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Re: Docket No. 030851-TP

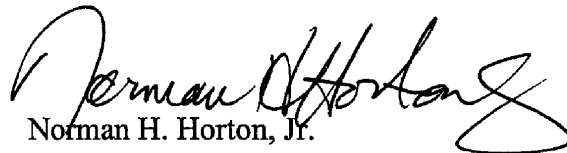
Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Xspedius Communications, LLC are an original and fifteen copies of Xspedius Communications, LLC's Petition to Intervene in the above referenced docket.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the same to me.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

Sincerely yours,


Norman H. Horton, Jr.

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Enclosures

cc: James C. Falvey, Esq.
Parties of Record

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Implementation of requirements arising)
from Federal Communications Commission's)
triennial UNE review: Local Circuit Switching)
for Mass Market Customers)
_____)

Docket No. 030851-TP
Filed: October 15, 2003

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Parent company Xspedius Communications, LLC on behalf of it operating affiliates, Xspedius Management Co. of Jacksonville, LLC and Xspedius Management Co. Switched Services, LLC (“Xspedius”), pursuant to Rules 25-22.039 and 28-106.205, Florida Administrative Code, hereby requests leave to intervene in this proceeding, and as grounds therefore states:

1. Xspedius is a telecommunications company lawfully doing business in the State of Florida whose regulated operations are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission pursuant to Chapter 364, Florida Statutes.
2. Xspedius’ principal place of business is 5555 Winghaven Blvd., Suite 300, O’Fallon, MO 63366. Pleadings, orders, notices and other papers filed or served in this matter should be served upon:

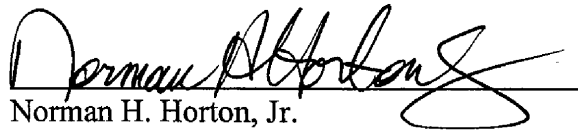
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3. Xspedius is a competitive local exchange company (“CLEC”) that provides local exchange service in the State of Florida. The scope of this docket and the ultimate resolution of the

issues set forth by the FCC for consideration in this proceeding will have a direct and immediate impact on the ability of a CLEC, including Xspedius, to compete for local exchange service customers. As such, the resolution of the issues in this docket will affect the substantial interests of Xspedius and its business operations in the State of Florida.

WHEREFORE, Xspedius respectfully requests that the Commission grant the Company leave to intervene for all legal purposes in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 15th October, 2003.



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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been served on the following parties by U. S. Mail this 15th day of October, 2003.

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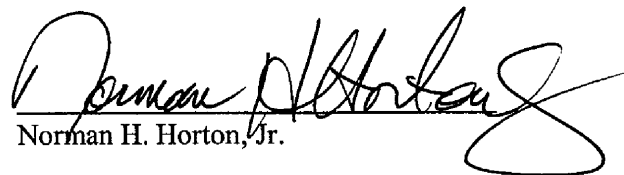
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