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Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director
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RE: Confidential Response to Staff's Data Request Regarding 2006 CLEC Local Competition Report

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing is Embarq Communications, Inc. confidential response to Staff's Data Request Regarding Year 2006 CLEC Local Competition Report Information. This filing includes information for Embarq Communications, Inc. customers that were previously under Sprint Communications Company, Limited Partnership, certificate TX045. The Form 477 that is filed as part of this response under confidential classification is also being filed by Sprint Nextel as part of their response.

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Enclosed are the original of each of the confidential listings below. Sprint claims that the information listed below in this filing is confidential in accordance with Section 364.183(1), Florida Statutes.

Copies are being provided on both CD and paper formats. A redacted version of the same documents is included with this request. The specific portions of the information for which confidentiality is being claimed are:

- FCC Form 477 - Local Competition and Broadband Reporting
- 2006 CLEC Data Request Tables
 - Table-1, Column 3
 - Table-2, Column 4

This Notice requires that the information be treated as confidential while on file at the Florida Public Service Commission and further that the information be returned as required by Section 364.183, F.S.

Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the duplicate copy of this letter and returning the same to this writer. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Susan S. Masterton

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