FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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## MEMORANDUM

AUGUST 6, 1998

TO: DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING (BAYO)

DIVISION OF COMMUNICATIONS (WILLIAMS)
DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (PENA)

RE: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO MERGE AN INTEREXCHANGE

TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE IN FLORIDA.

AGENDA: 08/04/98 - CONSENT AGENDA - PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION -

INTERESTED PERSONS MAY PARTICIPATE

Please place the following interexchange telecommunications service docket on the consent agenda for approval.

 Docket No. 980874-TI; Request by Teleglobe USA, Inc. (holder of IXC Certificate No. 5190 and Excel Telecommunications, Inc. (holder of IXC Certificate No. 2440 and ALEC Certificate No. 037) for approval of merger whereby North Merger Sub Corporation, a whollyowned subsidiary of Teleglobe will merge into Excel; Excel will become a wholly-owned subsidiary of Teleglobe.

Note: Both companies will continue to operate in Florida under their existing certificates and tariffs.