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#### VIA HAND DELIVERY

Blanca S. Bayo, Director Division of Records and Reporting **Betty Easley Conference Center** 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870

Docket No.: 030851-TP Re:

Dear Ms. Bayo:

On behalf of the Florida Competitive Carriers Association (FCCA) enclosed for filing and distribution are the original and 15 copies of the following:

> Objections of the Florida Competitive Carriers Association to Staff's Fifth Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 48-61)

Please acknowledge receipt of the above on the extra copy of and return the stamped copies to me. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Vicki Gordon Kaufman

**Enclosures** 

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#### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Implementation of requirements arising From Federal Communications Commission

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For Mass Market Customers

Docket No. 030851-TP

Filed: February 9, 2004

# FLORIDA COMPETITIVE CARRIERS ASSOCIATION'S OBJECTIONS TO STAFF'S FIFTH SET OF INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 48 – 61)

The Florida Competitive Carriers Association (FCCA), pursuant to Rules 1.280, 1.340, Florida Rules of Civil Procedure, and Rule 28.106-206, Florida Administrative Code, hereby files the following General Objections Staff's Fitth Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 48 - 61).

#### **GENERAL OBJECTIONS**

- 1. The FCCA objects to the interrogatories to the extent they seek to impose an obligation on the FCCA to respond on behalf of persons that are not parties to this case on the grounds that such interrogatories are overly broad, unduly burdensome, oppressive, and not permitted by applicable discovery rules.
- 2. The FCCA objects to the interrogatories to the extent they are intended to apply to matters other than those subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission. The FCCA objects to such interrogatories as being irrelevant, overly broad, unduly burdensome, and oppressive.
- 3. The FCCA objects to each and every interrogatory and instruction to the extent that such request or instruction calls for information that is exempt from discovery by virtue of the attorney-client privilege, work product privilege, or other applicable privilege.
- 4. The FCCA objects to each and every interrogatory insofar as the interrogatories are vague, ambiguous, overly broad, imprecise, or utilize terms that are subject to multiple interpretations but are not properly defined or explained for purposes of these interrogatories.

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Any answers provided by the FCCA in response to the interrogatories will be provided subject to, and without waiver, of the foregoing objection.

- 5. The FCCA objects to each and every interrogatory insofar as it is not relevant to the subject matter of this action and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. The FCCA will attempt to note in its responses each instance where this objection applies.
- 6. The FCCA objects to providing information to the extent that such information is already in the public record before the Commission or in Staff's possession.
- 7. The FCCA objects to Staff's discovery requests, instructions and definitions, insofar as they seek to impose obligations on the FCCA that exceed the requirements of the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure and Florida Law.
- 8. The FCCA objects to each and every interrogatory insofar as any of them are unduly burdensome, expensive, oppressive, or excessively time consuming as written.
- 9. The FCCA objects to each and every interrogatory to the extent that the interrogatories would require disclosure of information that constitutes "trade secrets" pursuant to Section 90.506 and/or proprietary confidential business information.
- 10. The FCCA objects to any discovery request that seeks to obtain "all" of particular documents, items, or information to the extent that such requests are overly broad and unduly burdensome. Any answers provided by the FCCA in response to this discovery will be provided subject to, and without waiver of, the foregoing objection.
- 11. The FCCA objects to any discovery request that is not limited in time or is not limited to a period of time that is relevant to the issues before the Commission and/or reasonably related to Staff's legitimate discovery needs.

12. The FCCA objects to any discovery request that would require the FCCA to seek information not in its possession or control or create documents for the purpose of responding to the interrogatories insofar as such requests seek to impose obligations on the FCCA that exceed the requirements of the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure and Florida Law.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

- I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing the Florida Competitive Carriers Association's Objections to Staff's Fifth Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 48 61) has been provided by (\*) hand delivery, (\*\*) email, and U.S. Mail this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 2004, to the following:
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