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In re: **Docket No. 030346-TP - NPCR, INC. D/B/A NEXTEL PARTNERS'** Petition for
Declaratory Statement Concerning the Commission's Jurisdiction to Determine Nextel
Partners' Entitlement to Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Status in Certain Designated
Areas in the State of Florida.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed please find the original and 15 copies of the Petition to Intervene in the above
captioned docket, on behalf of TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone.

Service has been made in accordance with the attached Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your attention to this filing.

Sincerely,



David B. Erwin

Attorney for TDS TELECOM/ Quincy Telephone

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: NPCR, INC. D/B/A NEXTEL PARTNERS')	
Petition for Declaratory Statement Concerning)	Docket No. 030346-TP
the Commission's Jurisdiction to Determine)	
Nextel Partners' Entitlement to Eligible)	
Telecommunications Carrier Status in Certain)	Filed: May 27, 2003
Designated Areas in the State of Florida)	
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**PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE
OF TDS TELECOM/QUINCY TELEPHONE**

TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone, through its undersigned counsel, and pursuant to Rules 25-22.039, 28-106.201(2) and 28-106.205, Florida Administrative Code, petitions for leave to intervene in the above-styled docket, and as grounds therefore, states as follows:

1. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner is:

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2. All pleadings, orders and correspondence should be sent to the Petitioner and to Petitioner's attorney.

3. NPCR, INC.; d/b/a NEXTEL PARTNERS has filed a Petition for a Declaratory Statement that NEXTEL PARTNERS is not subject to the jurisdiction of the FPSC for the purpose of determination of NEXTEL PARTNERS' entitlement to eligible telecommunications carrier ("ETC") status under Section 214(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

4. The existing ETC in the TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone service area is TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone. Consequently, TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone has a substantial interest in the NEXTEL PARTNERS Petition for a Declaratory Statement.

5. TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone is entitled to intervene in Docket No. 030346-TP based upon the same rationale and justification set forth by Northeast Florida Telephone Company and GTC, Inc., in their joint Petition to Intervene in this docket, filed May 22, 2003.

WHEREFORE, TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone respectfully requests that the Commission enter an order to do the following:

1. Grant this Petition for Leave to Intervene.
2. Deny NEXTEL PARTNERS' Petition for Declaratory Statement.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing Petition for Leave to Intervene of TDS TELECOM/Quincy Telephone was furnished by Hand Delivery and U.S. Mail to the following this 27th day of May, 2003:

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