

April 16, 2003

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of the Commission Clerk And Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 323399-0870

Re: Docket No. 010977-TL

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of the signed Affidavit of Stephen B. Rowell on behalf of ALLTEL Florida, Inc. in the above-referenced matter.

Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the duplicate copy of this letter and returning the same to this writer.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

Cc: All Parties of Record

David Dowds (H/D)

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ARKANSAS COUNTY OF PULASKI

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, appeared Stephen B. Rowell, who deposed and said:

- 1. My name is Stephen B. Rowell. I am Senior Vice President of ALLTEL Florida, Inc. I am an officer of the Company and am authorized to give this affidavit on behalf of the Company. This affidavit is being given to support the Florida Public Service Commission's certification as contemplated in 47 C.F.R. §54.314.
- 2. ALLTEL Florida, Inc. hereby certifies that it will only use the federal high-cost support it receives during 2004 for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which such support is intended as indicated by 47 C.F.R. §54.101.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

teplien B. Rowell, Senior Vice President

STATE OF ARKANSAS COUNTY OF PULASKI

Acknowledged before me this <u>/5th</u> day of April, 2003 by Stephen B. Rowell, as Senior Vice President of ALLTEL Florida, Inc. who is personally known to me or produced identification and who did take an oath.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing has been furnished by email transmission, U.S. Mail, or hand delivery (*) this 25th day of April, 2002, to the following:

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