State of Florida



Public Service Commission

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DATE: May 9, 2000

TO: All Parties of Record

FROM: Tim Vaccatd, V Staff Counsel

RE: Docket No. 000500-TP - Petition by Rhythms Links Inc. for expedited arbitration award implementing line sharing with GTE Florida Incorporated.

Docket No. 000501-TP - Petition by Rhythms Links Inc. for expedited arbitration award implementing line sharing with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

VIA FAX

An informal conference in the above-referenced dockets will be held at the following time and place:

Thursday, May 11, 2000, 4:00 p.m. Room 390A Gerald Gunter Building 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida

The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss hearing schedules for these dockets and Rhythms Links Inc.'s pending motions for consolidation and bifurcation. Any person who is unable to attend may participate via telephone by dialing (850) 921-6433 or SUNCOM 291-6433 at the date and time specified above.

If you have any questions about this meeting, please call me at (850) 413-6181 or Calvin Favors at (850) 413-6560.

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