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VIA UPS

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> Application of First Communications, LLC to Provide Local Exchange Re:

Enclosed please find, for filing, one original and two (2) copies of the Application

Service

Dear Ms. Bayó:

of First Communications, LLC ("First") to provide local exchange services within the State of Florida. First is currently registered to provide interexchange services and has been assigned Company Code TJ398. First is in the process of acquiring assets from Acceris Management and Acquisition LLC and New Access Communications, LLC. Notice of these transactions and a COM request for waiver of Fla. Pub. Serv. Commission Rule 25-4.118 will be filed with the Commission under separate cover. ECR

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Please note, Exhibit D contains confidential and proprietary financial information and therefore is filed under seal. First is a privately-held company, and is therefore not required to make public its financial statements to any jurisdiction or regulatory body. Disclosure of these financial statements can give competitors valuable insight into First's financial structure and its **RCA** fundraising activities to date as well as its financing of its Florida operations. Therefore it is requested that *Exhibit D* be filed under seal.

SGA A check in the amount of \$400.00 is included to cover the requisite filing fee.

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