications Corp. (holder of IXC Certificate No. 5770 and ALEC Certificate No. 5754), a subsidiary of NewSouth Holdings, Inc., will merge with and into UniversalCom, Inc. (holder of IXC Certificate No. 3174 and ALEC Certificate No. 4096), with UniversalCom continuing as surviving entity.

DOCKET NO. 000398-TP
ORDER NO. PSC-00-1423-CO-TP
ISSUED: August 3, 2000

CONSUMMATING ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Order No. PSC-00-1270-PAA-TP, issued July 11, 2000, this Commission proposed to take certain action, subject to a Petition for Formal Proceeding as provided in Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code. No response has been filed to the order. It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Order No. PSC-00-1270-PAA-TP has become effective and final. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall be closed.

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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 3rd day of August, 2000.

> BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of Records and Reporting

By: Kay Flynn, Chief Bureau of Records

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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 judicial review of Commission orders that is available pursuant to Section 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 judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request 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. 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.