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Re: 000075-TP (Generic ISP Docket) (Phase I)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed please find an original and fifteen copies of the Joint Parties' Stipulation, which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return the copy to me. Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

Sincerely, ames Menan James Meza III ((A)

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re:

Investigation into appropriate methods to compensate carriers for Docket No. 000075-TP exchange of traffic subject to Section 251 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Docket No. 000075-TP

STIPULATION

The undersigned parties to the above-captioned proceeding, and the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission ("FPSC") hereby stipulate as follows:

1. On April 27, 2001, the FCC issued its ruling in the case of Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-98, Intercarrier Compensation for ISP-Bound Traffic, CC Docket No. 99-68, Order on Remand and Report and Order, FCC No. 01-131 (rel. Apr. 27, 2001) ("ISP Remand Order"). The ISP Remand Order establishes certain nationally applicable rules regarding intercarrier compensation for ISP-bound traffic. The ISP Remand Order is under court review, but it has not been stayed and is therefore legally effective. As a result, the ISP Remand Order has established a nationwide resolution of the issues presented in Phase I of this proceeding.

2. In light of the *ISP Remand Order*, the Florida Public Service Commission ("FPSC") should decline to rule on the issues presented in Docket No. 000075-TP, Phase I, at this time, and should suspend any further activity in this Docket pertaining to the Phase I issues.

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3. Because the *ISP Remand Order* is currently subject to court review, however, the record from the Phase I hearing conducted on March 7-9, 2001, should be preserved, as described below.

4. The *ISP Remand Order* may be modified as a result of court review or further FCC action. If the FCC and/or the courts subsequently rule that ISP-bound traffic is not entirely within the jurisdiction and control of the FCC, or that state regulatory bodies have jurisdiction with respect to intercarrier compensation arrangements for such traffic notwithstanding its interstate character, further proceedings before the FPSC addressing the Phase I issues may be reinitiated either at the request of any party to this proceeding or on the FPSC's own initiative. The FPSC should, at the time of any request to reinitiate consideration of the Phase I issues, address and resolve any questions that may exist at that time with regard to its jurisdiction to proceed.

5. The undersigned parties stipulate that if such further proceedings are initiated, the record from the Phase I hearing should be deemed applicable as preserved, and should be incorporated into the record of the reinitiated proceedings in full.¹ The undersigned parties hereby waive any objection that they might otherwise have to the inclusion of the record from the Phase I hearing into the record of such further proceedings, subject only to objections as to the admissibility of particular evidence which were actually made on the record during the Phase I hearing. Any such objections actually made during the Phase I hearings shall be deemed preserved.

¹ References in this stipulation to "the undersigned parties" are intended to include the Commission staff as well.

6. Because the record from Phase I shall be incorporated into the record of any future proceeding on the Phase I issues, the undersigned parties hereby stipulate that they will not seek to introduce additional testimony on the issues addressed in the Phase I hearing, and stipulate that they will limit their presentation in such future proceedings to supplemental briefs, addressing legal and regulatory decisions and developments occurring between the time of the Phase I hearing and the time of such future proceedings, provided, however, that the undersigned parties reserve their right to request the FPSC to permit the submission of supplemental testimony in order to address significant changes in factual circumstances occurring between the time of the Phase I hearing and the time of such future proceedings. Changes in regulatory or policy considerations shall be addressed in briefs, not in testimony.

7. If, upon the conclusion of Phase II of this proceeding, the state of the law regarding the jurisdiction over ISP-bound traffic remains as set forth in the *ISP Remand Order*, the undersigned parties stipulate that Docket No. 000075-TP may be closed, subject to the terms of this stipulation regarding reinitiating proceedings to address the Phase I issues.

8. Even if Docket No. 000075-TP is closed in accordance with Point 7 of this stipulation, if the state of the law regarding the Phase I issues changes as a result of further judicial or FCC proceedings, then Points 3 - 6 of this stipulation should be deemed applicable to any new Docket opened to address the same issues identified in Phase I of Docket No. 000075-TP.

9. This stipulation may be executed in multiple counterparts.

10. This stipulation may not be considered binding in any way upon the parties or the FPSC with regard to complaints arising under agreements prior to FCC Order 01-131.

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Respectfully submitted this 25th day of March, 2002.

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Respectfully submitted,

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