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Re: Windstream Utilities Company; Docket No. **960867-WU**  
Application for Amendment to Certificate  
Our File No. 26067.02

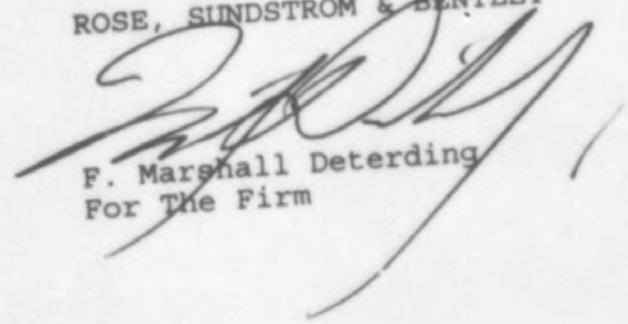
Dear Ms. Bayo:

Attached for filing in the above referenced case are the original and 15 copies of a Notice of Appearance of the undersigned counsel on behalf of Windstream Utilities Company.

If there are any documents already filed in this matter, I would appreciate a copy of those as well.

Sincerely,

ROSE, SUNDBSTROM & BENTLEY



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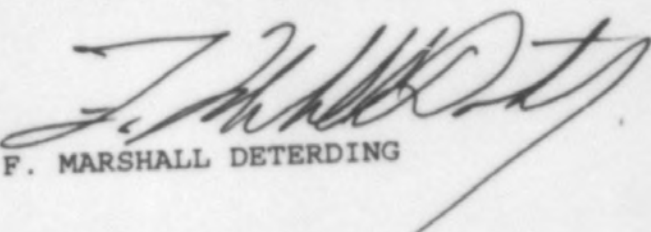
**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned attorney hereby appears as counsel on behalf of WINDSTREAM UTILITIES COMPANY, in the above-referenced docket. Copies of all correspondence, communications, recommendations, reports, notices, orders, or pleadings should be served upon the undersigned counsel at the address shown below.

Respectfully submitted on this  
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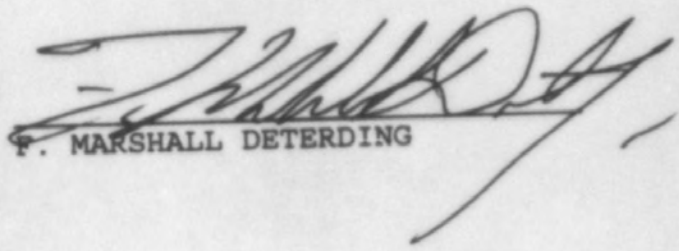
**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**  
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by U.S. Mail to the following parties this *5th* of November, 1996.

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