

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 2

VOTE SHEET

September 7, 2017

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Docket No. 20170039-TP – Request for submission of proposals for relay service, beginning in March 2018, for the deaf, hard of hearing, deaf/blind, or speech impaired, and other implementation matters in compliance with the Florida Telecommunications Access System Act of 1991.

Issue 1: Who should be awarded the Florida relay service provider contract?

Recommendation: Based upon the RFP evaluation process, staff recommends that the Commission select Sprint as the relay service provider and direct the Commission's Executive Director or designee to: (1) issue the attached letter of intent to Sprint and Hamilton Relay (Attachment A of staff's memorandum dated August 24, 2017); (2) provide notice on the Florida Department of Management Services Vendor Bid System of the Commission's decision to award a three-year contract to Sprint to provide the statewide telecommunications relay service in Florida; and (3) finalize and sign a contract with Sprint to provide the Florida Relay Service.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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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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