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**Re: Request to Cancel Certificate**

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Dear Ms. Bayó:

On behalf of Metrocall, Inc., please find enclosed a Request to Cancel Certificate, which requests the cancellation of Metrocall, Inc.'s authority to resell interexchange service in the State of Florida.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,



Marianne Roach Casserly

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**REQUEST FOR CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATE OF  
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY**

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

REQUEST OF METROCALL, INC. )  
FOR CANCELLATION OF ITS CERTIFICATE )  
OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY ) Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_  
TO PROVIDE INTEREXCHANGE )  
TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE IN THE )  
STATE OF FLORIDA )

**REQUEST TO CANCEL CERTIFICATE**

COMES NOW METROCALL, INC. ("Metrocall") and respectfully requests that the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") cancel Metrocall's existing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interexchange telecommunications service as a switchless reseller within the State of Florida (Certificate No. 7351), effective upon grant of this Request. In support of its Request and pursuant to Commission Rule 25-24.474, F.A.C., Metrocall states the following:

1) Metrocall, located at 6677 Richmond Highway, Alexandria, VA 22306, is a non-facilities based reseller of long distance telecommunications services. The Commission granted Metrocall a Certificate to provide interexchange telecommunications service within the State of Florida on February 21, 2000 (Order No. PSC-00-0357-PAA-TI).

2) Metrocall intends to pay its Regulatory Assessment Fee for the period of July 1, 2001 through December 31, 2001 by January 30, 2002.

3) Metrocall proposes to cancel its Certificate because it presently has no customers in the State of Florida and does not intend to pursue additional customers in the State of Florida. Metrocall never broadly advertised the subject resold long distance services, but rather offered resold long distance as a "value added" service to its paging and messaging customers.

4) Metrocall has never collected deposits from customers. Thus, Metrocall has no outstanding customer deposits to refund.

5) Since Metrocall has no customers in the State of Florida, there are no customers to whom notice could be given of discontinuation of service.

6) The following individuals are responsible for concluding any outstanding business between Metrocall and the Florida Public Service Commission:

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The Commission has jurisdiction over this Request pursuant to 350.127(2) Fla. Stat.

WHEREFORE, Metrocall respectfully requests that the Commission cancel its existing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interexchange telecommunications service within the State of Florida.

Respectfully submitted,

Metrocall, Inc.

By: *Shirley White*  
Name: Shirley White  
Title: Secretary - *Assistant*  
Date: January 11, 2002