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VIA HAND DELIVERY

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

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Re: Local Competition Data Request

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing is ALLTEL Communications, Inc.'s ("ALLTEL" or "Company") response to the Commission's data request on local competition. **ALLTEL claims that certain of the information in this response is proprietary confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183(1), Florida Statutes (2000), and Rule 25-22.006(5), F.A.C.** Consistent with Rule 25-22.006(5)(a), F.A.C., the Company has submitted one copy with the claimed confidential information designated with highlighting and two edited copies that are available for public inspection.

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Sincerely,

J. Jeffrey Wahlen
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cc: Walter D'Haeseleer (w/o attachment)

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