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Docket No. 060008-OT

In re: Applications for Qualified Representative Status

Attached for filing in the above-captioned docket is Sprint Communications Limited Partnership, Sprint Spectrum Limited Partnership d/b/a Sprint PCS, Nextel South Corporation d/b/a Nextel; and ASC Telecom, Inc.'s Request for Naming of Qualified Representative with Affidavit of Douglas C. Nelson. The total number of pages to the attachment is 5.

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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of the Commission Clerk & Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

RE: Docket No. 060008-OT In re: Applications for qualified representative status

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed please find the following for filing on behalf of Sprint Communications Limited Partnership, Sprint Spectrum Limited Partnership d/b/a/ Sprint PCS, Nextel South Corporation, d/b/a/ Nextel; and ASC Telecom, Inc.:

Request for Naming of Qualified Representative Affidavit of Douglas C. Nelson

A copy is being served on Richard Melson, General Counsel, as shown in the attached Certificate of Service. Please feel free to call upon me if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/ Marsha E. Rule

Marsha E. Rule

Encl.

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BEFORE THE

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Applications for qualified representative status

Docket No. 060008-OT Date Filed: May 19, 2006

REQUEST FOR NAMING OF QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVE

Pursuant to Rule 28-106.107, Florida Administrative Code, Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership, Sprint Spectrum Limited Partnership d/b/a/ Sprint PCS, Nextel South Corporation, d/b/a/ Nextel; and ASC Telecom, Inc., hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Sprint Nextel entities", request that Douglas C. Nelson, attorney and Manager of State Regulatory Affairs for the Sprint Nextel entities, be named a qualified representative of the Sprint Nextel entities in all docketed and non-docketed matters currently before the Commission and in any new matters in calendar year 2006 or such additional period as the Commission may authorize. The Sprint Nextel entities are aware that they can be represented by counsel as defined in Rule 28-106.106, Florida Administrative Code and may also elect such representation.

Attached hereto is a sworn affidavit setting forth Mr. Nelson's qualifications. Mr. Nelson's address is 3065 Cumberland Circle, Atlanta, GA 30339, and his telephone number is (404) 649-4308.

WHEREFORE, for the above and foregoing reasons, Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership, Sprint Spectrum Limited Partnership d/b/a/ Sprint PCS, Nextel South Corporation, d/b/a/ Nextel, and ASC Telecom, Inc., respectfully request that their Request for Naming of Qualified Representative be granted.

Respectfully submitted

/s/ Marsha E. Rule

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ATTORNEYS FOR SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, NEXTEL SOUTH CORPORTION and ASC TELECOM, INC.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket 060008-OT

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Request for Naming

of Qualified Representative has been furnished by U.S. Mail to the following parties on this 19th

day of May, 2006:

Richard D. Melson General Counsel Florida Public Service Commission Division of Legal Services 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

By: /s/ Marsha E. Rule

Marsha E. Rule

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: Request for Naming of Qualified Representative

Docket No. 060008-OT Filed: May 18, 2006

AFFIDAVIT OF DOUGLAS C. NELSON

STATE OF GEORGIA COUNTY OF COBB

I, Douglas C. Nelson, being first duly sworn, do hereby depose and state as follows:

1. I am an attorney and Manager, State Regulatory Affairs, for the following Sprint Nextel Corporation entities operating in the State of Florida: Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership.; Sprint Spectrum Limited Partnership d/b/a Sprint PCS; Nextel South Corporation, d/b/a Nextel; and ASC Telecom, Inc. (Sprint").

2. I am a member in good standing of the Bar of the District of Columbia and am seeking to be designated as a qualified representative in the above-captioned docket pursuant to Rule 28-106.106, Florida Administrative Code.

3. I was hired recently to serve as regulatory counsel for the above-named Sprint entities in proceedings before state regulatory Commissions, and I have previously served as regulatory counsel for other telecommunications entities in proceedings before state regulatory Commissions and assisted other attorneys in proceedings before other state Commissions that have involved the examination and resolution of factual and legal issues.

4. I am familiar with the relevant portions of the Florida Statutes, the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure, the Florida Administrative Code, the Florida Rules of Evidence, and Rule 28-106.107, Florida Administrative Code.

I declare that the foregoing is true and correct based on my knowledge, information, and belief.

Douglas Q. Nelson

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this \swarrow th day of May, 2006, by Douglas C. Nelson, who \bigotimes) is personally known to me; or () who has presented proper identification.

Notary Public, State of Georgia Commission Number: _______ My Commission expires 5010 1.0