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

**Re: Name Change for Certificate 5254**

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Dear Ms. Bayo:

At this time, we would like to request that the name be changed on ALEC Certificate 5254, currently in the name GulfTel Communications (Company Code TX129), to Madison River Communications, LLC.

Madison River Communications, LLC is a wholly owned subsidiary of Madison River Capital, LLC. Madison River Capital, LLC is a wholly owned subsidiary of Madison River Telephone Company, LLC. Transfer of control of GulfTel Communications to Madison River Telephone Company, LLC was approved in Docket #: 99-0793-TP.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (334) 952-5384.

Sincerely,

GULF TELEPHONE COMPANY

Kevin Grimes  
Regulatory Manager

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