

STATE OF FLORIDA  
DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

GTE FLORIDA, INCORPORATED, )  
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 Petitioner, )  
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 vs. )  
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 FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE )  
 COMMISSION, )  
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 Respondent. )

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Case No. 99-5368RP

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, )  
 INC., )  
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 vs. )  
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 FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE )  
 COMMISSION, )  
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 Respondent. )

Case No. 99-5369RP

POST-HEARING ORDER

The parties are hereby notified that the Transcript of proceedings in this case was filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on May 10, 2000.

Pursuant to Rules 28-106.214, 28-106.215, and 28-106.216, Florida Administrative Code, and Section 120.569(2)(k), Florida Statutes, it is

ORDERED:

1. That all proposed findings of fact submitted by a party shall be written in separate consecutively numbered paragraphs.

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2. That each paragraph of proposed findings of fact shall be limited as far as is practicable to a single proposed fact or to proposed facts related to a single issue.

3. That proposed findings of fact shall be arranged in a logical order and to the extent practicable, proposed findings shall be arranged in the same sequence as the sequence in which the issues appear in the pleadings.

4. That proposed findings shall not be mere summaries of the testimony. Rather, the text of the proposed findings shall be a succinct statement of the actual, essential, relevant, material facts the party seeks to have found by the Administrative Law Judge. The parties shall avoid proposed findings which are subordinate, cumulative, immaterial, irrelevant, or unnecessary.

5. That each proposed finding shall be followed by citation (in parentheses) to the portions of the record which provide the basis for the proposed finding. In cases in which a transcript of the hearing has been prepared, citations to testimony shall be to pages of the transcript.

6. That proposed conclusions of law, proposed recommendations, and legal arguments shall not be commingled with proposed findings of fact and shall be labeled as such and shall be set forth in a separate section of any document which also contains proposed findings of fact. Similarly, all legal arguments shall be set forth in separate memorandum of law or in a separate section of any document which also contains proposed findings of fact, provided, however, that argument directly

related to the proposed findings of fact (such as argument as to the sufficiency of the evidence, the credibility of witnesses, and the resolution of conflicts in the evidence) may be either separately stated or included as footnotes to be proposed findings of fact.

DONE AND ORDERED this 19th day of May, 2000, in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

*Emel H. Powell*  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
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