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Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Embarq Florida, Inc. is the original confidential final report regarding collection of the 2004 Storm Cost Recovery Surcharge authorized in this docket.

Embarq considers the data provided in this report to be proprietary and is filing it under a claim of confidential treatment pursuant to 364.183(1), Florida Statutes and Rule 25.22.006(5), Florida Administrative Code. In that regard, enclosed is the material which

Embarq claims is confidential and proprietary in its entirety.

This information is highly sensitive, confidential proprietary business information concerning the amount Embarq recovered each month from basic services for the 24 month period as approved by the Commission for the 2004 Storms.

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records Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by stamping and initialing a copy of this letter and returning same to the courier. Copies of the redacted report are being served on the parties in this docket pursuant to the attached certificate of service. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 850/599-1560.

Sincerely,

Susan S. Masterton

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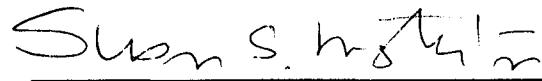
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DATE: November 1, 2007

TO: Embarq

FROM: Ruth Nettles, Office of Commission Clerk

RE: **Acknowledgement of Receipt of Confidential Filing**

This will acknowledge receipt of a **CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT** filed in Docket Number 050374-TL or, if filed in an undocketed matter, concerning Final Report regarding collection of the 2004 Storm Cost Recovery Surcharge, and filed on behalf of Embarq. The document will be maintained in locked storage.

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