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In re: Resolution by the Taylor County Board of Commissioners for Countywide

Extended Area Service (EAS) within Taylor County

Docket No. 930235-TL

Dear Ms. Bayo:

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Enclosed please find originals and fifteen copies each of GTC, Inc.'s Brief of the Evidence and Motion to Accept Late Filed Brief of the Evidence. Copies have been provided to parties of record.

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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Resolution by the Taylor County Board	)	Docket No.	930235-TL	
of Commissioners for Countywide Extended	)			
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## MOTION TO ACCEPT LATE FILED BRIEF OF THE EVIDENCE

GTC, Inc., requests that its attorney be allowed to late file GTC's Brief of the Evidence, due February 23, 1998, for the following reasons:

- GTC's attorney was in Seminole County on Sunday and Monday, February 22 and 23,
   1998.
- 2. The press of other matters in Docket No. 970808-TL, also involving GTC, interfered with GTC's attorney's ability to analyze the evidence in a timely fashion.
  - 3. The brief is attached hereto.
  - 4. No party should be prejudiced by the late filing.

Respectfully submitted this 27th day of Felinsey, 1998,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished by hand delivery or U.S. Mail this 27 day of February, 1998, to each of the following:

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