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Docket No. 080731-TP – Petition by Comcast Phone of Florida, 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.

Issue 1: Is TDS required to offer interconnection to Comcast under Section 251 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and/or Sections 364.16, 324.161, and 364.162, Florida Statutes?

Recommendation: Yes. TDS is required to offer interconnection to Comcast under Section 251 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 because Comcast is a telecommunications carrier, as defined by 47 U.S.C. § 153 (44).

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Carter, Argenziano, Skop

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: No, if the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issue 1, then the parties should be required to submit a signed final interconnection agreement. Staff recommends that the parties be required to file the final interconnection agreement for approval within 45 days of issuance of the Final Order.

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