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**DATE:** November 12, 2002

**TO:** Docket File

**FROM:** Jeff Bates (Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement)  
Jessica Elliott (Office of the General Counsel) *JAC* *JIC*

**RE:** Docket No. 020879-TP - Request for approval of CMRS interconnection agreement between United States Cellular, Inc. (United States Cellular, USCOC of Tallahassee, Inc., Central Florida Cellular Telephone Company, Inc., USCOC of Florida RSA #7, Inc., and Florida RSA #8, Inc.) and Sprint-Florida, Incorporated.

By letter dated August 9, 2002, Sprint Florida, Incorporated filed a request for approval of CMRS interconnection agreement with United States Cellular, Inc. Under the requirements of 47 U.S.C. § 252(e), negotiated agreements must be submitted to the state commission for approval. Section 252(e)(4) requires the state to reject or approve the agreement within 90 days after submission or it shall be deemed approved. The statutory deadline for the Commission to take action on this matter was November 7, 2002.

Staff reviewed the agreement in this Docket on October 24, 2002. The agreement met the criteria outlined in Section 2.07.C.17 of the Administrative Procedures Manual. Therefore, it has gone into effect by operation of law in accordance with Section 252(e)(4) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Accordingly, with this Memorandum, the docket is hereby closed.

CC: Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services (S. Moses)

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