BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

UNDOCKETED

IN RE: RULES 25-24.470-REGISTRATION REQUIRED; 25-24.511-APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE; 25-24.512-APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF SALE, ASSIGNMENT OR TRANSFER OF CERTIFICATE; 25-24.567-APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE; 25-24.569-APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF SALE, ASSIGNMENT OR TRANSFER OF CERTIFICATE; 25-24.720-APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE; 25-24.730-APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF SALE, ASSIGNMENT, OR TRANSFER OF CERTIFICATE; 25-24.810-APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE; 25-24.815-APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ASSIGNMENT OR TRANSFER OF CERTIFICATE

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT

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ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

ISSUED: <u>August 30, 2007</u>

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 120.54, Florida Statutes, that the Florida Public Service Commission staff has initiated the development of Rules 25-24.470, 25-24.511, 25-24.567, 25-24.569, 25-24.720, 25-24.730, 25-24.810, and 25-24.815, Florida Administrative Code, to amend provisions relating to registration required, application for certificate and application for approval of sale, assignment or transfer of certificate.

The attached Notice of Proposed Rule Development will appear in the September 7, 2007, edition of the Florida Administrative Weekly. If timely requested and not deemed unnecessary by the Commission, a rule development workshop will be held at a time and place that will be announced

The request must be submitted in writing to David E. Smith, Attorney Supervisor, Office of General Counsel, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, and should be submitted for receipt by the Commission no later than September 21, 2007.

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By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 30th day of August, 2007.

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Commission Clerk

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Notice of Development of Rulemaking

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RULE NO: RULE TITLE

25-24.470: Registration Required

25-24.511: Application for Certificate

25-24.512: Application for Approval of Sale, Assignment or Transfer of Certificate

25-24.567: Application for Certificate

25-24.569: Application for Approval of Assignment or Transfer of Certificate

25-24.720: Application for Certificate

25-24.730: Application for Approval of Sale, Assignment, or Transfer of Certificate

25-24.810: Application for Certificate

25-24.815: Application for Approval of Assignment or Transfer of Certificate

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the rule amendments is to reduce the number of copies of the documents and forms required by the rules that telephone companies must file with the Commission. The corresponding forms will likewise be amended to reflect the reduced number of copies required. Undocketed.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Number of paper copies of documents and forms that telephone companies must file with the Commission.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: 350.127(2)

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 364.02, 364.04, 364.32, 364.33, 364.335, 364.337, 364.3375, 364.345

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE WEEKLY.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Craig Hewitt, Division of Economic Regulation, 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850, (850) 413-6848, e-mail address: chewitt@psc.state.fl.us THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

25-24.470 Registration Required.

- (1) No Change.
- (2) An original and <u>two(2)</u>three (3) copies of the company's initial tariff shall be filed. The tariff filing shall conform to the requirements of Rule 25-24.485, F.A.C.
 - (3) (4) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.02, 364.04 FS.

History-New 2-23-87, Amended 8-25-05.

25-24.511 Application for Certificate.

- (1) No Change.
- (2) An applicant shall submit an application on Form PSC/CMP 32 (<u>xx/xx1/06</u>), entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Pay Telephone Service Within the State of Florida," which is incorporated into this rule by

reference and may be obtained from the Commission's Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A non-refundable application fee of \$250.00 must accompany the filing of all applications.

(3) An original and <u>one copytwo copies</u> of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.

(4) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.32, 364.33, 364.335, 364.337, 364.3375, 364.345 FS.

History-New 1-5-87, Amended 9-28-89, 4-7-91, 11-20-91, 12-21-92, 2-1-99, 1-5-06.

25-24.512 Application for Approval of Sale, Assignment or Transfer of Certificate.

- (1) No Change.
- (2) A person seeking to obtain a certificate by sale, assignment or transfer from the holder shall submit an application jointly with the certificate holder on Commission Form PSC/CMP 32 (xx/xx1/06), entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Pay Telephone Service Within the State of Florida". The application form may be obtained from the Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A nonrefundable application fee of \$250.00 must accompany the filing of all applications to cover processing costs. The Commission's acceptance of the application fee does not imply that the application for sale, assignment or transfer of a certificate will be granted.
- (3) An original and <u>one copytwo copies</u> of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.
 - (4) (5) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.32, 364.33, 364.335, 364.337, 364.3375, 364.345 FS.

