

## **Orlando Telephone Company, Inc.**

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August 16, 2007

Ray Kennedy Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Guy Cassagnol inquiry

Dear Mr. Kennedy:

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Enclosed is a copy of the agreement between Heritage Estates and Orlando Telephone Company as you requested. As you know, this contract is Confidential and we would like to receive this contract back after you are done reviewing it.

Please feel free to contact Mr. John Russo or myself if you have any questions regarding this contract or any other items that may come up.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely, Łinda M. Giles

CMP Vice President COM \_\_\_\_\_ Orlando Telephone Company, Inc. CTR (407) 996-1104 lindagiles@orlandotelco.net ECR GCL / OPC RCA SCR \_\_\_\_\_ SGA \_\_\_\_\_ SEC OTH

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From: To: Cc:	"Ray Kennedy" <rkennedy@psc.state.fl.us> "John Russo" <john@bbcg.net> "Linda Giles" <lindagiles@orlandotelco.net></lindagiles@orlandotelco.net></john@bbcg.net></rkennedy@psc.state.fl.us>	07 AUG 17 AM 9:24
Sent: Subject:	Thursday, August 16, 2007 11:18 AM RE: Agreement between Orlando Telephone and Heritage Estate	COMMISSION CLERK

Good Morning Mr. Russo and Ms. Giles,

In hindsight, I probably should have included the actual e-mail received by the Commission from Mr. Cassagnol. His e-mail follows:

Name: guy cassagnol Telephone: 305 255-5156 Email: gcassagnol@msn.com Address: 15920 sw 147 ave miami 33187 BUSINESS INFORMATION Business Account Name: guy cassagnol Account Number: 0140656 Address: 11905 sandy knoll ct orlando FL 32825 COMPLAINT INFORMATION Complaint: Other Complaint against Orlando Telephone Company, Inc. Details:

We as homeowner are unable to select a phone company of choice because Orlando telephone company & Hertiage Estate sisgned prior agreement to service rental properties. Many of the rental units were sold and are still bind to this agreement.

After speaking with Orlando Telephone company, we were told that this agreement will last for 10 years. How does this agreement effect non-rental owners?

Thank you, (END OF CASSAGNOL'S E-MAIL)

You can see why I used the word inquiry in my request to you. Mr. Cassagnol does not appear to be complaining, only seeking an answer as to how the agreement pertains to his particular situation, e.g., a non-rental owner. The only way I can answer his question is to review the agreement to see what is there.

Mr. Cassagnol has already heard the answer from Orlando Telephone so it appears he wants an answer from a regulatory agency that has oversight of telecommunications services. Thus, I believe it would be fruitless for you to give him the same answer again. Since Mr. Cassagnol has asked the PSC the question, I have an obligation to answer his question. The only way I can do that with confidence is to read the agreement. That is why I have requested it.

I am keenly aware of the importance of the confidentiality of the document. That is why I suggest you file it as a confidential document so no harm comes to Heritage or Orlando Telephone.

Based on the above, I am still requesting that you submit the agreement

• to the PSC.

Sincerely,

Ray Kennedy Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850 Phone: 850-413-6584 Fax: 850-413-6585 E-Mail: rkennedy@psc.state.fl.us

-----Original Message-----From: John Russo [mailto:john@bbcg.net] Sent: Thursday, August 16, 2007 10:23 AM To: 'Linda Giles'; Ray Kennedy Subject: RE: Agreement between Orlando Telephone and Heritage Estate

Dear Mr. Kennedy,

Mrs. Linda Giles forwarded your email to me below. Please allow me to respond as a consulting agent for Orlando Telephone. Without providing a copy of the confidential document being requested, please consider the following:

Heritage Estates elected to have Orlando Telephone Company (OTC) as an alternative to the LEC. The LEC decided not to provide service to the property after they learned OTC had an agreement to compete for data and telephone services on the property.

OTC is a licensed CLEC in excellent standing with the state of Florida going on 10 years. OTC's rates are tarriffed and properly filed. Regarding the referenced customer, OTC researched the account and cannot find where this customer has ever called in with a service issue since being installed several months ago. In addition, OTC found that the customer is on an excellent special that includes DSL and phone for a lot less than OTC's tarriffed rates as well as less than most LEC's rates throughout the Central Florida area.

A main business point of the Heritage Estates and the OTC agreement is that OTC will guarantee to remain competitive with the LEC's on both price, products, and quality of service. We take great pride in all three of these, which we believe is the number one factor for our continued success in expansion into new developments like Heritage Estates. Finally, this customer has choices for telephone and internet through the cable TV company and multiple other VOIP providers. We would be greatly disappointed to lose any customer, especially one that has never called us with a service issue. We wish to immediately rectify any and all issues this customer is having. OTC has made attempts to contact the customer based on your phone call and email, with no response. Your assistance in letting us know the customers issues would be greatly appreciated.

Should you need any further details or information, please contact OTC's President, Herb Bornack, at 407-996-8900 or myself at the contact information below.

Thank you and feel free to contact me anytime.

John Russo President Broadband Consulting Group 1827 Westover Reserve Blvd. Windermere, FL 34786 john@bbcg.net 407.523.6162 Fax 407.523.6149 Cell 407.342.0186 http://www.bbcg.net

From: "Ray Kennedy" <<u>RKennedy@PSC.STATE.FL.US</u>> To: <<u>Lindagiles@orlandotelco.net</u>> Sent: Tuesday, August 14, 2007 2:03 PM Subject: Agreement between Orlando Telephone and Heritage Estate

Good Afternoon Linda,

We have received an inquiry from a resident in Hertiage Estate(I assume he meant Heritage). To answer the question, we will need a copy of the agreement between Heritage Estate and Orlando Telephone Company regarding the telephone service provided to the properties.

If you want to protect the document, you may file it confidential and we will return the document upon completion of our review. I suspect we would need it no more than 30 days. If it is not confidential, then we will handle it accordingly.

We received the inquiry from Guy Cassagnol of Sandy Knoll Court.

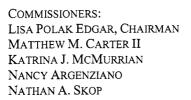
Please let me know you received this e-mail and when I can expect to receive a copy of the agreement.

Thank you,

Ray Kennedy Florida Public Service Commission

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

**DATE:** 8/20/07

TO: Linda Giles, Orlando Telephone Company, Inc.

FROM: Ruth Nettles, Office of Commission Clerk

Acknowledgement of Receipt of Confidential Filing RE:

This will acknowledge receipt of a CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT filed in Docket Number 070000-OT or, if filed in an undocketed matter, concerning \_agreement between Heritage The document will be maintained in Estates and OTC , and filed on behalf of OTC . locked storage.

If you have any questions regarding this document, please contact Marguerite Lockard, FPSC-COMMISSION CLERK DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATI 20 Deputy Clerk, at (850) 413-6770. AUG 20

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