

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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JANUARY 4, 2005

RE: Docket No. 040763-TP - Request for submission of proposals for relay service, beginning in June 2005, for the hearing and speech impaired, and other implementation matters in compliance with the Florida Telecommunications Access System Act of 1991.

Issue 1: Should the Commission select Sprint as the relay service provider and direct the Commission's Executive Director to: (1) issue the attached letter of intent (Attachment A, Page 9 of staff's December 21, 2004 memorandum) notifying all bidders of the Commission's decision to award a three-year contract to Sprint to be the provider of the statewide telecommunications relay service in Florida; and (2) finalize and sign a contract with Sprint to provide the Florida Relay Service?

Recommendation: Yes. Based upon the RFP evaluation process, the Commission should select Sprint as the relay provider and direct the Commission's Executive Director to: (1) issue the letter of intent notifying all bidders that Sprint has been awarded a three-year contract as the provider of the statewide telecommunications relay service in Florida; and (2) finalize and sign a contract with Sprint to provide the Florida Relay Service.

**APPROVED**

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

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DISSENTING

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: No. This docket should remain open for the life of the contract.

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