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Mr. Larry D. Callison Verizon South, Inc. Post Office Box 1650 Lexington, Kentucky 40588-1650

Direct2Internet Corporation Attention: Mr. Chris Bilander 3701 FAU Boulevard, Suite 210 Boca Raton, Florida 33431

Re:

Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by Verizon South, Inc.

and Direct2Internet Corporation, Pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 - PSC Reference No. 00273

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that Commission Staff has completed its review of your agreement submitted on February 7, 2001, 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 May 7, 2001.

If you have not already done so, the Commission requests that Verizon 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 Howell Brady at Extension 265.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas M. Dorman Executive Director

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