BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Amendment of Part V, Chapter 25-4.070, 25-4.071, 25-4.0751, and 25-4.077, F.A.C., pertaining to General Service provision, and Chapter 25-24.475, F.A.C., pertaining to Company Operations; Rules Incorporated.

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ORDER GRANTING PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL OF HEARING REQUEST

On December 22, 1989, this Commission published notice of rulemaking in the Florida Administrative Weekly. The proposed amendments involved several rules: Rule 25-4.070, F.A.C., regarding customer trouble reports; Rule 25-4.071, F.A.C., regarding adequacy of service; Rule 25-4.0751, F.A.C., regarding direct distance dialing; Rule 25-4.077, F.A.C., regarding metering and recording; and Rule 25-24.475, F.A.C., relating to company operations and rules incorporated.

On January 12, 1990, the Florida Pay Telephone Association (FPTA) filed written comments and a request for hearing. The main thrust of FPTA's comments was its concern that the proposed change to Rule 25-4.070 would permit local exchange telephone companies (LECs) to delay restoration of service to pay telephones requiring service on Sundays or holidays.

On February 15, 1990, FPTA filed a petition for withdrawal of its hearing request and submitted further comments, which essentially reiterate the original comments. No other interested persons have filed comments or requested a hearing. Since this matter can be efficiently disposed of by the Commission at agenda conference, I shall grant the petition.

In consideration of the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner Gerald L. Gunter, as prehearing officer that Florida Pay Telephone Association 's petition for withdrawal of its hearing request is hereby granted.

By ORDER of Gerald L. Gunter, Commissioner and Prehearing Officer, this 22nd day of ____FEBRUARY

GERALD L. CONTER, Commissioner and

Prehearing Officer

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