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October 8, 1996

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
Division of Records & Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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Re: Docket Nos. 960847-TP and 960980-TP
Petitions by AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc.,
MCI Telecommunications Corporation and MCI Metro Access
Transmission Services, Inc. for arbitration of certain terms and conditions
of a proposed agreement with GTE Florida Incorporated concerning
interconnection and resale under the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed are an original and fifteen copies of a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential
Classification in connection with Late-Filed Deposition Exhibit Nos. 1-13 of GTE Florida
witnesses Dennis Trimble and Bert Steele. Staff has received a copy of the
confidential exhibits, and GTE Florida will file a copy with the Clerk's office on
Thursday, October 10, 1996. Service has been made as indicated on the Certificate of
Service. Please call me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

Anthony P. Gillman

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Enclosures

This Notice of Intent was filed with Confidential Document
Document No. 10782-96. The document has
been placed in the confidential files pending
receipt of a request for confidential treatment.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copies of GTE Florida Incorporated's Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification regarding Late-Filed Deposition Exhibit Nos. 1-13 of Bert Steele and Dennis Trimble in Docket Nos. 960847-TP and 960980-TP were hand-delivered on October 8, 1996 to the parties listed below.

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interconnection and resale under the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Dear Ms. Bayo:

On October 8, 1996, GTE Florida filed a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification in connection with Late-Filed Deposition Exhibit Nos. 1-13 of GTE Florida witnesses Dennis Trimble and Bert Steele. Attached in a confidential envelope is a binder containing the confidential exhibits. Please place these documents with the Notice filed on Oc

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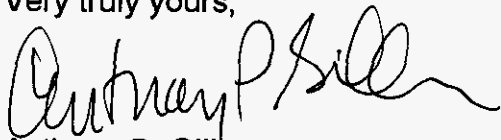
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Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please call me at (813) 228-3087.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anthony P. Gillman". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

Anthony P. Gillman

APG:tas
Attachment
Airborne

c: Donna Canzano, Esq. (wo/a)
Tracy Hatch, (wo/a)
Richard Melson (wo/a)

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by AT&T Communications)
of the Southern States, Inc. for arbitration)
of certain terms and conditions of a)
proposed agreement with GTE Florida)
Incorporated concerning Interconnection)
and resale under the Telecommunications)
Act of 1996)
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Docket No. 960847-TP
Filed: October 8, 1996

In re: Petition by MCI Telecommunications)
Corporation and MCI Metro Access)
Transmission Services, Inc. for arbitration of)
certain terms and conditions of a proposed)
agreement with GTE Florida Incorporated)
concerning interconnection and resale under)
the Telecommunications Act of 1996)
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Docket No. 960980-TP

**GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED'S
NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

GTE Florida Incorporated (GTEFL) hereby gives notice of its intent to seek confidential classification for certain material produced in response to Commission Staff requests during the September 30, 1996 deposition of GTEFL witnesses Bert Steele and Dennis Trimble. All 13 of these exhibits elucidate on data contained in GTEFL's cost study in this proceeding. The cost study has already been filed with the Commission under confidential cover, along with a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification.

This Notice exempts this material from §119.07(1) of the Florida Statutes and §24(a), Art. 1 of the State Constitution and protects it from public disclosure. All of this information falls within Florida Statutes §364.183(3)(e), which defines the term "proprietary

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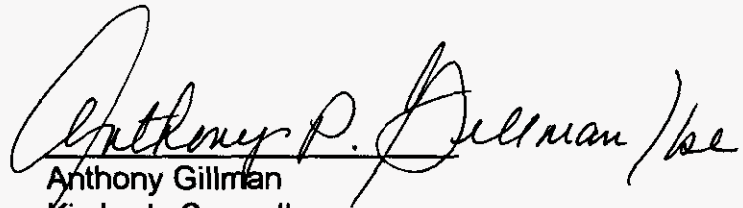
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confidential business information" to include "information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of that information." In a competitive business, any such knowledge obtained about a competitor can be used to the detriment of the entity to which it pertains. This unfair advantage skews the operation of the market, to the ultimate detriment of the consumer.

Respectfully submitted on October 8, 1996.

By:



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