History-New 1-5-87, Amended 5-15-89, 1-5-06.

25-24.567 Application for Certificate.

- (1) An applicant desiring to provide shared tenant service shall submit an application on Commission Form PSC/CMP 37 (xx/xx1/06), which is incorporated into this rule by reference. Form PSC/CMP 37 (xx/xx1/06), entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Shared Tenant Service Within the State of Florida," may be obtained by contacting the Commission's Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A non-refundable application fee of \$250.00 must accompany the filing of all applications.
- (2) An original and <u>one copytwo copies</u> of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.
 - (3) (4) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.33, 364.335, 364.339, 364.345 FS.

History-New 1-28-91, Amended 5-8-91, 11-20-91, 7-29-97, 1-5-06.

25-24.569 Application for Approval of Sale, Assignment or Transfer of Certificate.

(1) A company desiring to obtain a certificate by sale, assignment or transfer from the holder thereof shall submit an application jointly with the certificate holder on Commission Form PSC/CMP 37 (xx/xx1/06), which is incorporated into this rule by reference. Form PSC/CMP 37 (xx/xx1/06) is entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Shared Tenant Service Within the State of Florida." The application form may be obtained by contacting the Commission's Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A nonrefundable application fee of \$250.00

must accompany each application. The Commission's acceptance of the application fee does not imply that the application for sale, assignment or transfer of a certificate will be granted.

(2) An original and <u>one copytwo copies</u> of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.

(3) – (4) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.32, 364.33, 364.335, 364.337, 364.339, 364.345 FS.

History-New 1-28-91, Amended 11-20-91, 7-29-97, 1-5-06.

25-24.720 Application for Certificate.

- (1) An applicant seeking to provide Alternative Access Vendor service shall submit an application on Commission Form PSC/CMP 43 (xx/xx1/06), entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Alternative Access Vendor Service within the State of Florida," which is incorporated into this rule by reference. The form may be obtained from the Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A nonrefundable application fee of \$250.00 must accompany each application to cover processing costs. The Commission's acceptance of the application fee does not imply that a certificate will be granted.
- (2) An original and <u>one copytwo copies</u> of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.
 - (3) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.33, 364.335, 364.337, 364.345 FS.

History-New 1-8-95, Amended 1-5-06.

- 25-24.730 Application for Approval of Sale, Assignment, or Transfer of Certificate.
- (1) A person seeking to obtain a certificate by sale, assignment or transfer from the holder shall submit an application jointly with the certificate holder on Commission Form PSC/CMP 43 (xx/xx1/06) (entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Alternative Access Vendor Service within the State of Florida"). The application form may be obtained from the Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A nonrefundable application fee of \$250.00 must accompany each application to cover processing costs. The Commission's acceptance of the application fee does not imply that the application for sale, assignment or transfer of a certificate will be granted.
- (2) An original and <u>one copy</u>two copies of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.
 - (3) (4) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.32, 364.33, 364.335, 364.337, 364.345 FS.

History-New 1-8-95, Amended 1-5-06.

25-24.810 Application for Certificate.

(1) An applicant for a certificate shall submit an application on Form PSC/CMP 8-T (xx/xx1/06), which is incorporated into this rule by reference. Form PSC/CMP 8-T (xx/xx1/06), entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Competitive Local Exchange Service Within the State of Florida", may be obtained by contacting the Commission's Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A non-refundable application fee of \$400.00 must accompany the filing of each application.

(2) An original and <u>one copytwo copies</u> of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.335 FS.

History-New 12-27-95, Amended 1-5-06.

25-24.815 Application for Approval of Sale, Assignment or Transfer of Certificate.

- (1) A person obtaining a certificate by sale, assignment or transfer from the holder thereof shall submit jointly with the certificate holder an application on Form PSC/CMP 8-T (xx/xx1/06), which is incorporated into this rule by reference. Form PSC/CMP 8-T (xx/xx1/06), entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Competitive Local Exchange Service Within the State of Florida", may be obtained by contacting the Commission's Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement. A non-refundable application fee of \$400.00 must accompany the filing of each application.
- (2) An original and <u>one copytwo copies</u> of the application shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk.
 - (3) (5) No Change.

Specific Authority 350.127(2) FS.

Law Implemented 364.335, 364.345(2) FS.

History-New 12-27-95, Amended 1-5-06.