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July 7, 2011

TO:

Ann Cole, Commission Clerk, Office of Commission Clerk

FROM:

Beth W. Salak, Director, Division of Regulatory Analysis

Adam J. Teitzman, Attorney Supervisor, Office of the General Counsel

RE:

Closure of Docket No. 110027-TI; Compliance investigation of Optic Internet

Protocol, Inc. for apparent violation of Rule 25-4.118, F.A.C., Local, Local Toll, or

Toll Provider Selection.

On January 12, 2011, Docket No. 110027-TI was established to investigate Optic Internet Protocol, Inc.'s (Optic) apparent violation of Rule 25-4.118, Florida Administrative Code, Local, Local Toll, or Toll Provider Selection. By Order No. PSC-11-0153-PAA-TI, issued March 7, 2011, the Commission imposed a penalty upon Optic in the amount of \$1,460,000, (\$10,000 per violation for 146 apparent violations). The order became final and effective on April 1, 2011, upon issuance of Consummating Order No. PSC-11-0183-CO-TI.

The Commission also ordered in the event that Optic did not pay the penalty within fourteen calendar days after the issuance of the Consummating Order, that Optic's IXC Registration No. TK171 should be removed from the register, the company's tariff should be cancelled, and the company should be required to immediately cease and desist from providing intrastate interexchange telecommunications services within Florida. In addition, the Commission ordered that the company's underlying carrier should be notified to discontinue providing wholesale services to Optic in Florida. The Commission further ordered that this docket should be closed administratively either upon the removal of the company's IXC Registration and cancellation of its tariff or upon receipt of the penalty payment.

Fourteen calendar days have elapsed since the Consummating Order was issued and the company's payment has not been received. IXC Registration No. TK171 has been removed from the register and the company's tariff has been cancelled. Optic's underlying carrier was also notified as well as all state public utility commissions regarding the actions that this Commission has taken against the company. Therefore, this docket shall be closed administratively.

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