

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Investigation into the Cost)	DOCKET NO. 890833-EU
Effectiveness of Undergrounding)	ORDER NO. 22632
Electric Utility Lines.)	ISSUED: 3-2-90
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ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

On February 20, 1990, Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company (Southern Bell), pursuant to Rule 25-22.037, Florida Administrative Code, filed a Motion for Extension of Time in which to file testimony in the above-referenced docket. Testimony is due on March 1, 1990; Southern Bell seeks an extension until March 21, 1990.

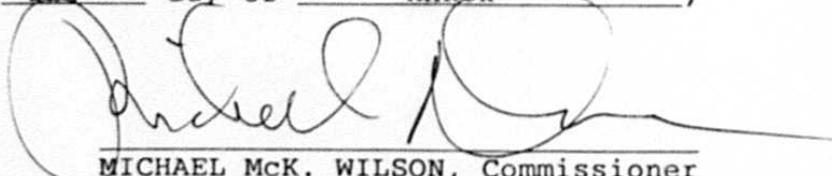
As grounds for its Motion, Southern Bell states that, because the docket was entitled "Investigation Into the Cost-Effectiveness of Underground Electric Utility Lines", it believed this docket would effect only electric companies, not telephone companies. Southern Bell has recently determined that this proceeding could potentially affect telephone companies such as Southern Bell and, as a result, moved to intervene on February 19, 1990, which Motion was granted on February 26, 1990.

We find that the CASR in this docket does not allow this late intervenor sufficient time to prepare its direct testimony, therefore, we will allow Southern Bell until March 19, 1990, the date rebuttal testimony is due, to file its direct testimony in this docket.

In consideration of the foregoing, it is

ORDERED that Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company's Motion for Extension of Time to file direct testimony is granted to the extent it has until March 19, 1990, to so file.

By ORDER of Commissioner Michael McK. Wilson, as Prehearing Officer, this 2nd day of MARCH, 1990.


 MICHAEL MCK. WILSON, Commissioner
 and Prehearing Officer

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