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Public Service Commission

April 19, 2001

Mr. Jeffrey Watson
President
Northstar Telecommunications, Inc.
3692-B Grand Avenue
Miami, Florida 33133-4953

Re: Docket No. 010531-TC

Dear Mr. Watson:

A docket has been opened by staff of the Florida Public Service Commission for nonpayment of the 2000 Regulatory Assessment Fee (RAF), plus statutory penalty and interest charges, which was due January 30, 2001, plus statutory penalty and interest charges. Late notices were mailed February 21, 2000, and to date, Commission records show that payment has not been received.

It is staff's intention to file a recommendation imposing a \$1,000 fine, or cancelling your telecommunications certificate since this is the second docket opened for this rule violation. The Commissioners will vote at an upcoming Agenda Conference whether or not to accept staff's recommendation. A Proposed Agency Action Order will then be issued within 20 days after the vote and your company will have 21 days to protest the Order. It should be noted that just paying the delinquent RAF amount will not prevent your certificate from being cancelled.

If the Order is not protested and the past due amount, including statutory penalty and interest charges, is not paid, then your certificate will be cancelled, and the past due amount will be turned over to the Florida Comptroller's Office for further collection attempts. Therefore, it is important that you contact staff as soon as possible, but no later than May 2, 2001, to find out what your options are.

For options, please contact Paula Isler at (850) 413-6502-voice, (850) 413-6503-fax, at the address below, or via internet e-mail at pisler@psc.state.fl.us.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paula J. Isler". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "P" and a distinct "J" and "I".

Paula J. Isler, Research Assistant
Bureau of Service Evaluation & Compliance

cc: Docket No. 010531-TC
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