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June 15, 1999

Mr. Herbert J.T. Wilson, II
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Miami, Florida 33102

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Re: Public Records Request

Dear Mr. Wilson:

This letter is in response to your public records request to the Florida Public Service Commission dated June 1, 1999. You have requested records, documents, reports, and investigative findings pertaining to alleged improper activities of the Florida Department of Corrections and collect pay phone providers. Pursuant to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, access to public records is the policy of the State of Florida and the Public Service Commission.

In reviewing your request, I researched Commission dockets from the time period you referenced (1994 or 1995) and found that in Docket No. 960617-TL, the Commission did initiate show cause proceedings against MCI Telecommunications Corporation for alleged violations of our pay phone rules pertaining to collect call billing from confinement facilities. The collection of materials related to this docket will be complete by June 21, 1999. The cost of copying these materials will be five cents per page. After the materials are collected, we will notify you of the exact cost of copying and arrange for payment and delivery of the material. Payment must be received before the material can be sent to you.

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at the address above.

Sincerely,

Clintina B. Watts
Staff Counsel

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From: Tina Watts

To:

*Commission Suite ALL, *Directors EXE, Blanca Bayo, Kay Flynn,
Kimberley Pena, Martha Brown, Noreen Davis, Paula Isler, Ray Kennedy,
Richard Tudor, Rick Moses, Rob Vandiver, Sally Simmons, Steve Tribble,
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Subject:

Public Records Request in Docket No. 960617-Initiation of show
cause proceedings against MCI Telecommunications Corporation for
violation of Rule 25-24.630, F.A.C.

===NOTE=====6/09/99==2:53pm=====

On June 7, 1999, we received a written public records request from Herbert
Wilson. Mr. Wilson seeks to have:

"the records, documents, reports, investigative findings pertaining to
improper and/or illegal activities of the Florida Department of Corrections
and collect phone service providers that provide collect phone service in
Florida Correctional Institutions operated by the Florida Department of
Corrections."

and

"the reports, documents, and investigative findings of the Commission
concerning the kickback scheme employed by representatives of the D.O.C.
that the Commission uncovered in 1994 or 1995."

and

"an allowable rate schedule for phone companies in charging for collect
phone calls."

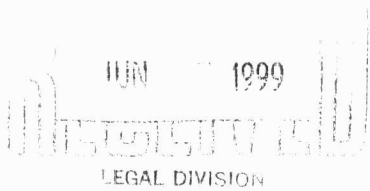
By 5 p.m. on June 21, 1999, please provide Cathy Bedell with the information
necessary to comply with the public records request.

Thank You.

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June 1, 1999

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Re: Demand for Documents

Dear Clerk:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act and the Florida Public Records Act, this is a request for documents.

This is a request for records, documents, reports, and investigative findings pertaining to improper and/or illegal activities of the Florida Department of Corrections and collect phone service providers that

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provide collect phone service in Florida Correctional Institutions operated by the Florida Department of Corrections.

I feel I have been unfairly overcharged by phone companies operating in Florida under contract with the Florida Department of Corrections (D.O.C.), dating back to 1990. I feel that the D.O.C. and the phone companies have conspired to inflate the collect phone rates in order to profit from the collect phone calls made by prisoners unfairly and improperly limit phone calls in order to cause more calls to be made.

I am also specifically requesting the reports, documents and investigative findings of the Commission concerning the kickback scheme employed by representatives of the D.O.C. that the Commission uncovered in 1994 or 1995. Top ranking officials of the D.O.C. were fired and demoted and the Commission ordered the phone companies

to pay a fine and reimburse Florida prisoners for being overcharged.

Also, kindly include a allowable rate schedule for phone companies in charging for collect phone calls. I believe to this day that prisoners are still being overcharged and the D.O.C. and the phone companies are still price fixing, monopolizing, and targeting for overcharging, inmates within the institutions operated by the D.O.C.

Please send the above information to the ~~at~~ address on the first page of this letter as soon as possible.

Thank you ahead of time for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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From: Linda Williams
To: Cheryl Bulecza-Banks
Subject: fwd: Hi Cheryl. I have

====NOTE=====6/21/99=11:29am==
Hi Cheryl. I have a letter from Koch Gateway with attached Articles of Dissolution for Five Flags Pipe Line. They are asking us to remove Five Flags from Commission's list of regulated utilities. Is this is a new docket? If so, there is no certificate involved so, can you tell me how to style the new docket? Thanks.

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Fwd to: Linda Williams

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I don't believe it would be a docket. We asked Koch to send the letter to straighten up some discrepancies about regulatory assessment fees and about the correct company name for the MCD. We wanted Koch to specifically address the concerns raised by Nonnye Grant about the correct company name and contact person. Unfortunately, they only sent the information regarding the dissolution of Five Flags. Five Flags is dissolved; their assets are now owned by Koch, and Koch already has a Company Code in the MCD because they have other facilities in Florida that we review for safety purposes. Since the company is no longer in existence, there is no one to represent the company in a docket before the Commission. I really think this is just an administrative thing. Let me know if you find out something different, or, if I can be of any help.
Thanks, Cheryl