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October 31, 2000

SENT VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Ms. Blanca Bayo Director, Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

RE:

001454 Docket No. 004154-TX Rhythms Links Inc.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

In response to a letter sent to Rhythms Links Inc. ("Rhythms") on October 2, 2000 regarding the above mentioned docket, enclosed please find the completed Alternative Local Exchange Company Regulatory Assessment Fee Return ("Return") for the period January 1, 1999 to December 31, 1999. Also enclosed is a check (#6001320) in the amount of \$68.00. This payment reflects the Return assessment fee of \$50.00 plus a \$12.50 penalty fee and \$4.50 in interest accrual, as well as an additional \$1.00 interest owed on Rhythms' Interexchange Company Regulatory Assessment Fee (see enclosed letter).

Rhythms has determined that the original Return was sent to our headquarters without a contact name and was, therefore, not forwarded to the correct department for completion. To prevent this situation from happening again, the Return's deadline date has been added to a tickler file in the Legal Department. If the Return is not received by January 1, 2001, a call will be placed to the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") to request a copy of the form. The staff in Rhythms' mailroom has also received instructions to send all letters from the Commission without a contact name to the Legal Department. We believe that these steps will alleviate any missed reports in the future.

At this time, Rhythms would like to propose a settlement offer to the Commission in the amount of \$100.00. If this is acceptable to the Commission, a check for the settlement amount will be submitted within ten (10) days of the Order issuing acceptance of said settlement.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, I may be contacted at the address or telephone number herein.

Respectfully submitted, APP CAF CMP COM CTR Corine E. MacAdalns ECR

Bureau of Fiscal Services, Florida Public Service Commission

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TO AVOID PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES, THE REGULATORY ASSESSMENT PRE RETURN MUST BE FILED ON OR REPORT 01/31/2000

Alternative Local Exchange Company Regulatory Assessment Fee Return

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Please be advised that the additional interest of \$1.00 was submitted with Rhythms' ALEC Regulatory Assessment Fee to the Commission in care of Ms. Blanca Bayo via Overnight Federal Express on October 31, 2000. The \$68.00 check (#6001320) submitted reflects both the \$1.00 interest accrual and Rhythms' ALEC Regulatory Assessment Fee of \$67.00. A copy of that check has been enclosed for your reference.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, I may be contacted at the address or telephone number herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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Mellon Bank, N.A. Three Mellon Bank Center Pittsburgh, PA 15259-0001

In Cooperation with Silicon Valley Bank Santa Clara, CA 95054

CHECK DATE 27-OCT-00

Sixty-Eight Dollars And 00 Cents********

TO THE ORDER

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