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For Indusion In CUP DN 010977 - TL DOWDS

June 6, 2003

Walter D'Haeseleer, Director Division of Communications Services Florida Public Service Commission 1540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re:

Frontier Communications of the South, Inc. /DN 010977-7L

Study Area Code: 210318

47 USC 254(e); 47 CFR § 54.314

Dear Mr. D'Haeseleer:

This letter is to request that the Florida Public Service Commission notify the Federal Universal Fund Administrator and the Federal Communications Commission that Frontier Communications of the South, Inc. ("Frontier") is eligible to receive federal high-cost support in accordance with the above-referenced statute and federal rule.

The amount of federal high-cost support Frontier will receive in 2003 will continue to be used for the services and functionalities outlined in 47 C.F.R. §54.101(a) and, as the attached affidavit shows, Frontier certifies that it will only use the federal high-cost support it receives for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which such support is intended.

This state certification for federal support will be an annual process. In order to receive federal support beginning January 1 of each year, the Florida Public Service Commission must file its annual certification on or before October 1 of the year before.

Frontier respectfully requests that the Commission notify the FCC prior to October 1 of this year that Frontier is eligible to receive federal high-cost support for 2003.

Sincerely,

Christanne R. Schey

Regulatory Analyst - Pricing and Tariffs

CC: David B. Erwin

Enclosure

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## **AFFIDAVIT**

## STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF MONROE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, appeared Gregg C. Sayre, who deposed and said:

- 1. My name is Gregg C. Sayre. I am employed by Frontier Communications of the South, Inc. ("Frontier" or the "Company") as Associate General Counsel. 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. Frontier hereby certifies that it will only use the federal high-cost support it receives during 2003 for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which such support is intended.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Gregg(C) Sayre

Associate General Counsel

Frontier Communications of the South, Inc.

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF MONROE

Acknowledged before me this 5th day of June, 2003, by Gregg C. Sayre, as Associate General Counsel of Frontier Communications of the South, Inc., who is personally known to me or produced identification and who did take an oath.

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