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October 24, 1996

Ms. Susan F. Clark, Chairman  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 96017-TI

Dear Chairman Clark:

This is to acknowledge that the Florida Department of Corrections does, in fact, view favorably the option to refund surcharge collections as outlined in the letter from Martha McMillin to the Commission dated October 24, 1996. This option would reduce the current surcharge on a going forward basis for a limited period of time until the amount at issue referenced in Ms. McMillin's letter has been refunded. We regard this option as a reasonable alternative to ensure that the group of consumers who benefit from the refund plan is substantially the same group that was affected by the excess surcharges. We are continuing to work with MCI to determine the appropriate amount and length of time of this proposed reduction, as well as provisions for notice of the reduction.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

ACK \_\_\_\_\_ James N. Bidy

AFA \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Director of Administration

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