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Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director
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Dear Ms. Bayó:

On October 13, 2000, Verizon Florida Inc. filed a petition for a declaratory statement regarding the application of regulatory assessment fees on directory advertising revenues of its affiliate Verizon Directories Corp. In Order No. PSC-01-0097-DS-TL, Docket No. 001556-TL, the Commission found that the subject revenues should be imputed to Verizon and that Verizon should continue to pay regulatory assessment fees on those revenues. The Supreme Court of Florida, No. SC01-323, reversed the Commission's order based on Section 364.051, which exempts price cap ILECs from 364.037.

Sprint submits that it is operating under similar conditions as those cited by the Court in the Verizon appeal and that Sprint will not include directory advertising revenues in its future regulatory assessment fee filings. Please advise if the Commission believes Sprint needs to take any action other than this notification prior to implementing this change in reporting its regulatory assessment fees.

Sincerely,

F. Ben Poag
Director - Regulatory Affairs

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