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Ms. Ann Cole
Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
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Re: USD CLEC, Inc. -- Notice of Voluntary Petition for Reorganization

Dear Ms. Cole:

USD CLEC, Inc.¹ ("USD CLEC" or "Company"), by its attorneys, hereby notifies the Commission that it has filed a voluntary petition with the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of New York, pursuant to Chapter 11 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, seeking temporary protection from claims of creditors while the Company reorganizes its operations and restructures its finances. This letter is submitted to apprise the Commission of the Company's action and to assure the Commission that USD CLEC does not anticipate any disruption of service to its customers in Florida.

Chapter 11 status will enable the Company to restructure its balance sheet under court supervision so that it can continue to offer high quality services and function as an effective competitor in the Florida telecommunications market. During the reorganization period, USD CLEC plans to continue operations uninterrupted. Significantly, the Chapter 11 filing does not affect the rates and conditions of service offered by the Company to its customers in Florida. Throughout this process, any substantive changes to USD CLEC's operations will be made in accordance with Commission requirements.

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¹ USD CLEC offers competitive interexchange telecommunications services in Florida pursuant to its June 2006 registration with the Commission.

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As required by applicable Commission rules, USD CLEC will file updates regarding its reorganization plans as well as any changes to its operations while under Chapter 11 status. It is the Company's understanding that, at present, no filing beyond this notice is required. If Staff believes that additional information or action is required, or if there are any questions regarding this notice, please contact me at (202) 342-8819 or via email at wbrantl@kelleydrye.com. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Winafred Brantl". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "W".

Winafred Brantl²

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