BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for review of proposed numbering plan relief for the 904 area code.

DOCKET NO. 990517-TL ORDER NO. PSC-99-1634-PCO-TL ISSUED: August 23, 1999

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

By Petition, Northeast Florida Telephone Company (NEFTC) has requested permission to intervene in this proceeding. NEFTC states that it is a small incumbent local exchange company (ILEC) that provides local exchange service in the existing 904 NPA (area code). Thus, NEFTC asserts that any decision in this proceeding will affect NEFTC's substantial interests.

Having reviewed the Petition, it appears that NEFTC's substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding. As an ILEC operating in the geographic area that is currently assigned the 904 area code at issue in this Docket, any decision we make in this proceeding will likely affect the operations of NEFTC. Therefore, the Petition shall be granted. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, NEFTC takes the case as it finds it.

Therefore, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the Petition for Leave to Intervene filed by Northeast Florida Telephone Company is hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED that all parties to this proceeding shall furnish copies of all testimony, exhibits, pleadings and other documents which may hereinafter be filed in this proceeding, to:

Deborah J. Nobles Northeast Florida Telephone P.O. Box 485 Macclenny, FL 32063-0485 J. Jeffry Wahlen Ausley & McMullen P.O. Box 391 Tallahassee, FL 32302

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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this <u>23rd</u> day of <u>August</u>, <u>1999</u>.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, 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 120.569(1), 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.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.