## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Cancellation by Florida Public Service Commission of Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications Certificate No. 4849 issued to Tel-Link, L.L.C. for violation of Rule 25-4.0161, F.A.C., Regulatory Assessment Fees; Telecommunications Companies. DOCKET NO. 001404-TX ORDER NO. PSC-01-0188-FOF-TX ISSUED: January 22, 2001

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

E. LEON JACOBS, JR., Chairman J. TERRY DEASON LILA A. JABER BRAULIO L. BAEZ MICHAEL A. PALECKI

## ORDER CANCELING ALTERNATIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CERTIFICATE

BY THE COMMISSION:

Tel-Link, L.L.C. (Tel-Link) currently holds Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 4849, issued by the Commission on April 15, 1997, authorizing the provision of Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications service (ALEC). The Division of Administration advised our staff by memorandum that Tel-Link had not paid the Regulatory Assessment Fees (RAFs) required by Section 364.336, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-4.0161, Florida Administrative Code, for the year 1999. Also, accrued statutory penalties and interest charges for late RAFs payments for the year 1999 had not been paid.

Pursuant to Section 364.336, Florida Statutes, certificate holders must pay a minimum annual RAF of \$50 if the certificate was active during any portion of the calendar year. Pursuant to Rule

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25-4.0161 (2), Florida Administrative Code, the form and applicable fees are due to the Florida Public Service Commission by January 30 of the subsequent year. All entities that apply for certification receive a copy of our rules governing IXC service.

After this docket was opened, on November 2, 2000, Mr. Scott Seab, Tel-Link's attorney, contacted our staff On November 14, 2000, we received a letter from Mr. Seab which requested voluntary cancellation of Tel-Link's certificate and paying the past due amount.

Tel-Link has complied with the provision of Rule 25-24.820(2), Florida Administrative Code, by providing adequate notice in writing of its request for cancellation of its ALEC certificate and by submitting its RAFs for the year 1999, and advising that the 2000 RAFs will be paid within 30 days from the date of issuance of this Order. Accordingly, we find it appropriate to cancel ALEC Certificate No. 4849, effective November 14, 2000. Tel-Link shall return the Order granting the ALEC certificate to this Commission.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Tel-Link, L.L.C.'s Certificate No. 4849 to provide Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications services is hereby canceled, effective November 14, 2000. It is further

ORDERED that Tel-Link, L.L.C. shall return the Order granting the Alternative Local Exchange Telecommunications certificate to this Commission. It is further

ORDERED that this Docket is closed.

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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this <u>22nd</u> day of <u>January</u>, <u>2001</u>.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of Records and Reporting

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## NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water and/or ORDER NO. PSC-01-0188-FOF-TX DOCKET NO. 001404-TX PAGE 4

wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.