BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by Comcast Phone of Florida, DOCKET NO. 080731-TP LLC d/b/a Comcast Digital Phone for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with Quincy Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom, pursuant to Section 252 of the Federal Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and Sections 120.57(1), 120.80(13), 364.012, 364.15, 364.16, 364.161, and 364.162, F.S., and Rule 28-106.201, F.A.C.

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COMMISSION STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

Pursuant to Order No. PSC-09-0183-PCO-TP, issued March 27, 2009, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission files its Prehearing Statement.

All Known Witnesses a.

None.

All Known Exhibits b.

None.

Staff's Statement of Basic Position c.

> Staff's positions are preliminary and based on materials filed by the parties and on discovery. The preliminary positions are offered to assist the parties in preparing for the hearing. Staff's final positions will be based upon all the evidence in the record and may differ from the preliminary positions stated herein.

d. Staff's Position on the Issues

ISSUE 1: IS TDS REQUIRED TO OFFER INTERCONNECTION TO COMCAST UNDER SECTION 251 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996 AND/OR SECTIONS 364.16, 364.161, AND 364.162, FLORIDA **STATUTES?**

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f. Pending Confidentiality Claims or Requests

Staff has no pending confidentiality claims or requests.

g. Compliance with Order No. PSC-09-0183-PCO-TP

Staff has complied with all requirements of the Order Establishing Procedure entered in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of June, 2009.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the original and five correct copies of COMMISSION STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT have been filed with the Office of Commission Clerk and one copy has been furnished to the following by electronic and U.S. mail, this 10th day of June, 2009:

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