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DATE: February 6, 2002
TO: Docket File
FROM: Sally Simmons (Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement) *SAS*
Kimberley Peña (Office of General Counsel) *KMP*
RE: Docket No. 011496-TP - Petition by Verizon Florida Inc. for approval of amendment No.1 to adopted terms of interconnection agreement with NewSouth Communications Corporation.

By letter dated November 6, 2001, Verizon Florida Inc. filed a request for approval of an amendment to adopted terms of the interconnection agreement entered into between Verizon Florida Inc. and NewSouth Communications Corporation. 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 February 4, 2002.

Staff reviewed the agreement in this Docket on January 3, 2002. 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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