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Re: Application for Authority to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service  
Between Points Within The State of Florida.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed within this package please find one (1) original and six (6) complete copies of an Application for Approval for Stel International Inc. ("STEL") to provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service in the State of Florida.

Exhibit 4 to the Application, the financial statements of Stel, contains confidential and proprietary information and has been filed in a separate envelope marked Confidential. This proprietary information is fundamental to Stel's plan to offer services and undertake operations in the State of Florida. Therefore, the information set forth in Exhibit 4 derives significant economic value from not being disclosed to the public and, more importantly, Stel's competitors may gain significant economic benefit in the event that such information is disclosed. Therefore Stel requests that Exhibit 4 be kept confidential and not disclosed to the public.

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Also enclosed within the package is a check for \$250.00 dollars payable to the Florida Public Service Commission, for the required application fee. In addition, we have included within this package an additional photocopy of the Application. Please date-stamp and return the photocopy to us using the enclosed self-addressed envelope.

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