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Dear Sirs;

Pursuant to the 1996 Telecommunications Act, National Phone Corporation is petitioning to elect approval of an interconnection agreement pursuant to Section 252(i) of the Act. It is my understanding via the Commission Staff that the filing of this letter completes the steps necessary to avail NPC of the rates and conditions of that agreement (ORDER NO. PSC-97-0857-FOF-TP - KMC/BellSouth).

Any questions or requests for further information can be directed to myself at the appropriate address or at (941) 726-1337. We appreciate your help in this matter.

Sincerely,



Thomas M. Beard
President

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