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Steve Tribble, Director
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Florida Public Service Commission
101 East Gaines Street
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Re: Docket No. 870790-TL - Request for EAS
Throughout Gilchrist County, Florida

Dear Mr. Tribble:

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket please find the original and fifteen (15) copies of the Request for Extension of Time to File Traffic Studies on behalf of ALLTEL Florida, Inc.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing on the copy provided and return it to the undersigned.

Your attention to this is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Norman H. Horton, Jr.
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Enclosure

cc: Commissioner John T. Herndon, Prehearing Officer
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for Extended Area) DOCKET NO. 870790-TL
Service Throughout Gilchrist)
County, Florida.) Filed: September 28, 1987
_____)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE TRAFFIC STUDIES

COMES NOW ALLTEL Florida, Inc. (ALLTEL), by and through the undersigned, and files this Request for Extension of Time to File Traffic Studies as directed in Order No. 17943. As basis for its request, ALLTEL states:

1) Order No. 17943, issued in the captioned docket on August 6, 1987, directs that ALLTEL prepare and file traffic studies on the extended area service (EAS) request within sixty (60) days from the date of the order.

2) ALLTEL is now involved with several EAS proceedings which are pending before the Commission. Some are underlying preliminary studies, while others have progressed to the point of having studies and appropriate tariffs filed.

3) Although ALLTEL is making every effort to comply with the suspense dates in each of these dockets, the review process, regardless of the stage of the docket, eventually involves the same personnel. For this reason, ALLTEL finds itself facing conflicting schedules and would, therefore, request an additional thirty (30) days to complete the traffic study and analysis in this docket.

4) The request herein is not made to delay this proceeding, nor does ALLTEL believe that any party will be adversely affected

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by the request. Instead, the request is made so that the appropriate personnel have adequate time to devote to the review and preparation of data in the various dockets which are pending.

For the reasons cited herein, ALLTEL Florida, Inc. respectfully requests an additional thirty (30) days in which to prepare and file the traffic studies required by Order No. 17943.

Respectfully submitted this 28th day of September, 1987.

By: 
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Docket No. 870790-TL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been provided this 28th day of September, 1987, by U.S. Mail or hand-delivery, to the following:

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