

VOTE SHEET

SEPTEMBER 1, 1998

DOCKET NO. 980974-TL - Request for approval of tariff filing to bundle RE: touch calling (touchtone) into the basic rate for local telecommunications service by Northeast Florida Telephone Company, Inc. (T-98-0980 filed 7/22/98)

Issue 1: Should Northeast's proposed tariff filing to bundle touch calling into the basic rate for local telecommunications service be approved effective September 1, 1998?

Recommendation: Yes. Northeast's proposed tariff filing to bundle touch calling into the basic rate for local telecommunications service should be approved effective September 1, 1998. Existing customers who do not subscribe to touch calling will be grandfathered at the current rates for a period of two (2) years or until a change in the customer class of service, service is transferred to a different location, or service is disconnected.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

<u>Recommendation</u>: Yes. If the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issue 1, this tariff should become effective on September 1, 1998. If a protest is filed within 21 days from the issuance date of the order, the tariff should remain in effect pending resolution of the protest. If no timely protest is filed, this docket should be closed.

