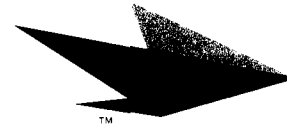


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RE: Confidential Response to Staff's Data Request Regarding 2008 ILEC Local Competition Report

Dear Ms. Cole:

CMP | Enclosed for filing on behalf of Embarq Florida, Inc. is Embarq's confidential response to Staff's Data Request Regarding Year 2008 ILEC Local Competition Report Information.

CTR Enclosed are the original of each of the confidential documents listed below. Embarq claims that the information listed below in this filing is confidential in accordance with Section 364.183(1), Florida Statutes. A redacted version of the same documents is included with this request. The specific portions of the information for which confidentiality is being claimed are:

- OPC 2008 Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC) Questionnaire:
 - RCA Response to Question No.11 on page 3 of Questionnaire
 - RCA Attachment in Response to Question No. 16 a & b (Embarq Fiber Deployment Sites).
- SCR FCC Form 477 – Local Competition and Broadband Reporting for June 30, 2007 & December 31, 2007
- SGA _____
- SEC 2008 ILEC Data Request Tables for June 30, 2007 & December 31, 2007.
 - Table-1, Column (a)
 - Table-2, Column (a)
 - Table-3, Column (a)
 - Table 4, Column (a)
- OTH *local records* _____

This Notice requires that the information be treated as confidential while on file at the Florida Public Service Commission and further that the information be returned as required by Section 364.183, F.S.

Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the duplicate copy of this letter and returning the same to this writer. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Susan S. Masterton

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Attorney

Enclosure

This claim of confidentiality was filed by or on behalf of a "teleo" for Confidential DN *0-166-08*. The document is in locked storage pending advice on handling. To access the material, your name must be on the CASR. If undocketed, your division director must provide written permission before you can access it.

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TO: Susan S. Masterton, Esquire/Embarq

FROM: Marguerite H. McLean, Office of Commission Clerk

RE: Acknowledgement of Receipt of Confidential Filing

This will acknowledge receipt of a CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT filed in Docket Number undocketed [DN 02966-08] or, if filed in an undocketed matter, concerning reponse to staff's 2008 ILEC data request on local competition., and filed on behalf of Embarq Florida, Inc. The document will be maintained in locked storage.

If you have any questions regarding this document, please contact Marguerite Lockard, Deputy Clerk, at (850) 413-6770.