

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition of Competitive Carriers for Commission action to support local competition in BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s service territory.

DOCKET NO. 981834-TP

In re: Petition of ACI Corp. d/b/a Accelerated Connections, Inc. for generic investigation to ensure that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., Sprint-Florida, Incorporated, and GTE Florida Incorporated comply with obligation to provide alternative local exchange carriers with flexible, timely, and cost-efficient physical collocation.

DOCKET NO. 990321-TP  
ORDER NO. PSC-99-1744-PAA-TP  
ISSUED: September 7, 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.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION  
ORDER ON REQUEST FOR GENERIC COLLOCATION PROCEEDING, ESTABLISHING  
PROCEDURES, AND CONSOLIDATING DOCKETS  
NOS. 981834-TP AND 990321-TL FOR PURPOSES  
OF CONDUCTING GENERIC PROCEEDING

BY THE COMMISSION:

NOTICE is hereby given by the Florida Public Service Commission that the action discussed herein is preliminary in nature and will become final unless a person whose interests are substantially affected files a petition for a formal proceeding, pursuant to Rule 25-22.029, Florida Administrative Code.

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FPSC-RECORDS/REPORTING

On December 10, 1998, the Florida Competitive Carriers Association (FCCA), the Telecommunications Resellers, Inc. (TRA), AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. (AT&T), MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC (MCImetro), Worldcom Technologies, Inc. (Worldcom), the Competitive Telecommunications Association (Comptel), MGC Communications, Inc. (MGC), and Intermedia Communications Inc. (Intermedia) (collectively, "Competitive Carriers") filed their Petition of Competitive Carriers for Commission Action to Support Local Competition in BellSouth's Service Territory. In the Petition, the Competitive Carriers requested the following relief:

- (a) Establishment of a generic BellSouth Unbundled Network Element (UNE) pricing docket to address issues affecting local competition;
- (b) Establishment of a Competitive Forum to address BellSouth operations issues;
- (c) Establishment of third-party testing of BellSouth's Operations Support Systems (OSS);
- (d) Initiation of a rulemaking proceeding to establish expedited dispute resolution procedures applicable to all local exchange carriers (LECs); and
- (e) Provision of such other relief that the Commission deems just and proper.

On December 30, 1998, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) filed a Motion to Dismiss the Competitive Carriers' Petition. On January 11, 1999, the Competitive Carriers filed their Response in Opposition to BellSouth's Motion to Dismiss.

At our March 30, 1999, Agenda Conference, we denied BellSouth's Motion to Dismiss. See Order No. PSC-99-0769-FOF-TP, issued April 21, 1999. Subsequently, by Order No. PSC-99-1078-PCO-TP, issued May 26, 1999, we indicated, among other things, that we would conduct a Section 120.57(1), Florida Statutes, formal administrative hearing to address collocation and access to loop issues as soon as possible following the UNE pricing and OSS operational proceedings.

On March 12, 1999, ACI Corp. d/b/a Accelerated Connections, Inc. (ACI) filed a Petition for Generic Investigation into Terms and Conditions of Physical Collocation. On April 6, 1999, GTEFL and BellSouth filed responses to ACI's Petition.

On April 7, 1999, Sprint filed its response to the Petition, along with a Motion to Accept Late-Filed Answer. Sprint acknowledged that its Answer was not timely under Rule 25-22.037, Florida Administrative Code, and asked that we consider its response in rendering our decision on ACI's Petition. We note, however, that Rule 25-22.037, Florida Administrative Code is no longer in effect. The effective rule, Rule 28-106.203, Florida Administrative Code, simply states, "A respondent may file an answer to the petition." In accordance with Rule 28-106.203, Florida Administrative Code, Sprint's Answer is not late, and, therefore, it has been accepted.

Herein, we address ACI's Petition for a Generic Proceeding. We also address procedures and guidelines for collocation, as well as the process contemplated for this generic proceeding.

#### **I. ACI'S PETITION FOR GENERIC COLLOCATION PROCEEDING**

##### ACI

ACI asks that we initiate a generic proceeding to establish collocation policy applicable to Sprint-Florida, GTEFL, and BellSouth to ensure that these companies provide collocation in an appropriate and timely manner.

In support of its Petition, ACI states that it is very important to ensure that the ILECs provide physical collocation to all ALECs in order for the ALECs to be able to provide service to their Florida customers. ACI explains that space is scarce in certain ILEC central offices, and that it is very important to adopt procedures to deal with future waiver petitions in a fair and timely manner.

In addition, ACI specifically requests that we adopt the following rules and procedures:

1. ILECs should make physical collocation space available wherever possible, including all ILEC buildings and attached land.

