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RE: Sprint-Florida, Incorporated's Request for Extension of Time to Meet Collocation Provisioning Intervals at the Winter Park Central Office

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing are the original and seven copies of Sprint-Florida, Incorporated's Request for Extension of Time to Meet Collocation Provisioning Intervals at the Winter Park Central Office.

A copy is being served on interested parties pursuant to the attached Certificate of Service.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by stamping and initialing a copy of this letter and returning same to the courier. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 850/599-1560.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE DOCKET NO. _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by U.S. Mail or hand-delivery this 29th day of January, 2000 to the following:

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FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for Extension)Of time to meet collocation)Provisioning intervals at the)Winter Park Central Office by)Sprint-Florida, Incorporated)

Docket No.

Filed: January 29, 2001

SPRINT-FLORIDA, INCORPORATED'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO MEET COLLOCATION PROVISIONING INTERVALS AT THE WINTER PARK CENTRAL OFFICE

COMES NOW Sprint-Florida, Incorporated ("Sprint") and files its Request for Extension of Time to Meet Collocation Provisioning Intervals at the Winter Park Central Office pursuant to Order No. PSC-1774-PAA-TP ("PAA Order") issued September 7, 1999, and Order No. PSC-0941-FOF-TP, issued May 11, 2000, ("Generic Order") as set forth below.

- Time Warner Telecom of Florida, L.P. ("TWTC") filed an application for cageless
 physical collocation at Sprint's Central Office Facilities in Winter Park
 (WNPKFLXA or 151 South New York Avenue) on October 23, 2000. On this same
 date, TWTC filed applications for collocation space at Sprint's Lake Brantley Central
 Office, Maitland Central Office, and Altamonte Springs Central Office.
- Sprint responded to TWTC's applications at Lake Brantley, Maitland, and Altamonte Springs on November 15, 2000. On that date Sprint informed TWTC that D.C. power would not be available at the Winter Park Central Office until the second quarter of 2001. (See Attachment 1.) However, due to miscommunications among Sprint

personnel concerning space and power availability at the Winter Park location, Sprint's final response to TWTC regarding its application for this location was significantly delayed.

- 3. On December 19, 2000, TWTC inquired as to the status of the its application for cageless physical collocation at the Winter Park CO.
- 4. On January 5, 2001, Sprint responded to TWTC that space was available in the Winter park CO and provided a price quote, however, Sprint informed TWTC that power would not be available at Winter Park until March 28, 2001. Subsequent review indicates that the original estimated date of second quarter 2001 is the correct date for when the power system upgrade will be complete at the Winter Park CO.
- 5. On January 12, 2001, TWTC filed a formal complaint with the Commission against Sprint for violation of the Commission's Orders related to collocation application response times and provisioning intervals (Docket #010054-TP). At that time Sprint realized that there was no mutual agreement to an extension of the provisioning interval and consequently files this Request for an Extension of Time.
- 6. TWTC submitted a firm order for space at the Winter Park CO on January 24, 2001. Based on the firm order date and the 90-calendar day provisioning interval for cageless physical collocation imposed by the Commission in the Generic Order, provisioning should be completed by April 24, 2001. (Had Sprint responded to

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TWTC concerning the Winter Park location at the same time Sprint provided its response for the other locations for which TWTC filed applications on that same date, TWTC would likely have submitted a firm order on November 21, 2000, as it did for those locations and the provisioning completion date would have been February 19, 2001. However, based on the information set forth below, the earlier date does not materially change the substance of this request for extension of time.)

- Currently eight CLECs are physically collocated and three CLECs (including TWTC) are virtually collocated at the Winter Park CO.
- 8. The Winter Park Central Office D.C. power system is working near its maximum capacity of 2,600 Amperes. Sprint's policy is to begin the process of upgrading or increasing the capacity of a power system at approximately 70% of total capacity. Since the rated capacity of batteries decreases with age, we avoid operating batteries near 100% of rated capacity. The Winter Park batteries are currently operating at 92% of capacity. The unanticipated demand for power from CLEC's, accelerated the exhaust of our power system.
- 9. The Winter Park power system requires a major upgrade to provide D.C. power for future Sprint and ALEC central office equipment. Essentially, Sprint is building a completely new power plant to serve the increased needs of the central office. The power system requires additional batteries and chargers, as well as a new power distribution system. The power distribution system consists of large copper bars,

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known as a bus, that are routed from the batteries to power distribution bays. The bus bars are protected from accidental electrical shorting by a bus duct. The bus bars and ducts are custom fabricated to the exact dimensions of the Winter Park site. The manufacture and installation of the bus and ducts are very labor intensive and time consuming.

