

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc. to lift
marketing restrictions imposed
by Order No. PSC-96-1569-FOF-TP.

DOCKET NO. 971399-TP
ORDER NO. PSC-99-0920-FOF-TP
ISSUED: May 10, 1999

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

JOE GARCIA, Chairman
J. TERRY DEASON
SUSAN F. CLARK
JULIA L. JOHNSON
E. LEON JACOBS, JR.

ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

On October 21, 1997, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth or the Company) filed a Petition to Lift the (intraLATA toll) Marketing Restrictions imposed by Order No. PSC-96-1569-FOF-TP, in Docket No. 930330-TP. On February 17, 1998, we issued Order No. PSC-98-0293-FOF-TP, denying the Joint Motion to Dismiss and setting the matter for hearing. On June 18, 1998, we conducted an evidentiary hearing to address the issues of whether the marketing restrictions should be lifted and what relief is due to BellSouth, if any.

On October 28, 1998, we issued Order No. PSC-98-1469-FOF-TP. In Order No. PSC-98-1469-FOF-TP, we granted BellSouth relief from the marketing restrictions on new customers as specified in Section III, Item 1, of Order No. PSC-96-1569-FOF-TP, issued December 23, 1996, in Docket Nos. 930330-TP and 960658-TP. Specifically, we modified Section III, Item 1, to include the phrase **in addition to us**. The relief granted to BellSouth became effective at the issuance of the final order on October 28, 1998.

Also, we decided to leave the docket open and to require BellSouth to file a report with this Commission no later than February 1, 1999, on LPIC activity and the distribution of LPIC-

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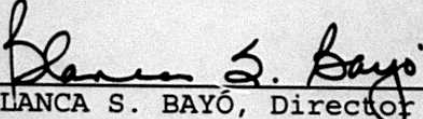
able access lines for the six-month period following expiration of the marketing restrictions on existing customers. The marketing restrictions on existing customers expired on June 23, 1998. On February 4, 1999, BellSouth filed the required information in a report on its LPIC activity and the distribution of LPIC-able access lines.

We have reviewed this report, and there are no material changes in the market data contained in this report. We note that all parties were served with a copy of the report, and no party has filed a response to this report. Since there are no further matters left for us to address in this docket, we hereby order that this docket shall be closed.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that this docket is closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 10th day of May, 1999.



BLANCA S. BAYO, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water and/or wastewater utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.