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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
Division of Records and Reporting
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2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket Nos. **970172-TP**, 970173-TP and 970281-TL

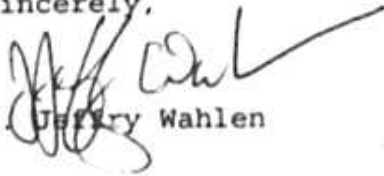
Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above dockets are the original and one copy of Northeast Florida Telephone Company, Inc.'s Notice of Service in the above referenced dockets.

Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the above by stamping the duplicate copy of this letter and returning the same to this writer.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,


J. Jeffrey Wahlen

- ACK _____
- AFA _____ Enclosures
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FPSC-RECORDS/REPORTING

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by MCI)
Telecommunications Corporation)
for an order requiring BellSouth)
Telecommunications, Inc. to)
remove its deregulated payphone)
investment and associated)
expenses from its intrastate)
operations and reduce the)
Carrier Common Line rate element)
of its intrastate switched)
access charges by approximately)
\$36.5 million as required by the)
Federal Telecommunications Act)
of 1996)

DOCKET NO. 970172-TP

In re: Petition by MCI)
Telecommunications Corporation)
for an order requiring GTE)
Florida Incorporated to remove)
its deregulated payphone)
investment and associated)
expenses from its intrastate)
operations and reduce Carrier)
Common Line rate element of its)
intrastate switched access)
charges by approximately \$9.6)
million as required by the)
Federal Telecommunications Act)
of 1996)

DOCKET NO. 970173-TP

In re: Establishment of)
intrastate implementation)
requirements governing federally)
mandated deregulation of local)
exchange company payphones)

DOCKET NO. 970281-TL

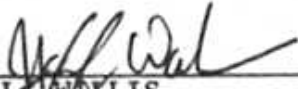
Dated: July 23, 1997

NORTHEAST'S NOTICE OF SERVICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this date NORTHEAST FLORIDA TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC. served by hand delivery the original of its Answers to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories and Response to Staff's First Request for Production of Documents on counsel for

the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission. Copies of the Company's Answers and Response were also on this date served by U.S. Mail or hand delivery on the other parties of record.

DATED this 23d day of July, 1997.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by U. S. Mail or hand delivery (*) this 23d day of July, 1997, to the following:

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