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> Re: Docket No. 030961; TJ990; Telecom Colombia USA, Inc.; Order No. PSC-03-1469-FOF-TL

Dear Ms. Bayo:

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Telecom Colombia USA, Inc. ("TCUSA"), by its undersigned attorneys, hereby responds to the Florida Public Service Commission's letter dated January 13, 2006 regarding Order No. PSC-03-1469-FOF-TL.

CMP \_\_\_\_\_\_ TCUSA is a provider of prepaid calling card services. TCUSA's prepaid product is targeted to consumers looking for low-cost options for making international calls from the U.S. Although TCUSA is registered with the Florida Public Service Commission as a provider of intrastate interexchange services, the company registered with the Commission primarily out of an abundance of caution and estimates that very few of its customers actually use its services to complete intrastate interexchange calls in Florida.

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 TCUSA does not directly pay intrastate access charges to an underlying carrier. Instead,

 TCUSA purchases termination minutes from wholesale providers.
 TCUSA assumes that

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 intrastate access charges are incorporated into the rates charged by TCUSA's underlying carriers,

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 however, TCUSA is not directly invoiced for such charges.

CR \_\_\_\_\_ On February 22, 2006, an attorney from this firm contacted Rick Wright of the Florida CR \_\_\_\_\_ Public Service Commission to discuss the proper response the Commission's January 13, 2006 I letter given TCUSA's circumstances. Per that conversation, TCUSA is submitting this letter to the Commission. In the event that the Commission would like additional information from TCUSA after receipt of this letter, please contact the undersigned.

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Please stamp the extra copy of this letter and return it in the prepaid, self-addressed envelope enclosed for that purpose.

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