

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Request for approval of ) DOCKET NO. 951065-TL  
tariff filing to extend ) ORDER NO. PSC-95-1279-FOF-TL  
expiration date for TouchStar ) ISSUED: October 17, 1995  
service usage rates (LSO) by )  
BellSouth Telecommunications, )  
Inc., d/b/a Southern Bell )  
Telephone and Telegraph Company. )  
(T-95-550 filed 8/29/95) )  
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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

SUSAN F. CLARK, Chairman  
J. TERRY DEASON  
JOE GARCIA  
JULIA L. JOHNSON  
DIANE K. KIESLING

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

BY THE COMMISSION:

On August 29, 1995, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., d/b/a Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company (Southern Bell) filed a tariff by which it proposes to extend its TouchStar service usage-based rates, a limited service offering applicable to Call Return and Repeat Dialing services, for a period of three months. These rates were scheduled to expire on October 1, 1995. Southern Bell proposes to extend this offering until January 2, 1996.

TouchStar service usage-based rates are currently available to residential and business subscribers in the Jacksonville LATA only. Southern Bell may offer such usage-based rates to other classes of service, in exchanges where facilities are available, if and when it offers usage-based rates on a permanent basis. Southern Bell has requested the extension in order to allow it additional time to develop supporting information necessary to accompany a permanent tariff filing.

Upon consideration, Southern Bell's proposed tariff to extend TouchStar usage-based rates through January 2, 1996, is approved, effective September 29, 1995.

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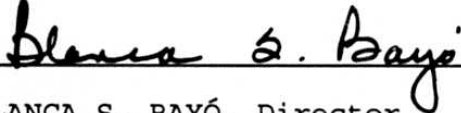
It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company's proposed tariff to extend TouchStar usage-based rates through January 2, 1996, is approved, effective September 29, 1995. It is further

ORDERED that, if a protest is filed in accordance with the requirements set forth below, the tariff shall remain in effect with any increase in revenues held subject to refund pending resolution of the protest. It is further

ORDERED that if no protest is filed in accordance with the requirements set forth below, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 17th day of October, 1995.

  
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BLANCA S. BAYÓ, 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 120.59(4), 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.

The Commission's decision on this tariff is interim in nature and will become final, unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed files a petition for a formal proceeding, as provided by Rule 25-22.036(4), Florida Administrative Code, in the form provided by Rule 25-22.036(7)(a)(d) and (e), Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on November 7, 1995.

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become final on the day subsequent to the above date.

Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this Order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

If this Order becomes final on the date described above, any party adversely affected may request judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or by the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water 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 of the date this Order becomes final, 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.