

Aug 28, 1998

Study on Fair Rates (No. 980000A-SP)
Div. of Records & Reporting
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Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

In my last phone bill there was an enclosure
re the Home Bill No. 4785 (Chapter 98-277) ---
Concerning fair & reasonable Fla residential land
local telecommunications, service rates etc -

We were told that if we could not attend any of
the 6 scheduled public hearings, we could mail
our written comments.

I would like to state (1) I am originally from NJ - and
never in my 70 years there did I get phone bills with
so many added charges - and so many taxes!

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| 1.2 (from BellSouth - Federal Tax | .43 |
| Fla gross receipt surcharge | .18 |
| City Tax | .74 |
| Finance charge | .10 |
| State/Local Tax | .21 |
| Total | 1.74 |

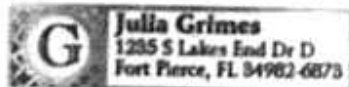
What is the gross receipt purchase?

From 0707 " Finance charge?

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| Then - a charge called "Unusual Connectivity Chg" - | 93 |
| also a charge "Carrier Line Chg" - | 85 |
| | <u>178</u> |

A phone # is given to call for explanations. I called - and I
still don't understand them

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| Taxes - Federal Tax @ 3% | - | .73 |
| Fla. Gross Recd Tax Surcharge @ 5% | .61 | |
| | <u>1.34</u> | |



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