May 1, 2001

Docket Control
Arizona Corporation Commission
1200 West Washington Street
Phoenix, AZ 85007-2996

RE: Docket No. T-00000D-00-0672

Dear Docket Clerk:

Enclosed you will find the original and 10 copies of Sprint Communications Company L.P.'s Application to Leave to Intervene in Docket No. T-00000D-00-0672.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Eric S. Heath

Enclosures
Pursuant to Arizona Administrative Code R14-3-105 Sprint Communications Company L.P. ("Sprint") hereby requests leave to intervene in this matter. In support of this request, Sprint states and alleges as follows:

1. Sprint Communications Company, L.P. provides inter- and intraLATA interexchange service throughout the United States and in international commerce and is certified to provide competitive local telecommunications service in several markets in the Qwest region, including Arizona.

2. As an interexchange carrier, Sprint must pay access charges to local exchange carriers such as Qwest, the incumbent local exchange carrier in Arizona.

3. Accordingly, Sprint has an interest in this proceeding, as it will be directly and substantially affected by the decisions rendered by the Commission herein.
WHEREFORE, Sprint requests the Arizona Corporation Commission issue an order granting Sprint leave to intervene and participate in this matter as a full party.

Dated this 1st day of May 2001 at San Francisco, California.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, KATHERINE M. McMAHON, hereby certify that I have this day served a true and correct copy of “Sprint Communications Company L.P.’s Application to Leave to Intervene” upon those parties shown below in Docket No. T-00000D-00-0672 by placing a copy thereof into the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid:

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