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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

FROM: Eve Moran, Administrative Law Judge

DATE: December 13, 2005

SUBJECT: Illinois Bell Telephone Company and Global Connection Inc. of America

Joint Petition for Approval of 3rd Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement dated November 3, 2005, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §252.

RECOMMENDATION: Enter the attached Order approving the 3rd Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement.

By joint petition filed on November 10, 2005, and pursuant to 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 763, Illinois Bell Telephone Company (“SBC Illinois”) and Global Connection Inc. of America (“Global”), request approval of the Illinois Commerce Commission (“Commission”) of a 3rd Amendment to their interconnection agreement (“Amendment”), that is dated November 3, 2005, and governed by Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (47 U.S.C. §§ 151 et seq.

Staff reviewed the instant Amendment and explained that the legal requirements are satisfied. For all the reasons set out in the Verified Statement of A. Olusanjo Omoniyi, Staff recommends approval.

The instant prepared Order agrees that the instant Amendment should be approved and further adopts Staff’s implementation proposals. Now, the ALJ recommends that the Commission adopt the attached Order as its own.

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