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Re: Docket No. 030301-TP

Petition by Mpower Communications, Corp. and Florida Digital Network, Inc. for expedited temporary and permanent relief against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for alleged anticompetitive conduct regarding Florida Digital Network, Inc.'s proposed acquisition of assets and customer base of Mpower Communications Corp.

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Order No. PSC-04-0062-PCO-TP, issued on January 22, 2004, in the above captioned docket, requires that the parties file a written update of the status of settlement negotiations on this date. Please be advised that BellSouth has forwarded the settlement documents to FDN Communications and MPower Communications Corp. for their review. It is my understanding that there are one or two issues that remain to be addressed. The parties will keep the Commission advised.

A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return a copy to me. Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached certificate of service.

Sincerely,

MMCyB White Nancy B. White

**Enclosures** 

cc: All Parties of Record Marshall M. Criser III R. Douglas Lackey

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE DOCKET NO. 030301-TP

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via

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