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Florida Public Service Commission
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RE: Docket No. 971314-TP

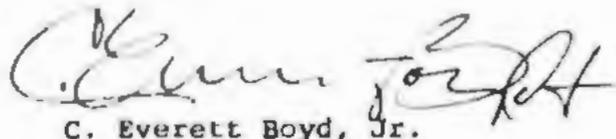
Dear Ms. Bayo:

I represent Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership in the referenced docket. This is to advise the Commission that Sprint and BellSouth have today reached agreement to resolve all of the issues raised in Sprint's complaint. It will be necessary, however, for the parties to draft various documents to reflect and implement the settlement provisions.

Accordingly, Sprint respectfully requests that the hearing in this docket scheduled to be held on March 30, 1998, be cancelled. Once the settlement is fully documented, Sprint will file a notice of dismissal of its complaint. I have reviewed the foregoing with Nancy White, attorney for BellSouth, and she has authorized me to advise the Commission that she joins in requesting that the March 30 hearing be cancelled.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



C. Everett Boyd, Jr.

cc: Will Cox, Esq.
John Bowman, Esq.
Nancy White, Esq.

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