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*In re: Petition Regarding Notice of Election of Interconnection Agreement by
Nextel South Corporation, TRA Docket No. 07-00161*

*In re: Petition Regarding Notice of Election of Interconnection Agreement by
Nextel Partners, TRA Docket No. 07-00162*

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At its September 24, 2007 Authority Conference, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA" or "Authority") ordered that the above-referenced dockets be held in abeyance pending a decision in Docket No. 07-00132, *In re: Petition for Sprint Communications Company L.P. and Sprint Spectrum L.P. d/b/a Sprint PCS for Arbitration of the Rates, Terms and Conditions of Interconnection with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Tennessee Southeast*. At its January 14, 2008 Authority Conference, the Authority approved the amendment to the interconnection agreement in Docket No. 07-00132.

In light of the recent decision in Docket No. 07-00132, the TRA requests that the parties provide a status update of their current positions in Docket Nos. 07-00161 and 07-00162 by February 7, 2008. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Rebecca S. Montgomery'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized 'M'.

Rebecca S. Montgomery
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