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Staff Manager, Wholesale Services Kentucky ALLTEL, Inc. One Allied Drive, Building IV Little Rock, Arkansas 72202

First Choice Technologies, Inc. Attention: O. V. Sparks 411 Ring Road Elizabethtown, Kentucky 42701

Re:

Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by Kentucky ALLTEL, Inc. and First Choice Technologies, Inc., Pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 -- PSC Reference No. 00665

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that Commission Staff has completed its review of your agreement submitted on December 10, 2003, and has concluded that it is in compliance with federal and state law and with previous Commission orders. Accordingly, it is unnecessary for Staff to refer this matter for formal Commission action. The agreement will be maintained in this office and, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 252, shall be effective on March 8, 2004.

If you have not already done so, the Commission requests that Kentucky ALLTEL submit the subject agreement in Microsoft® Word 97 format on 3.5-inch high-density diskette.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Jim Stevens at Extension 238.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas M. Dorman Executive Director

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