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Ms. Ann Cole Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850 COTHINISSION CLERK

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Re:

Approval of Interconnection, Unbundling, Collocation and Resale Agreement with Bright Networks Information Services (Florida), LLC

Dear Ms. Cole:

Please find enclosed for approval and filing the original and two copies of the Interconnection, Unbundling, Resale and Collocation Agreement between Embarq Florida, Inc. and Bright Networks Information Services (Florida), LLC.

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact me at 850-599-1560.

Sincerely,

Susan S. Masterton

cc: Bright House Services Information (Florida), LLC

12973 Telecom Parkway, Suite #200

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Tampa, Florida 33637

Attention: Carrie Management – Marva Brown Johnson

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INTERCONNECTION and COLLOCATION AGREEMENT FOR THE STATE OF FLORIDA

BETWEEN

Bright House Networks Information Services (Florida), LLC

AND

Embarq Florida, Inc.

Effective: April 1, 2007 Expires: January 18, 2009

INTERCONNECTION and COLLOCATION AGREEMENT

This Interconnection and Collocation Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by and between **Bright House Networks Information Services (Florida)**, **LLC**, a Delaware limited liability company ("CLEC"), and **Embarq Florida**, **Inc.**, a Florida corporation ("Embarq"), herein referred to collectively herein as "the Parties", to establish the rates, terms and conditions for local interconnection and purchase of unbundled network elements for the State of **Florida**.

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

1. ADOPTED AGREEMENT

- This Agreement between the Parties shall consist of the Interconnection and Collocation Agreement for the State of Florida entered into by and between Comcast Phone of Florida, LLC d/b/a/ Comcast Digital Phone and Embarq Florida, Inc. dated January 19, 2007, as filed with the appropriate state regulatory authority ("Adopted Agreement"), and as amended herein.
- 1.2 This Agreement is made a part of and incorporates the terms and conditions of the Adopted Agreement.
- 1.3 Except as set forth herein, the Adopted Agreement remains unchanged and in full force and effect. In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Adopted Agreement and this Agreement, this Agreement will control.
- 1.4 This Agreement shall supersede and replace in full any and all prior agreements, written and oral, between CLEC and Embarq pertaining to the subject matter hereof, applicable to the State of Florida.

2. PARTIES

For the purposes of this Agreement, Bright House Networks Information Services (Florida), LLC, is hereby substituted in the Adopted Agreement for Comcast Phone of Florida, LLC d/b/a/ Comcast Digital Phone. Embarq Florida, Inc., shall remain as the other Party to the Adopted Agreement.

3. TERM

This Agreement shall become effective on **April 1**, 2007, and, unless earlier terminated in accordance with its terms, shall continue in force until **January 18**, 2009, which corresponds with the End Date of the Adopted Agreement.

4. NOTICES

Except as otherwise provided, all notices and communication hereunder will be deemed to have been duly given when made in writing and delivered in person or deposited in the U.S. mail, certified, postage paid, return receipt requested, and addressed as follows:

To CLEC:

Bright House Networks Information Services (Florida), LLC 12973 Telecom Parkway, Suite #200

Tampa, Florida 33637

Attention: Carrier Management – Marva Brown Johnson

AND

Sabin, Bermant & Gould, LP Four Times Square, 23rd Floor New York, NY 10036 Attn: Cody J. Harrison

To Embarq:

Director, Contract Management KSOPKB0402-4600 9300 Metcalf Overland Park, Kansas 66212

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, CLEC and Embarq have caused this Agreement to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives.

CLEC:	Embarq:
Bright House Networks Information	Embarq Florida, Inc.
Services (Florida), LLC By: Leo Lou	By: hm & h
Name: <u>Leo Cloutier</u>	Name: William E. Cheek
Title: VP, Strategy & Partnerships	Title: President, Wholesale Markets
Date: 4/5/07	Date: 4/10/07
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