2. The term "premises," as found in 47 U.S.C. §251(c)(6), as it pertains to where an ILEC must provide physical collocation, should be construed broadly.
3. ILECs should be required to allow adjacent collocation outside of the central office building.
4. A high threshold of proof for collocation waivers should be set.
5. A comprehensive procedure for processing waiver petitions should be set.
6. Strict procedural requirements for denying space to an ALEC and for seeking a waiver should be set, including:
  - A. ILECs should be required to file a Notice of Intent to seek a waiver along with an office floorplan.
  - B. ILECs should file a formal Petition for Waiver within 30 days of the Notice and include a more detailed floorplan.
  - C. ILECs should be required to file comprehensive testimony, and include any plans for space rearrangement.
  - D. Competitors should be allowed to inspect the central office premises within 30 days of ILEC's formal petition.
  - E. ALECs should be allowed to file comments and testimony challenging the ILEC's petition.
7. ILECs should be required to allow alternative forms of collocation.
8. ILECs should be required to permit competitors to sublease and share physical collocation space.
9. Procedures should be established for the assignment of new space created in a central office either by reclamation or conversion of space, including:
  - A. Notification to ALECs that have applied for entry into the office within the past five years.
  - B. ALECs must respond to notification within three business days.

- C. ILEC subsidiaries should not be able to obtain space before ALEC applicants.
10. ILECs should be required to provision collocation space within 76 business days of receipt of application.

Incumbent LECs

In general, Sprint supports ACI's Petition for a generic proceeding, and suggests that ACI's petition be addressed within the proceeding established in Docket No. 981834-TP. Sprint does not, however, agree with the specific allegations of fact or law in ACI's petition.

GTEFL asserts that ACI's Petition has been rendered moot by our initiation of a generic collocation investigation in Docket No. 981834-TP. GTEFL states that there is no need for this separate proceeding.

BellSouth believes that ACI's Petition should be denied. BellSouth argues that many assertions in ACI's Petition are incorrect interpretations of the requirements in the Act. BellSouth also argues that ACI has proposed rules and procedures that are designed simply to make obtaining waivers as difficult as possible. In addition, BellSouth asserts that ACI is essentially asking us to go to rulemaking on these issues. BellSouth maintains that ACI cannot force us into rulemaking on these issues<sup>1</sup>.

BellSouth further emphasizes that we have already established a procedure for handling a generic investigation of collocation issues and adds that it does not oppose a generic investigation of collocation issues. BellSouth states that it simply disagrees with many of the assertions in ACI's Petition and objects to a duplicative proceeding. Thus, BellSouth asks that ACI's Petition be denied or dismissed. BellSouth also suggests that ACI should be allowed to intervene in Docket No. 981834-TP.

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<sup>1</sup>Citing Florida League of Cities v. Administrative Commission, 586 So. 2d 397, 406 (Fla. 1st DCA 1991).

DETERMINATION

To the extent that ACI's Petition seeks a generic investigation of collocation issues, ACI's Petition is, hereby, granted. A generic proceeding will identify better, more efficient ways of addressing collocation issues and of handling collocation disputes.

We shall not, however, proceed to rulemaking as suggested in ACI's petition, nor shall we adopt the specific rules and procedures set forth in ACI's petition. In view of the strict Administrative Procedures Act requirements for rulemaking, a rulemaking proceeding is not feasible at this time, because we have not had sufficient time to acquire the knowledge and experience reasonably necessary to commence formal rulemaking for collocation. The collocation issues presented in the ACI and FCCA petitions and in the FCC's recent order on collocation, FCC 99-48, are still relatively new to us and the telecommunications industry. See Section 120.54 (1)(a)(1), Florida Statutes.

Instead, we shall consolidate Docket No. 990321-TL with Docket No. 981834-TP for purposes of investigating collocation issues on a generic basis in order to avoid duplicative proceedings. We shall proceed with our investigation as outlined in Order No. PSC-99-1078-PCO-TP, issued May 26, 1999, in Docket No. 981834-TP, and as further described in the following section of this Order. We are authorized to proceed in this manner pursuant to Section 120.80(13)(d), Florida Statutes, which states that we may employ procedures consistent with the Telecommunications Act of 1996. The procedures set forth herein are consistent with the Act and are of the type contemplated by Section 120.80(13)(d), Florida Statutes.

