BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for waiver of required payment method of dialaround compensation to allow implementation of a per-call based method for intrastate calls to non-local exchange company pay telephone (NPATS) providers by AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc.

Docket No. 960650-TP

Filed: May 30, 1996

PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, the Florida Public Telecommunications Association, Inc. ("FPTA") respectfully requests that the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") grant it leave to intervene in the above-captioned docket. In support thereof, FPTA states as follows:

- 1. The complete name and address of the petitioner is:

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- All notices, pleadings, orders, and other documents should be directed to:

Angela B. Green Florida Public Telecommunications Association, Inc. 125 S. Gadsden St. Suite 200 Tallahassee, Florida 32301

3. FPTA is a domestic, not-for-profit corporation organized pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. The membership of the FPTA includes independent public payphone ("IPP") providers certificated by the Commission to provide pay telephone service to

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the general public, as well as entities that provide support and other services to the pay telephone industry.

4. FPTA is a substantially affected party in this proceeding because its members receive the dial-around payments referenced by AT&T Communications of the Southern States ("AT&T") in its Petition for Waiver that is the subject of this docket. Consequently, FPTA's members' interests will be directly and substantially affected by any action taken by the Commission in this matter.

WHEREFORE, FPTA requests that it be granted intervention in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of May, 1996.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing Florida Public Telecommunications Association, Inc.'s Petition for Leave to Intervene was furnished by U.S. Mail this 29th day of May, 1996, to the following parties of record:

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May 30, 1996

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Re: Docket No. 960650-TP

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing in the above-styled docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of the Florida Telecommunications Association, Inc.'s Petition for Leave to Intervene.

An extra copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return the copy to me. Copies have been served on the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

ACK ___ Angela B. Green ATA General Counsel

Enclosures

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cc: All Parties of Record

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