## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for cancellation )
of Interexchange Certificate )
No. 2438 by US TELECOM, INC. )
d/b/a SPRINT GATEWAYS. )

DOCKET NO. 911224-TI
ORDER NO. PSC-92-0089-F0F-TI
ISSUED: 3/23/92

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman SUSAN F. CLARK J. TERRY DEASON BETTY EASLEY LUIS J. LAUREDO

## NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION

ORDER CANCELLING US TELECOM, INC. d/b/a SPRINT GATEWAYS'
IXC CERTIFICATE NO. 2438

BY THE COMMISSION:

NOTICE is hereby given by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are adversely affected files a petition for a formal proceeding, pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

US Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint Gateways (Sprint Gateways) and Sprint Communication Company Limited Partnership (Sprint) are subsidiaries of United Telecommunications, Inc. Both Sprint and Sprint Gateways are certificated as interexchange carriers (IXCs) in Florida.

Sprint Gateways was created as a separate entity to provide transport for 900 services and other information service providers. Sprint Gateways differed from the traditional IXC in that it did not propose to provide long distance service to residential and business customers. The 900-type service providers are data base content providers. These providers own a store of facts which they deliver to the public by some form of information transport that is usually furnished by an enhanced transport provider. Sprint Gateways resold the transport services of Sprint to provide 900-type services.

Sprint has decided to incorporate 900 services into its existing tariff. The existing Sprint Gateways' customers will be served in accordance with the terms and conditions of Sprint's 900 services tariff. As a result, Sprint Gateways has determined that DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

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its IXC Certificate will no longer be necessary. Hence, on December 23, 1991, Sprint Gateways applied to this Commission for cancellation of its IXC Certificate No. 2438.

We find that this request satisfies the requirements of Rule 25-24.514(2), Florida Administrative Code, which applies to such cancellations. As a result of cancelling Sprint Gateways' certificate, its tariff will also be cancelled. The cancellation of its certificate will in no way affect Sprint Gateways' obligation to pay any outstanding regulatory assessment fees to this Commission.

Therefore, based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that US Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint Gateways' Certificate No. 2438 is cancelled. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall be closed if no protest is filed in accordance with the requirements set forth below.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 23rd day of MARCH 1992

STAVE TRIBBLE, Director

Division of Records and Reporting

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## NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

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The action proposed herein is preliminary in nature and will not become effective or final, except as provided by Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code. Any person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed by this order may file a petition for a formal proceeding, as provided by Rule 25-22.029(4), Florida Administrative Code, in the form provided by Rule 25-22.036(7)(a) and (f), Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on 4/13/92

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become effective on the day subsequent to the above date as provided by Rule 25-22.029(6), Florida Administrative Code.

Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

If this order becomes final and effective on the date described above, any party adversely affected may request judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or by the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.