**II. Procedures and Guidelines for Collocation**

By Order No. PSC-99-1078-PCO-TP, issued May 26, 1999, in Docket No. 981834-TP, we stated that we would set the generic collocation proceeding for a 120.57, Florida Statutes, hearing after the UNE pricing proceeding and the OSS investigation are completed. By this Order, we take the first step in the generic collocation proceeding by adopting procedures and guidelines applicable to collocation. In doing so, it is our intent that the procedures and guidelines adopted herein will serve as guidance to the participants in the investigative proceeding. We also hope that issuance of these guidelines at the outset as proposed agency

action will expedite discussion of the issues and may, ultimately, limit the areas that need to be addressed at hearing. We also believe it will enable us to better define the scope of the proceeding and will greatly assist in scheduling the appropriate amount of time for hearing.

We have based our procedures and guidelines in large part upon rules adopted by the California Public Utilities Commission (PUC) in December, 1998<sup>2</sup>, and the suggestions to state commissions made by the FCC in its recent FCC Order 99-48. The procedures adopted herein will be used in conjunction with the FCC's collocation rules.

We are authorized to adopt these procedures and guidelines pursuant to Section 120.80(13)(d), Florida Statutes, and Sections 364.01(c), 364.01(g), and 364.01(h), Florida Statutes. Furthermore, the FCC has clearly indicated that it anticipates that state commissions will adopt collocation procedures in addition to those the FCC has already promulgated. See FCC Order 99-48, ¶¶ 23, 24, 54, and 55.

PROCEDURES FOR DEMONSTRATING SPACE DEPLETION IN COs

A. INITIAL RESPONSE TIME

The California PUC requires ILECs to respond to a carrier's completed application for collocation within 15 days. If the ILEC intends to deny an application, the ILEC should indicate a possible future relief date.

Pursuant to amended FCC Rule 47 C.F.R. §51.321(h), upon request, an ILEC must provide a report to the applicant carrier within 10 days of the request indicating the space available in a particular ILEC central office premises. Pursuant to this Rule, the ILEC must also post and update a notice on the ILEC's website that indicates which premises are full. The notice must be updated within 10 days of the premises becoming full.

ADOPTED REQUIREMENT

We find that the California model for initial response time is appropriate, and, therefore, it shall be adopted in Florida. We

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<sup>2</sup>1998 Cal. PUC LEXIS 915 (December 17, 1998).

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also believe that if a carrier that applies for collocation in an ILEC central office premises requests a report on the space in that particular ILEC premises, the FCC requirement is appropriate. We do, however, believe that additional notice must be sent to us. Therefore, we shall also adopt the following requirement for Florida:

The ILEC shall respond to a complete and correct application for collocation within 15 calendar days. If the ILEC determines that the application is incomplete or defective, then the ILEC shall inform the applicant carrier as soon as possible, and shall identify with specificity the problem with the application.

If the ILEC intends to deny collocation, the ILEC shall be required to submit a Notice of Intent to Seek Waiver of Physical Collocation Requirements to the Commission on the same date of its initial response to the applicant carrier. The Notice shall include a basic statement of the reason for its denial (technically infeasible or lack of space). If the denial is based upon lack of space, the ILEC shall also file detailed floor plans or diagrams of the premises with the Notice, which shall also be provided by the ILEC to the applicant carrier.

If the applicant carrier requests a report in accordance with FCC Rule 51.321(h), the ILEC shall also file a copy of the report with the Commission.

#### B. APPLICATION FEES

The California PUC has required the ILEC to return any application charges collected by the ILEC to the applicant carrier within 15 days of application if the ILEC denies collocation to the applicant.



ADOPTED REQUIREMENT

On this point, we differ somewhat with the California model. In past arbitration Orders, we have found that costs are incurred during the application process itself and have advocated a two-part charge for the initial application for a central office. See Order No. PSC-98-0604-FOF-TP at p. 140-142, issued April 29, 1998, in Docket No. 960833-TP. We believe that the ILEC must be allowed to recover the costs incurred during its initial processing of the application and review of the central office. Therefore, we adopt the following requirement:

If the ILEC informs the applicant carrier that it intends to deny collocation in an ILEC premises, the ILEC shall return to the applicant carrier within 15 calendar days any fees over and above those necessary to cover the initial administrative costs associated with processing the carrier's application for that premises.

C. TOUR OF THE CENTRAL OFFICE PREMISES

Pursuant to amended FCC Rule 47 C.F.R. §51.321(f), an ILEC that contends that there is no space available in a specific premise, must allow the applicant carrier to tour, without charge, the entire premises within 10 days of the carrier's receipt of the ILEC's denial of space.

ADOPTED REQUIREMENT

We agree with the requirements of FCC Rule 47 C.F.R. §51.321(f), but we believe that our staff must be allowed to participate in the tour of the ILEC premises. Thus, we adopt the following requirement:

An ILEC that contends that there is no space available for physical collocation at its premises must allow the applicant carrier(s) and Commission staff to tour, without charge, the entire premises within 10 calendar days of the carrier's receipt of the ILEC's denial of space.

