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

**RE: Tropical Storm Fay** 

Dear Ms. Cole:

Pursuant to Windstream Florida's Service Guarantee Program (SGP) approved by the Florida Public Service Commission, (See Order No. PSC-06-0424-PAA-TP in Docket No. 050938-TP, dated May 19, 2006) Windstream Florida hereby invokes Force Majeure in its service territory for the period of August 21, 2008 through August 28, 2008 due to Tropical Storm Fay.

Windstream specifically request relief from the provisions of its SGP for that period of time due to the extraordinary circumstances created by Tropical Storm Fay.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please call me or Robert Kelly at (386) 364-2468.

Sincerely.

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