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RESOLUTION NUMBER R-284216 ADOPTED ON JUL 05 1994

WHEREAS, Teleport Communications Group ("TCG") has completed 9,600 fiber miles with an addition 68 to be completed by the end of the year and 13 sonnet rings creating a comprehensive, state-of-the art fiber optic network serving San Diego area business, educational and governmental communities; and

WHEREAS, TCG has developed interconnections with other networks in San Diego so that it can effectively serve all of the county from Oceanside, Escondido, El Cajon, Chula Vista and all areas inside the county borders; and

WHEREAS, TCG's linking of offices with classrooms, libraries and resource centers through advanced technology has created the potential to help free our local freeways of congestion; and

WHEREAS, TCG has assisted information intensive organizations achieve a high level of telecommunications diversity and security; and

WHEREAS, this advanced technology infrastructure will help the San Diego region become a competitive arena in which to locate business and industry; and

WHEREAS, this advanced technology has the potential to create more jobs in San Diego, resulting in a strong boost to economic development in both the region and the state; and

WHEREAS, in keeping with Mayor Susan Golding's City of the Future program, TCG worked with other local entities to quickly

advance this technology in our community, forming partnerships with Cox Cable, San Diego Gas & Electric, Times Mirror Cablevision, UCSD, and SDSU; and

WHEREAS, TCG has been able to expand fiber capacity to the full length of the county, from Chula Vista to the 78 Freeway; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby recognize the commitment that Teleport Communication Group has shown to The City of San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that July 7, 1994 be and is hereby proclaimed to be "TELEPORT COMMUNICATIONS GROUP DAY" in The City of San Diego.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Stuart H. Swett Senior Chief Deputy

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