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Re: Docket No. 980696-TP

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of TDS Telecom - Quincy Telephone Company's Petition for Leave to Intervene, which we ask that you file in the captioned matter.

Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,



David B. Erwin

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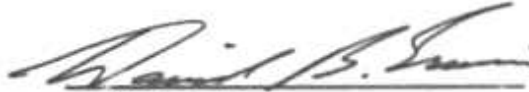
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WHEREFORE, Quincy respectfully requests that the Commission grant the Company
leave to intervene for all legal purposes in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 6th day of July, 1998.



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