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

FROM: DIVISION OF COMMUNICATIONS (ISLER) *DL*  
DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (BOWMAN) *MB*

RE: DOCKET NO. 970968-TP - NORTH AMERICAN INTELECOM, INC. -  
PETITION FOR EXEMPTION FROM RULES 25-4.113, 25-  
24.471(4)(c), AND 25-24.515(17), FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE  
CODE, AND FOR AUTHORIZATION TO DISCONTINUE SERVICE  
WITHOUT NOTICE AND TO REQUIRE ADVANCE PAYMENT FOR SERVICE  
FROM CERTAIN CUSTOMERS, AND FOR SUCH OTHER RELIEF AS MAY  
BE APPROPRIATE

AGENDA: MAY 12, 1998 - REGULAR AGENDA - INTERESTED PERSONS MAY  
PARTICIPATE

CRITICAL DATES: NONE

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: S:\PSC\CMU\WP\970968TP.RCM

CASE BACKGROUND

North American InTeleCom, Inc. (NAI) holds Interexchange Certificate No. 4697 and Pay Telephone Certificate No. 2459. The company provides telecommunications services to inmate facilities.

On July 17, 1997, NAI filed a Petition for exemption from Rule 25-4.113, Florida Administrative Code, Refusal or Discontinuance of Service by Company, 25-24.471(4)(c), Florida Administrative Code, Application for Certificate, and 25-24.515(17), Florida Administrative Code, Pay Telephone Service.

Staff prepared its recommendations for the September 23, 1997 and January 6, 1998 Agenda Conferences. The company requested and was granted a deferral at the September 23, 1997 Agenda Conference to give NAI additional time to review its policies and procedures for compliance with Commission rules and make a proposed settlement offer.

Prior to the January 6, 1998 Agenda Conference, the company advised the Commission that its inmate services were sold to

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another company and requested a deferral, which was granted. On April 22, 1998, the company filed a letter withdrawing its Petition for Exemption. (Attachment A) Therefore, staff believes the following recommendation is appropriate.

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DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

ISSUE 1: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. (Bowman)

STAFF ANALYSIS: Since the company has sold that portion of its inmate services and requested that its Petition for Exemption be withdrawn, no further issues remain for the Commission to address. Therefore, this docket should be closed.

ATTACHMENT A  
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RE: Docket No. 970968

Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Pursuant to my conversation with the Commission staff, please be advised that North American InTeleCom, Inc. wishes to withdraw its Petition for Exemption, which was filed with the Commission on July 29, 1997. Please contact me if any other action is required.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely

*Susan Davis Morley*  
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cc: Paula Isler