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December 8, 2004

VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Blanca Bayo, Director Division of the Commission Clerk & Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

> Re: Compliance Investigation of InterCept Communications Technologies, Inc. for Apparent Violation of Rule 25-4.0161, FAC, Regulatory Assessment Fees; Telecommunications Companies, Docket No. 040847-TX

Dear Ms. Bayo:

We are counsel for InterCept Communications Technologies, Inc. ("InterCept"). InterCept is a Georgia corporation headquartered at 3150 Holcomb Bridge Road, Suite 200, Norcross, Georgia 30071. InterCept was issued certificate number 7062 by the Florida Public Service Commission (the "Commission") to provide local telecommunications services in Florida in Docket No. 990541 on August 3, 1999 (the "CLEC Certificate"). In addition, InterCept was issued certificate number 7282 to provide interexchange services in Florida in Docket No. 990659.

This correspondence regards Order No. PSC-04-1145-PAA-TX issued on November 18, 2004 in Docket No. 040847-TX. InterCept respectfully protests the Order and hereby offers to settle all of the applicable compliance issues raised in Docket No. 040847-TX, as further discussed below.

Despite having received the CLEC Certificate in 1999, InterCept never commenced the provision of telecommunications services in Florida (or in any other state). Because its business plans changed before it began provisioning any telecommunications services, InterCept took steps to affirmatively cancel its certificates in all other states in which InterCept had been certificated to provide telecommunications services, and was under the mistaken belief that the CLEC Certificate already had been cancelled. As such, InterCept believed in good faith that it was no longer obligated to comply with the requirements discussed in Docket No. 040847-TX.

InterCept hereby offers to settle the issues raised in Docket No. 040847-TX by (i) voluntarily canceling the CLEC Certificate, and (ii) remitting the applicable 2003 and 2004 Regulatory Assessment Fees, including statutory penalties and interest. InterCept respectfully requests that the DOCUMENT NUMBER-CATE

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Commission accept its proposal to voluntarily cancel the CLEC Certificate in lieu of assessing any fines sought in Docket No. 040847-TX. Toward this end, InterCept is enclosing its 2003 and 2004 Regulatory Assessment Fee returns, along with full payment.

Enclosed are the original and sixteen (16) copies of this letter. Please file the letter in your usual fashion and return one (1) file-stamped copy to us in the enclosed, pre-addressed envelope. If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Hudak Counsel for InterCept Communications Technologies, Inc.

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Enc.

 cc: Paula Isler, Florida Public Service Commission (with enclosure)
 InterCept Communications Technologies, Inc. (with enclosure)

TO AVOID PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES, THE REGULATORY ASSESSMENT FEE RETURN MUST BE FILED ON OR BEFORE 01/30/2004 Competitive Local Exchange Company Regulatory Assessment Fee Return

STATUS:	Florida Public Service Commission (See Filing Instructions on Back of Form)	FOR PSC USE ONLY Check#
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01/01/2003 TO 12/31/2003	Docket No. 040847-TX (Isler)	Postmark Date Initials of Preparer

Please Complete Below If Official Mailing Address Has Changed

	(Name of Company)	(Address)	(City/State)	(Zip)
		FLORDA		
INE NO	ACCOUNT CLASSIFICATION	GROSS OPERATING REVENUE	INTRASTATE REVENUE	
1.	Basic Local Services	\$	\$	
2.	Long Distance Services (IntraLATA only)**			
3.	Access Services			
4.	Private Line Services			
5.	Leased Facilities & Circuits Services			
6.	Miscellaneous Services			<u>.</u>
7.	TOTAL REVENUES		s <u> 0 </u>	. <u>.</u>
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	Interest for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by	y Due Date" on back)	5.5	
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(Name of Company)	(Address)	(City/State) (Zip)
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6.	Miscellaneous Services	
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7.	TOTAL REVENUES	eU
8.	LESS: Amounts Paid to Other Telecommunications Companies* (see "2. Fees" on back)	
9.	Net Intrastate Operating Revenue for Regulatory Assessment Fee Calculation (Line 7 less Line 8)	0
10.	Regulatory Assessment Fee Due (Multiply Line 9 by 0.0015)	50.00
11.	Penalty for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by Due Date" on back)	
12.	Interest for Late Payment (see "3. Failure to File by Due Date" on back)	
13.	TOTAL AMOUNT DUE	\$ 50.00

These amounts must be intrastate only and must be verifiable.
 Other long distance revenue must be listed on the Interexchange Regulatory Assessment Fee Return.

AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 364.336, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE MINIMUM ANNUAL FEE IS \$50

() Facilities-Based Provider	CURRENT COMPANY STATUS ()Reseller (X)Other: <u>Does not provide t</u> eleco servic	
Complete below if billing agent if other than yourself.	BILLING INFORMATION	()
(Name)	(Address: City/State/Zip)	(Telephone)
Do you lease telecommunications' facilities? () YES If YES, who do you lease these facilities from? Name:	COMPANY INFORMATION	
	pany, have read the foregoing and declare that to the best of my knowledge and Florida Statutes, whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the of the second degree.	
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(Signature of Company Official)		(Date)
Jonathan R. COE (Preparer of Form - Please Print Nam	(e) Telephone Number $770, 248-960\rho_{ax N}$ F.E.L No. 58-2456007	umber (70, 242–6803