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VIA E-MAIL AND FEDERAL EXPRESS

December 5, 2003

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary Department of Telecommunications & Energy Commonwealth of Massachusetts One South Station, Fl. 2 Boston, Massachusetts 02110

Re: D.T.E. 03-60: Triennial Review Order Proceeding

Dear Ms. Cottrell:

Enclosed for filing in this matter are Sprint's responses to Conversent Communications' First Interrogatories to Sprint, CONV-SPRINT-1-1, 1-2.

Very truly yours,

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D.T.E. 03-60 Service List

BEFORE THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY

Sprint Communications Company L.P.'s Responses to Conversent Communications' First Set of Interrogatories

D.T.E. 03-60

Respondent: Mary Ellen Hassell

Title: Manager, State Regulatory

Date: December 5, 2003

CONV-SPRINT 1-1: For the routes specified below, please indicate if Sprint has deployed its own dark fiber dedicated transport, which may include dark fiber facilities that you have obtained on a long-term indefeasible - right of use (IRU) basis. To count as self-provisioned dark fiber you must have deployed dark fiber "along a given route between incumbent LEC switches or wire centers," the dark fiber must be "operationally ready to provide transport into or out of an ILEC central office," and such dark fiber must terminate at a collocation arrangement at each end of the transport route that is located at an incumbent LEC premises and in a similar arrangement at each end of the transport route that is not located at an incumbent LEC premises.

Wire Center 1	Wire Center 1 Name	Wire Center 2	Wire Center 2 Name
BSTNMABE	Boston Backbay	BSTNMAHA	Boston Harrison
BSTNMABO	Boston Bowdoin Sq.	CMBRMABE	Cambridge Tandem

Response: No, Sprint has not deployed its own fiber on these routes. Sprint has obtained the right to utilize dark fiber between the offices listed from a third party dark fiber vendor. These facilities are used to provide interexchange services only, not local exchange services.

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CONV-SPRINT 1-2: Has Sprint deployed its own dark fiber, including dark fiber that you have obtained from an entity other than the incumbent LEC, for any of the routes specified below and is Sprint operationally ready to lease or sell those facilities at wholesale? In order to answer affirmatively, you must be willing immediately to provide, on a widely available basis, dark fiber along the particular route between ILEC switches or wire centers. To answer affirmatively, the dark fiber must terminate in a collocation arrangement at each end of the transport route that is located at an incumbent LEC premises and in a similar arrangement at each end of the transport route that is not located at an incumbent LEC premises. If you do offer dark fiber dedicated transport at wholesale over your own facilities for any of these routes, please indicate the rates for such dark fiber dedicated transport.

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BSTNMABO	Boston Bowdoin Sq.	CMBRMABE	Cambridge Tandem

Response: No.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE D.T.E. 03-60

I, Mable L. Semple, certify that I served a true copy of Sprint Communications Company L.P.'s Information Requests to CLECs in D.T.E. 03-60 upon the following parties of record by first class mail, postage prepaid, or Federal Express Overnight Delivery.

Dated at Washington DC. December 5, 2003

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