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August 17, 1999

Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director
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Re: Docket No. 990455-TL
Request for review of proposed numbering plan relief for the 305/786
area code - Dade County and Monroe County/Keys Region

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Please find enclosed an original and 15 copies of GTE Florida Incorporated's Petition to Intervene for filing in the above matter. Service has been made as indicated on the Certificate of Service. If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 813-483-2617.

Sincerely,

Anthony P. Gillman

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for review of proposed)
numbering plan relief for the 305/786 area)
code - Dade County and Monroe County/)
Keys Region)
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Docket No. 990455-TL
Filed: August 17, 1999

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Under Commission Rule 25-22.039, GTE Florida Incorporated (GTEFL) asks the Commission to allow GTEFL to intervene in this proceeding. GTEFL is a telecommunications company as that term is defined in Section 364.02 of the Florida Statutes. As such, its regulated intrastate operations are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.

Communications in regard to this proceeding should be directed to:

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GTEFL is entitled to intervene in this proceeding because its interests as a local exchange telecommunications company will be substantially and directly affected by the decision here. GTEFL understands that number conservation issues will be discussed and determined in this proceeding. To the extent that any number conservation policy or precedent is created in this docket, it could well affect future numbering plan relief in GTEFL's serving territory. GTEFL should thus have an opportunity to protect its interests in this regard.

Respectfully submitted on August 17, 1999.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copies of GTE Florida Incorporated's Petition to Intervene in Docket No. 990455-TL were sent via U. S. mail on August 17, 1999 to the parties on the attached list.

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