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TO: DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING (BAYO)

FROM: DIVISION OF COMMUNICATIONS (HAWKINS) *8/8/97*
DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (K. PEÑA) *KP*

RE: DOCKET NOS. 970341-TC, 970346-TC and 970347-TC - REQUEST
FOR CANCELLATION OF PAY TELEPHONE CERTIFICATES

AGENDA: 06/24/97 - REGULAR AGENDA

CRITICAL DATES: NONE

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: S:\PSC\CMU\WP\970341.RCM

CASE BACKGROUND

On January 20, 1996, the Commission issued certificate number 4482 to Doretta L. Miller. On July 13, 1996, the Commission issued certificate number 4668 to Lorie Shearer & Sharon Anderson. On January 6, 1996, the Commission issued certificate number 4363 to John Collard. The Fiscal Division received payment of Regulatory Assessment Fees along with a request for cancellation of the above certificates. Doretta Miller's request and Regulatory Assessment Fee was received December 22, 1996. Lorie Shearer and Sharon Anderson's request and Regulatory Assessment Fee was received December 13, 1996. John Collard's request for cancellation and Regulatory Assessment Fee payment was received on December 17, 1996.

DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

ISSUE 1: Should the Commission cancel the pay telephone certificates of Doretta L. Miller, Lorie Shearer & Sharon Anderson and John Collard effective December 22, 1996, December 13, 1996 and December 17, 1996, respectively?

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RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The Commission should cancel the pay telephone certificates of Doretta L. Miller, Lorie Shearer & Sharon Anderson and John Collard effective December 22, 1996, December 13, 1996 and December 17, 1996, respectively?

STAFF ANALYSIS: Doretta L. Miller, Lorie Shearer & Sharon Anderson and John Collard complied with Rule 25-24.514(2), Florida Administrative Code, Cancellation of a Certificate, which states,

if a certificated company desires to cancel its certificate, it shall request cancellation from the Commission in writing and shall provide the following with its request: (a) statement of intent and date to pay Regulatory Assessment Fee. (b) statement of why the certificate is proposed to be cancelled.

The above certificate holders complied with the provision of Rule 25-24.514(2) by providing adequate notice in writing of their request for cancellation by stating that they would no longer have pay phones on their business premises and by submitting their regulatory assessment fees for 1996. Since the certificate holders voluntarily relinquished their licenses to operate before December 31, 1996, and submitted all regulatory fees due and owing under the provision of Section 350.113, Florida Statutes, staff recommends that the Commission should cancel certificate numbers 4482, 4668 and 4363, effective December 22, 1996, December 13, 1996 and December 17, 1996, respectively, the date of filing the request for cancellation. The certificate holders will not be assessed regulatory assessment fees for 1997.

Doretta L. Miller	Certificate #4482
Lori Shearer & Sharon Anderson	Certificate #4668
John Collard	Certificate #4363

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ISSUE 2: Should these dockets be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes.

STAFF ANALYSIS: If the Commission approves Issue #1, these dockets should be closed. For each certificate that is cancelled, the serving local exchange company shall be notified by staff to discontinue service to all pay telephones operated by that company or person(s).