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Commonwealth of Kentucky Environmental and Public Protection Cabinet Public Service Commission

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April 21, 2004

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company Attention: Gary Peddicord 201 East Fourth Street, Room 102-1015 Cincinnati, Ohio 45201

Avika Communications, Inc. (f/k/a Best Communications) Attention: Alycia Hunter 158 East Market Street, Suite 801 Sandusky, Ohio 44870

Re:

Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company and Avika Communications, Inc. (f/k/a Best Communications), Pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 - PSC Reference No. 00392

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that Commission Staff has completed its review of your agreement submitted on April 5, 2004, 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 July 3, 2004.

If you have not already done so, the Commission requests that you 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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