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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
Division of Records & Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 980696-TP
Determination of the cost of basic local telecommunications service,
pursuant to Section 364.025, Florida Statutes

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Please find enclosed for filing an original and one copy of GTE Florida Incorporated's
Notice of Service of Responses and Objections to Staff's Third Set of Interrogatories
(40-74) in the above matter. Service has been made as indicated on the Certificate of
Service. If there are any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (813)
483-2617.

ACK _____ Very truly yours,
AFA _____
APP _____ *Kimberly Caswell*

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CTR _____ KC:tas

EAG _____ Enclosures
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SEC _____ A part of GTE Corporation
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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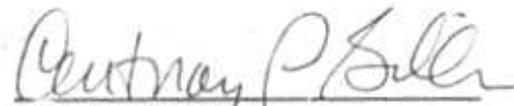
**NOTICE OF SERVICE OF GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED'S RESPONSES
AND OBJECTIONS TO STAFF'S THIRD SET OF INTERROGATORIES (40-74)**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a true and correct copy of GTE Florida Incorporated's Responses and Objections to Staff's Third Set of Interrogatories (40-74), which were legally propounded by Staff on August 28, 1998, was sent via overnight delivery on September 17, 1998, to William P. Cox, Staff Counsel, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850.

The original and one copy of this Notice were also sent via overnight delivery on September 17, 1998 to the Director, Division of Records & Reporting, at the Commission. Further service on other parties of record is as set forth on the Certificate of Service, appended hereto.

Respectfully submitted on September 18, 1998.

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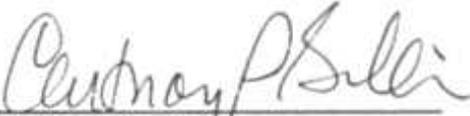
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copies of GTE Florida Incorporated's Notice of Service and Responses and Objections to Staff's Third Set of Interrogatories (No. 40-74) in Docket No. 980696-TP were sent via overnight mail on September 17, 1998(*) and U.S. mail on September 18, 1998 to the parties on the attached list.


Kimberly Caswell