

1 **BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

2 **RE-FILED REBUTTAL TESTIMONY**

3 **OF**

4 **MICHAEL R. HUNSUCKER**

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7 **Q. Please state your name and business address.**

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9 **A. My name is Michael R. Hunsucker. I am Director-**
10 **Regulatory Policy, for Sprint Corporation. My**
11 **business address is 6360 Sprint Parkway, Overland**
12 **Park, Kansas 66251.**

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14 **Q. Are you the same Michael R. Hunsucker that filed direct**
15 **testimony in Phase II of this proceeding?**

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17 **A. Yes, I am.**

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19 **Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?**

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21 **A. The purpose of my testimony is to provide rebuttal**
22 **testimony on behalf of Sprint Corporation to the**

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1 testimonies of Verizon witness Edward C. Beauvais, PH.D.
2 and BellSouth witness John Ruscilli.

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4 **ISSUE 13 :How should a "local calling area" be defined, for**
5 **purposes of determining the applicability of**
6 **reciprocal compensation?**

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8 **Q. BellSouth (Direct Testimony of John Ruscilli, page 12,**
9 **lines 12-22) suggests that "local calling area"**
10 **should be "defined as mutually agreed to by the**
11 **parties...". Do you believe that the definition of**
12 **"local calling area" is best left to the negotiation**
13 **process?**

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15 **A. No, I do not. Based on Sprint's experiences, both as**
16 **an ILEC and an ALEC, this is one of the most**
17 **contentious areas of the negotiation process. Sprint**
18 **believes that the industry is best served by the**
19 **Commission adoption of a minimum standard for the**
20 **definition of a "local calling area". As I stated in**
21 **my direct testimony, Sprint believes that the "local**
22 **calling area" should be based on the ILEC's local**
23 **calling scope, including any non-optional or mandatory**
24 **EAS. This definition would be used to define what is**

1 local versus non-local for reciprocal compensation
2 purposes only. This is not intended to place any
3 restrictions on an ALECs ability to define its own
4 retail local calling area for pricing its services to
5 its end users. This definition would be limited to the
6 application of reciprocal compensation for the
7 termination and transport of local traffic.

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9 **Q. Does that conclude your testimony?**

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11 **A. Yes.**

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