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Ms. Blanca Bayo', Director Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

RE: Docket Nos. 981834 & 990321-TP

Dear Ms. Bayo':

Enclosed for filing are the original and 15 copies of Sprint's Request for Confidential Classification. Copies are being served on the parties in this docket, pursuant to the attached Certificate of Service.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by stamping and initialing a copy of this letter and returning same to the courier. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 850/599-1560.

Sincerely,

Susan S. Masterton

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail & U.S. mail this 15th day of September, 2003 to the following:

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Competitive Carriers for Commission action to support local competition in BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s service territory. DOCKET NO. 981834-TP

In re: Petition of ACI Corp. d/b/a Accelerated Connections, Inc. for generic investigation to ensure that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., Sprint-Florida, Incorporated, and GTE Florida Incorporated comply with obligation to provide alternative local exchange carriers with flexible, timely, and cost-efficient physical collocation.

DOCKET NO. 990321-TP

Filed: September 15, 2003

Sprint's Request for Confidential Classification Pursuant to Section 364.183(1), Florida Statutes

Sprint-Florida, Incorporated (hereinafter "Sprint") hereby requests that the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") classify certain documents and/or records identified herein as confidential, exempt from public disclosure under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes and issue any appropriate protective order reflecting such a decision. Sprint previously filed a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification on August 18, 2003 for this information and now files this Request for Confidential Classification pursuant to the requirements of Rule 25-22.006, F.A.C.

The information that is the subject of this request is information relating to vendor specific pricing information, the disclosure of which would impair Sprint's ability to contract for goods and services on favorable terms. The information was previously filed, under seal, with the Division of Records and Reporting.

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- 1. The following documents or excerpts from documents are the subject of this request:

 Highlighted information in responses to Staff Interrogatory No. 79(c) and (d)

 Highlighted information in response to Staff POD No. 62.
- 2. Two redacted copies of the Responses are attached to this request. One highlighted unredacted copy of the confidential information was previously filed on August 18, 2003, under seal with the Division of Records and Reporting, pursuant to a Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification.
- 3. The information for which the Request is submitted is vendor specific pricing information, the disclosure of which would impair Sprint's ability to contract for goods or services on favorable terms. Specific justification for confidential treatment is set forth in Attachment A.
- 4. Section 364.183(3), F.S., provides:
 - (3) The term "proprietary confidential business information" means information, regardless of form or characteristics, which is owned or controlled by the person or company, is intended to be and is treated by the person or company as private in that the disclosure of the information would cause harm to the ratepayers or the person's or company's business operations, and has not been disclosed unless disclosed pursuant to a statutory provision, an order of a court or administrative body, or private agreement that provides that the information will not be released to the public. The term includes, but is not limited to:
 - (a) Trade Secrets.
 - (b) Internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors.
 - (c) Security measures, systems, or procedures.
 - (d) Information concerning bids or other contractual data, the disclosure of which would impair the efforts of the company or its affiliates to contract for goods or services on favorable terms.
 - (e) Information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of information.

- (f) Employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, duties, qualifications, or responsibilities.
- 5. The subject information has not been publicly released. Furthermore, release of the information could impair the company's ability to contract for goods or services on favorable terms.

Based on the foregoing, Sprint respectfully requests that the Commission grant the Request for Confidential Classification, exempt the information from disclosure under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes and issue any appropriate protective order, protecting the information from disclosure while it is maintained at the Commission.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 15th day of September 2003.

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ATTACHMENT A

Document and page and line numbers	Justification for Confidential Treatment
Intrg. No. 79 Highlighted information in response to subparts (c) and (d).	Contains vendor specific pricing information the disclosure of which would affect Sprint's ability to contract for goods or services on favorable terms. (Section 364.183 (3)(d), F.S.)
POD No. 62, Attachment 62- C-1, column 3, lines 1-14	Contains vendor specific pricing information the disclosure of which would affect Sprint's ability to contract for goods or services on favorable terms. (Section 364.183 (3)(d), F.S.)