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Public Service Commission

May 1, 2001

Mr. James Mitzel, Mayor
City of Hampton
P.O. Box 250
Hampton, Florida 32044

Re: City of Hampton Resolution No. 01-02

Dear Mayor Mitzel:

We are in receipt of the above City of Hampton resolution requesting the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC) to review extended area telephone service in your area. Unfortunately, the PSC no longer has jurisdiction regarding extended area service (EAS) or extended calling service (ECS). In Order No. PSC-97-0971-FOF-TL, issued August 12, 1997, the Commission stated:

Pursuant to Section 364.385, Florida Statutes, any requests for EAS or ECS filed after July 1, 1995, and subsequently implemented in a price-regulated Local Exchange Company's (LECs) territory, become a non-basic service. We cannot order a price-regulated LEC to implement a non-basic service; thus, we are without jurisdiction to require the price-regulated LECs to implement post-July 1, 1995, requests for EAS or ECS.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Bob Casey at (850) 413-6974 or Levent İleri at (850) 413-6562.

Sincerely,

Walter D'Haeseleer
Director

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cc: Division of Competitive Services (Salak, Bulecza-Banks, Casey, İleri)
Docket No. 990517-TL