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**DATE:** January 11, 2002  
**TO:** Docket File  
**FROM:** Sally Simmons (Division of Competitive Services) *SAS TD*  
Kimberley Peña (Division of Legal Services) *kmp BK*  
**RE:** Docket No. 011355-TP - Petition by Verizon Florida Inc. (formerly known as GTE Florida Inc.) for approval of amendment No. 1 to interconnection agreement with Nextel South Corp.

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By letter dated October 11, 2001, Verizon Florida Inc. filed a Request for approval of an amendment to the interconnection agreement entered into between Verizon Florida Inc. and Nextel South Corp.. Under the requirements of 47 U.S.C. § 252(e), negotiated agreements must be submitted to the state commission for approval. Section 252(e)(4) requires the state to reject or approve the agreement within 90 days after submission or it shall be deemed approved. The statutory deadline for the Commission to take action on this matter was January 9, 2002.

Staff reviewed the agreement in this Docket on November 16, 2001. The agreement met the criteria outlined in Section 2.07.C.17 of the Administrative Procedures Manual. Therefore, it has gone into effect by operation of law in accordance with Section 252(e)(4) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Accordingly, with this Memorandum, the docket is hereby closed.

CC: Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services (S. Moses)

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