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## VIA HAND DELIVERY

Linda Dodson  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Re: Docket No. 030467-TP, Sprint/XO arbitration

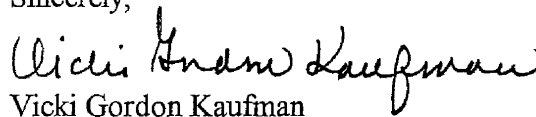
Dear Linda:

As you know, on May 29, 2003, XO Florida, Inc. (XO) filed a Petition for Arbitration with Sprint-Florida, Incorporated (Sprint). Prior to the testimony filing deadlines, the parties agreed to settle the case. The parties filed a Joint Motion for Extension of Time to enable them to work on the details of the settlement. That motion was granted in Order No. PSC-03-1093-PCO-TP, which suspends the procedural dates.

On October 24, 2003, pursuant to the parties' settlement, Sprint filed a Notice of adoption by XO Florida, Inc. of the interconnection, unbundling, and resale agreement, and amendment, between Sprint-Florida, Incorporated and Level 3 Communications, LLC, Docket No. 031002-TP. This adoption resolves the issues in the arbitration. However, because it is the Commission's procedure to wait for the expiration of the 90-day time limit in section 252(e)(4) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 before approving or allowing an adoption to go into effect, XO requests that its arbitration docket with Sprint simply be held in abeyance until that time. We believe that for reasons of efficiency and fairness and because the issues raised in XO's Petition remain concerns until the new Interconnection Agreement is effective, withdrawal should not take place until the new Interconnection Agreement is effective. Upon the approval of Interconnection Agreement, XO will withdraw its Arbitration Petition.

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

  
Vicki Gordon Kaufman

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