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Re: Docket No. 030851-TP
Implementation of requirements arising from Federal Communications
Commission's triennial UNE Review: Local Circuit Switching for Mass Market
Customers

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Please find enclosed for filing an original and 15 copies of Verizon Florida Inc.'s Petition
to Intervene in the above matter. Service has been made as indicated on the Certificate
of Service. If there are any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at 813-
483-1256.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Implementation of requirements arising) Docket No. 030851-TP
from Federal Communications Commission's) Filed: October 9, 2003
Triennial UNE Review: Local Circuit Switching)
For Mass Market Customers)
_____)

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Under Commission Rule 25-22.039, Verizon Florida Inc. (formerly, GTE Florida Incorporated) (Verizon) asks the Commission to allow Verizon to intervene in this proceeding. Verizon is a telecommunications company as that term is defined in Section 364.02 of the Florida Statutes. As such, its regulated intrastate operations are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.

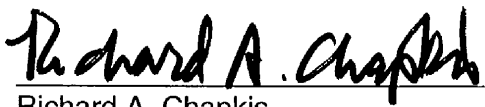
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This proceeding involves implementation of the Federal Communications Commission's Triennial Review Order. Any determinations made by the Commission in this matter will affect Verizon's substantial interests.

Wherefore, Verizon respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Petition allowing Verizon to become a full party of record in this docket.

Respectfully submitted on October 9, 2003.

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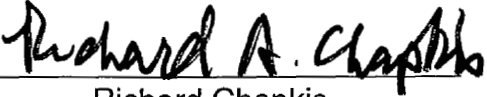
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copies of Verizon Florida Inc.'s Petition to Intervene in Docket No. 030851-TP were sent via U.S. mail on October 9, 2003 to the parties on the attached list.


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