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April 18, 2001

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

Re: Docket No. 990362-T1

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and 15 copies of Citizens' Request for Order Confirming That all Documents Filed to Date in this Proceeding are Public Records Subject to Public Inspection and Examination.

Please indicate the time and date of receipt on the enclosed duplicate of this letter and return it to our office.

Sincerely,

Charles J. Beck,
Deputy Public Counsel

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Initiation of Show Cause Proceeding)
Against GTE Communications) Docket 990362-TI
Corporation for Apparent Violation of)
Rule 25-4.118, F.A.C., Local, Local)
Toll, or Toll Provider Selection.) Filed: April 18, 2001
_____)

**REQUEST FOR ORDER CONFIRMING THAT ALL DOCUMENTS FILED TO
DATE IN THIS PROCEEDING ARE PUBLIC RECORDS SUBJECT TO
PUBLIC INSPECTION AND EXAMINATION**

The Citizens of Florida (Citizens), by and through Jack Shreve, Public Counsel, request the Prehearing Officer to issue an order confirming that all documents filed to date in this proceeding are public records subject to public inspection and examination.

1. On March 27, 2001, the Prehearing Officer issued order no. PSC-01-0809-PCO-TI requiring Verizon Select Services, Inc. (Verizon) to file specific requests for confidential treatment of the following documents:

- (a) Deposition of Larry Commons and accompanying exhibit filed December 8, 2000.
- (b) Testimony and exhibit of R. Earl Poucher filed December 15, 2000.
- (c) Supplemental direct testimony and exhibit of R. Earl Poucher filed January 9, 2001.
- (d) Deposition and exhibit of Wayne Weaver filed January 11, 2001.
- (e) Rebuttal testimony of Christopher D. Owens and Joseph P. Caliro filed January 31, 2001.

The order required Verizon to file specific requests for confidentiality by no later than April 17, 2001, and provided protection of these documents from public disclosure only through that date. April 17, 2001, has now passed without any filing by Verizon.

2. Since the temporary protection afforded these documents expired yesterday, all of these documents are now public. However, there are other filings in this docket which were not directly covered by the Prehearing Officer's ruling. These documents include the following:

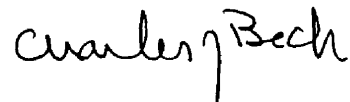
- (a) Deposition and exhibit of Joseph Caliro filed February 19, 2001.
- (b) Deposition and exhibit of Helen Hall filed February 19, 2001.
- (c) Rebuttal testimony and exhibits of R. Earl Poucher filed March 5, 2001.

3. The Prehearing Officer's order issued March 27, 2001, construed Rule 25-22.006 to require Verizon to file specific requests for confidentiality within 21 days of the initial filing of any document subject to interim confidential treatment. More than 21 days has now elapsed since the filing of the documents listed in the preceding paragraph of this motion. Since Verizon has not filed specific requests for confidential treatment of any of these documents, the documents should now be available for public inspection and examination.

WHEREFORE, Citizens request the Prehearing Officer to issue an order confirming that all documents filed to date in this proceeding are public records subject to public inspection and examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Charles J. Beck". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "B" and "C".

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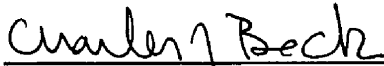
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**DOCKET NO. 990362-TI
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished by
U.S. Mail or hand-delivery to the following parties on this 18th day of April, 2001.



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