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GTE Communications Corporation

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Daisy Crockron
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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO
180 East Broad Street
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Re: PUCO EAS Case No. 00-1151-TP-PEX
Pataskala to Newark Exchanges

Dear Ms. Crockron,

Enclosed for filing are an original and seven (7) copies of the Affidavit of Verizon Select Services Inc. (formerly GTE Long Distance) to be filed in the above-referenced matter.

Please call me at 972-465-4424 if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Patricia Heise de Barros
Manager - Regulatory Client Support

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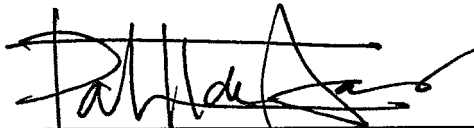
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In the Matter of the Petition of Stephen)
J. Butcher, Sr. and Numerous Other)
Subscribers of the Pataskala Exchange of)
United Telephone Company of Ohio)
d/b/a Sprint,)
Complainants,)
v.)
United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a)
Sprint and ALLTEL Ohio, Inc.)
Respondents,)
Relative to a Request for Extended Area)
Service Between the Pataskala Exchange of)
United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a)
Sprint and the Newark Exchange of ALLTEL)
Ohio, Inc.)

Case No. 00-1151-TP-PEX

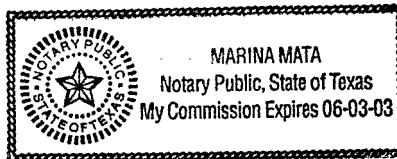
AFFIDAVIT OF VERIZON SELECT SERVICES INC.
(formerly known as GTE Long Distance, a division of GTE Communications Corporation)

Verizon Select Services Inc. hereby attests that it has supplied to the pertinent local exchange carrier the information requested by the Commission in this matter, including calling statistics.

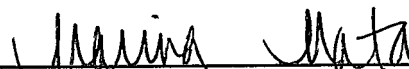


Patricia Heise de Barros
Assistant Secretary

STATE OF TEXAS }
 } ss
COUNTY OF DALLAS }



SWORN TO, and subscribed in my presence this 4th day of August, 2000.



Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that a copy of the foregoing was served upon the following, by First Class United States mail, postage prepaid, this 4th day of August, 2000.

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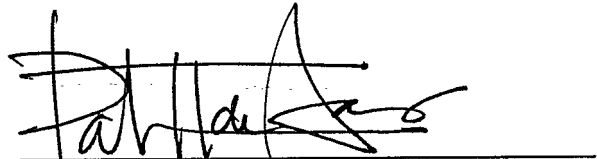
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