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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
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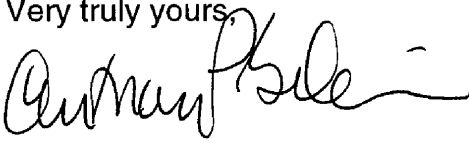
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Re: Docket No.
Petition of Verizon Florida Inc. for Approval of Amendment No. 1 to
Interconnection Agreement with CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect!

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Please find enclosed an original and five copies of Verizon Florida Inc.'s Petition for Approval of Amendment No. 1 to Interconnection Agreement with CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect! The amendment consists of one page. Service has been made as indicated on the Certificate of Service. If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (813) 483-2617.

Very truly yours,


Kimberly Caswell

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Verizon Florida Inc. for Approval
of Amendment No. 1 to Interconnection Agreement
with CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect!)
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Docket No. **020565-TP**
Filed: June 25, 2002

**PETITION OF VERIZON FLORIDA INC. FOR APPROVAL OF
AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT WITH
CCCFL, INC. D/B/A CONNECT!**

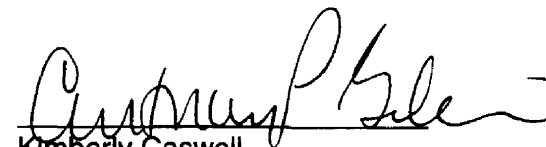
Verizon Florida Inc. (Verizon) (formerly GTE Florida Incorporated) files this petition before the Florida Public Service Commission (Commission) seeking approval of Amendment No. 1 to the interconnection agreement with CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect! (Connect!) In support of this petition, Verizon states:

Connect!'s adoption of the Verizon/Gulf Coast Communications, Inc. interconnection agreement was approved by the Commission by Order No. PSC-01-1117-FOF-TP issued May 15, 2001 in Docket No. 010322-TP. The attached amendment adopts the reciprocal compensation plan put forth in the Order on Remand and Report and Order, *In the Matter of Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Intercarrier Compensation for ISP Bound Traffic*, FCC 01-131, CC Docket Nos. 96-98 and 99-68.

Verizon respectfully requests that the Commission approve the attached amendment and that Verizon be granted all other relief proper under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted on June 25, 2002.

By:


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AMENDMENT NO. 1

to the

INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

between

VERIZON FLORIDA INC., f/k/a GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED

and

CCCFL, INC. D/B/A CONNECT!

This Amendment (the "Amendment") to the Interconnection Agreement between Verizon Florida Inc., f/k/a GTE Florida Incorporated and CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect! for the state of Florida (the "Agreement") is effective June 14, 2001.

Notwithstanding any possible contrary construction of this Agreement, Internet Traffic shall not be eligible for payment of Reciprocal Compensation under this Agreement. The Parties' rights and obligations with respect to any intercarrier compensation that may be due in connection with their exchange of Internet traffic shall be governed by the Order on Remand and Report and Order, *In the Matter of Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Intercarrier Compensation for ISP Bound Traffic*, FCC 01-131, CC Docket Nos. 96-98 and 99-68.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be duly executed and delivered by their duly authorized representatives.

CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect!

By: 

Printed: Charles L. White

Title: CFO

Date: 5/30/02

Verizon Florida Inc.

By: 

Printed: Jeffrey A. Masoner

Title: Vice-President - Interconnection
Services Policy & Planning

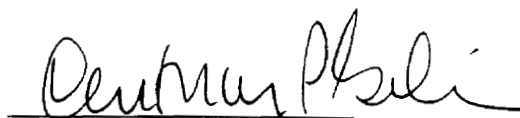
Date: JUNE 11, 2002

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of Verizon Florida Inc.'s Petition For Approval of Amendment No. 1 to the Interconnection Agreement with CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect! was sent via overnight delivery(*) on June 24, 2002 and U.S. mail(**) on June 25, 2002 to:

Staff Counsel(*)
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

CCCFL, Inc. d/b/a Connect!(**)
Attention: Ramona Maxwell
124 W. Capitol, Suite 250
Little Rock, AR 72201


per Kimberly Caswell