- 10. The new batteries and chargers are on site and the custom-designed, copper bus ducts are scheduled to ship on January 19, 2001. Before the batteries can be installed, a wall next to the power room must be removed for additional space.
- 11. The installers are adding equipment to a live power system that feeds the entire three floors of central office equipment. Sprint must keep the old power plant operating, while building a new power system around it. Extreme care is required to avoid electrical shock to the workers and any potential power outages from shorting the electrical feeds. The total power system is scheduled for completion on June 29, 2001.

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WHEREFORE, Sprint requests the Commission to grant an extension of time until June 29, 2001 to begin provisioning cageless physical collocation to TWTC at the Winter Park CO.

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SPRINT-FLORIDA, INCORPORATED

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ATTACHMENT 1

From: McCulloch, Terry A.
Sent: Wednesday, November 15, 2000 6:01 PM
To: 'mike.siracuse@twtelecom.com'
Cc: Anderson, Paula M.; Maxwell, Janell L.
Subject: Collocation Responses WNPKFLXA, MTLD, ALSP, LKBR
Mike - As a follow-up to our conversation today:

For LKBRFLXA -

Cageless physical - pricing estimate was provided on 11/14 - space is available - waiting for Firm Order Commitment from TWC. Sprint will construct the space within 90 days from the date that a Firm Order Commitment is received from TWC.

Virtual augment - 2 choices as follows:

1. TWC can covert the existing virtual to a cageless physical collocation. I would need to provide a new pricing estimate based upon a cageless physical rates (DC power, Electrical Cross Connects, square feet of floor space). Sprint would run the fiber between the existing converted virtual collocation and the future physical cageless collocation. TWC would provide the fiber to Sprint, and Sprint would bill TWC for labor associated with running the fiber. WDM would be provided by TWC and located in TWC's rack. TWC would need to place a firm order commitment once I provide the cageless physical pricing estimate.

2. Virtual collocation arrangement stays the same. To augment it, Sprint would provide the optical patch panel, fiber, and labor to install/run both the panel and the fiber. Sprint would have to develop a price for doing this work as it is not a tariffed service. TWC would pay for tariffed cross connects on both sides of the optical patch panel. I would need to provide a pricing estimate to reflect the augment charges. Sprint would continue to maintain the equipment. Once I provide the pricing estimate, TWC would need to place a firm order commitment.

For ALSPFLXA -

Cageless physical - space is available, but DC power will not be available until after 3/2001. I've attached a pricing estimate for this site. If you desire to place a firm order commitment for this site, just respond to this e-mail telling me that you are placing a firm order commitment and that you understand that DC power will not be available until after 3/2001.

For the virtual augment application - I have not processed it because I am waiting for the virtual augment application fee. However, TWC will have the option of converting the existing virtual to cageless physical. The same issues, as mentioned above for LKBRFLXA, would be applicable. In addition, TWC could choose to leave the virtual as virtual. In either case, I will need to provide a pricing estimate so that you can place a firm order commitment.

For MTLDFLXA -

Cageless physical - space is available, but DC power will not be available until after 2nd quarter 2001. I've attached a pricing estimate for this site. If you desire to place a firm order commitment for this site, just respond to this e-mail telling me that you are placing a firm order commitment and that you understand that DC power will not be available until after 2nd quarter 2001.

For the virtual augment application - I have not processed it because I am waiting for the virtual augment application fee. However, TWC will have the option of converting the existing virtual to cageless physical. The same issues, as mentioned above for LKBRFLXA, would be applicable. In addition, TWC could choose to leave the virtual as virtual. In either case, I will need to provide a pricing estimate so that you can place a firm order commitment.

For WNPKFLXA -

Cageless physical - space and DC power is not available today. I will need to gather additional information from our Planning team as to when space will be available. DC power will be available after 2nd quarter 2001. I cannot provide a pricing estimate at this time as I need additional information from the engineering team.

For the virtual augment application - I have not processed it because I am waiting for the virtual augment application fee. Plus, I need additional information from the engineering team.

Please let me know if other questions. Thanks!

Terry A. McCulloch Field Service Manager - Sprint LTD 555 Lake Border Drive, Mailstop FLAPKA0202 Apopka, Florida 32703 407-889-6266 fax 407-884-1706 terry.a.mcculloch@mail.sprint.com

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