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April 14, 1999

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

Re: Docket No. 990182-TP
Petition of DIECA Communications Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company
for Arbitration of Interconnection Rates, Terms, Conditions and Related
Arrangements with GTE

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Please find enclosed an original and one copy of GTE Florida Incorporated's Notice of
Service of Responses to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories (No. 1) for filing in the
above matter. Service has been made as indicated on the Certificate of Service. If
there are any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at 813-483-2617.

Sincerely,

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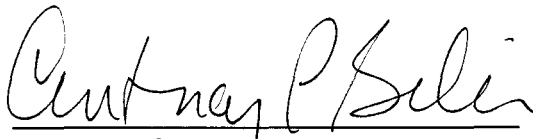
In re: Petition of DIECA Communications Inc.)	Docket No. 990182-TP
d/b/a Covad Communications Company for)	Filed: April 14, 1999
Arbitration of Interconnection Rates, Terms,)	
Conditions and Related Arrangements with)	
GTE)	
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**NOTICE OF SERVICE OF GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED'S
RESPONSES TO STAFF'S
FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NO. 1)**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a true and correct copy of GTE Florida Incorporated's Responses to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories (No. 1), which were legally propounded by Staff on March 25, 1999, was sent via overnight delivery on April 13, 1999, to Beth Keating, Staff Counsel, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850.

The original and one copy of this Notice were also sent via overnight delivery on April 13, 1999 to the Director, Division of Records & Reporting, at the Commission. Further service on other parties of record is as set forth on the Certificate of Service, appended hereto.

Respectfully submitted on April 14, 1999.

By: 
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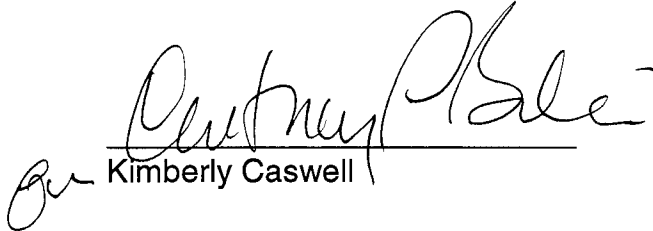
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of GTE Florida Incorporated's Notice of Service and Responses to Staff's First Set of Interrogatories (No. 1) in Docket No. 990182-TP were sent via overnight delivery on April 13, 1999 to:

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