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October 28, 1998

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

Re: Docket No. 980696-TP Sprint-Florida Incorporated Request for Confidential Classification

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing is the original and fifteen (15) copies of Sprint-Florida, Inc.'s Request for Confidential Classification.

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.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Determination of the Cost)
of Basic Local Telecommunications)
Service, Pursuant to Section 364.025)
Florida Statutes)

Docket No. 980696-TP

Filed: October 28, 1998

SPRINT-FLORIDA, INCORPORATED'S REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

Pursuant to Rule 25-22.034 and 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, Sprint-Florida, Incorporated, ("Sprint") by and through its undersigned counsel, requests that the Florida Public Service Commission enter an order granting Sprint's request for confidential classification covering information contained in Sprint-Florida's Late-filed Exhibit 90. In support, Sprint states as follows:

Late-filed Exhibit 90 contains the General Agreement between Sprint/United Management Company and Lucent Technologies Inc., which is proprietary, confidential business information that should not be disclosed to the public. See Fla. Stat. §364.183 (1997). The information concerns contractual relationships, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the company or its affiliates to contract for goods and services on favorable terms and information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which

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would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information. See Florida Stat. § 364.183 (3) (d) and (e) (1997). This kind of information is routinely considered confidential by the Commission. See Order No. 98 PSC-98-0935-CFO-TP, issued July 10, 1998. Sprint has today filed under seal a copy of the document containing confidential information, consisting of the Agreement between Sprint/United Management Company and Lucent Technologies Inc.

 Based on prior decisions and the fact that Sprint would suffer harm in the form of impairment to negotiate conditions favorable to Sprint and impairment to the competitive interests of Sprint, the request for confidentiality should be granted.

WHEREFORE, Sprint-Florida, Incorporated moves for an order granting confidentiality for the General Agreement between Sprint/United Management Company and Lucent Technologies, Inc., contained in Late-filed Exhibit 90.

DATED this 28th day of October 1998.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE DOCKET NO. 980696-TP

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