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BEFORE THE
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Application of)

Matrix Telecom, Inc.)

For a Certificate of Pubic Convenience and)
Necessity to Resell Local Exchange)
Telecommunications Services within the State)
of Florida)

Application No.

050200-T4

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE
FINANCIAL INFORMATION UNDER SEAL OF CONFIDENTIALITY**

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Matrix Telecom, Inc. (“Matrix”), hereby respectfully requests that the confidential financial information provided in accord with its application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of local exchange telecommunications services within the State of Florida be filed under seal of confidentiality and withheld from public inspection. The financial information which Matrix seeks to file under seal of confidentiality has been placed in a sealed envelope, marked “Confidential Information Subject to Protective Order” and is attached to the instant Motion.

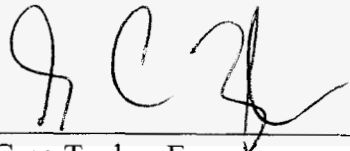
Matrix is a privately-held company. The information produced as part of Matrix’s concurrently-filed application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity that has been identified by Matrix as “confidential” should not be open to public inspection, because it contains detailed information of a confidential nature regarding Matrix’s financial condition. Release of this information to the public is not essential to the Commission’s review of Matrix’s concurrently-filed application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of local exchange telecommunications services, and public disclosure of its contents would place the applicant at an unfair business disadvantage.

Public disclosure of the information contained in herein that Matrix has identified as confidential would reveal information to the public and Matrix's actual and potential competitors regarding Matrix's cash position, liabilities, revenues, expenses, and other data which Matrix considers highly proprietary and confidential. Public disclosure of such information would materially damage Matrix's competitive and financial positions, and would place Matrix in an unfair competitive disadvantage because Matrix does not have access to similar information of its competitors. Additionally, it is Matrix's general practice to disclose the information provided in its financial statements only to parties who have entered into a confidentiality agreement with Matrix.

For the reasons stated herein, Matrix submits that good cause exists for the Commission to permit the financial information contained herein and submitted with its application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of local exchange telecommunications services within the State of Florida that has been identified by Matrix as "confidential" to be filed under seal of confidentiality and withheld from public inspection.

WHEREFORE, Matrix respectfully requests that its Motion for leave to file financial information under seal of confidentiality be granted.

Respectfully submitted,
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COMMISSION’S RULING

Matrix Telecom, Inc. (“Matrix”) moves for a ruling that the financial information filed under seal in the above-captioned proceeding be accorded confidential treatment and withheld from public inspection. Good cause having been shown, the motion shall be granted

Now, therefore, **IT IS RULED** that:

The financial information filed under seal in the above-captioned proceeding shall remain under seal, and shall not be made accessible or be disclosed to persons other than Commission staff, except on the further Order/Ruling of the Commission, the Assigned Commission, the Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) to whom the application is assigned or the ALJ then designated as Law and Motion Judge.

Dated _____, 2005.

Florida Public Service Commission