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January 31, 2001

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

Re: Docket No. 990362-TI
Initiation of Show Cause Proceeding Against GTE Communications
Corporation for Apparent Violation of Rule 25-4.118, F.A.C., Local,
Local Toll, or Toll Provider Selection

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Please find enclosed for filing an original and 15 copies of the confidential Rebuttal Testimonies of Joseph P. Caliro and Christopher D. Owens on behalf of Verizon Select Services Inc. in the above matter. Also enclosed are an original and 15 copies of a Notice of Intent to Seek Confidential Classification for the Testimonies. A specific request for protective order will be filed later. 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,

Kimberly Caswell/dm
Kimberly Caswell

KC:tas
Enclosures

owens 01476-01 & Caliro 01469-01

This notice of intent was filed in a docketed matter by or on behalf of a "telco" for Confidential DN _____. The confidential material is in locked storage pending staff advice on handling.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Initiation of Show Cause Proceeding) Docket No. 990362-TI
Against GTE Communications Corporation) Filed: January 31, 2001
for Violation of Rule 25-4.118, F.A.C.,)
Local, Local Toll, or Toll Provider Selection)
_____)

**VERIZON SELECT SERVICES INC.'S
NOTICE OF INTENT TO SEEK CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

Verizon Select Services Inc. (VSSI) (formerly, GTE Communications Corporation) gives notice of its intent to seek confidential classification of the Rebuttal Testimonies and Exhibits of Joseph P. Caliro and Christopher D. Owens filed in this proceeding. This Notice exempts this material from section 119.07(1) of the Florida Statutes and section 24(a), Article I of the Florida Constitution and protects it from public disclosure. This information falls within Florida Statutes section 364.183(3)(e), which defines the term "proprietary confidential business information" to include "information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of that information." In a competitive business, any such knowledge obtained about a competitor can be used to the detriment of the entity to which it pertains. This unfair advantage skews the operation of the market, to the ultimate detriment of the consumer.

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VSSI will later file a specific request for permanent protective order, in accordance with Commission rule 25-22.006.

Respectfully submitted on January 31, 2001.

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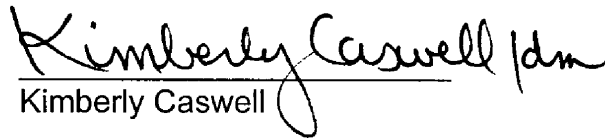
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copies of the Rebuttal Testimonies of Joseph P. Caliro and Christopher D. Owens and Notice of Intent to Seek Confidential Classification on behalf of Verizon Select Services Inc. in Docket No. 990362-TI were hand-delivered(*), sent via overnight delivery(**) or sent via U.S. mail(***) on January 31, 2001:

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