D. PETITION FOR WAIVER

The California PUC has required ILECs to submit the following information to the PUC in support of its denial of space to an ALEC:

1. Central Office Language Identifier, where applicable
2. Identity of the Requesting CLEC, including the amount of space sought.
3. Total amount of space at the premises.
4. Floor Plans, including measurements of the ILEC's premises showing:
  - a. Space housing ILEC network equipment, nonregulated services space, or administrative offices;
  - b. Space housing idle or underutilized equipment;
  - c. Space which does not currently house ILEC equipment or administrative offices but is reserved by the ILEC for future use;
  - d. Space occupied by collocators for the purpose of network interconnection or access to unbundled network elements;
  - e. Space, if any, occupied by third parties for other purposes, including identification of the uses of such space;
  - f. Remaining space, if any;
  - g. Identification of switch turnaround plans and other equipment removal plans and timelines, if any;
  - h. Central office rearrangement/expansion plans, if any; and

- i. Description of other plans, if any, that may relieve space exhaustion.

ADOPTED REQUIREMENT

On this point, we believe that the California model will be particularly helpful, because it requires most of the essential information necessary to review the request to be provided up front when the Petition is filed. Therefore, we adopt the following requirement:

The ILEC shall file with the Commission a Petition for Waiver of the Collocation Requirements within 20 calendar days of filing its Notice Of Intent to request a waiver. The Petition shall include the following information:

1. Central Office Language Identifier, where applicable.
2. Identity of the Requesting ALEC(s), including the amount of space sought.
3. Total amount of space at the premises.
4. Floor Plans, including measurements of the ILEC's premises showing:
  - a. Space housing ILEC network equipment nonregulated services space, or administrative offices;
  - b. Space housing obsolete or retired equipment;
  - c. Space that does not currently house ILEC equipment or administrative offices but is reserved by the ILEC for future use, including the intended purpose of each area and the forecasted year of use;

- d. Space occupied by collocators for the purpose of network interconnection or access to unbundled network elements;
- e. Space, if any, occupied by third parties for other purposes, including identification of the uses of such space;
- f. Remaining space, if any;
- g. Identification of switch turnaround plans and other equipment removal plans and timelines, if any;
- h. Central office rearrangement/expansion plans, if any; and
- i. Description of other plans, if any, that may relieve space exhaustion.

5. Floor loading requirements

The ILEC may request confidential treatment of information submitted with the Petition, as necessary, in accordance with Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code.

E. POST-TOUR REPORTS

Under the California model, following the tour, if the applicant carrier believes there is no basis for denial of its application, the applicant shall promptly notify the ILEC. The California PUC requires that the applicant carrier and the ILEC shall file inspection reports following the tour of the central office premises. The reports shall be filed within 45 calendar days of the initial application.

ADOPTED REQUIREMENT

It appears that the post-tour report will further expedite review of the ILEC's Petition for Waiver. Therefore, we adopt the following requirement:

Following the tour of the central office premises, if the applicant carrier(s) believes there is no basis for denial of its application, it shall promptly notify the ILEC. Thereafter, within 20 calendar days of the tour, the applicant carrier(s) and the ILEC shall file in the docket established to address the ILEC's Petition for Waiver reports outlining their findings as a result of the tour.

F. DISPOSITION OF PETITION

Under the California model, the commission staff must prepare a formal resolution within 45 days of the post-tour report for the Commission's consideration. The proposed resolution will either direct the ILEC to provide the requested collocation or deny the requested collocation. The California model references factors that may be considered in rendering a decision.

If the California Commission decides that there is not sufficient space for the applicant carrier(s), the ILEC will not have to justify subsequent denials of space to other applicant carriers. The ILEC shall, however, advise the applicant carrier(s) when there are material changes in the central office premises that would affect a collocation request.

ADOPTED REQUIREMENT

Upon review, it appears to us that the California model will greatly facilitate handling collocation waiver requests in situations where applicant carriers dispute the ILEC's claims that space is no longer available. In addition, using these procedures and guidelines, the ILEC and the applicant carrier(s) have the opportunity to participate in the decision-making process to the fullest extent, but the unnecessary delay of a full administrative hearing is avoided. We note that although the California model proposes certain factors for consideration in rendering a decision, we shall simply base our decision on the information presented in the Docket. Therefore, we adopt the following requirement:

The Commission staff shall prepare a recommendation for consideration by the Commission at an Agenda Conference to be held within 45 calendar days of the post-tour report. The staff recommendation

shall address whether the ILEC's Petition for Waiver should be granted based upon the information provided by the ILEC and the applicant carrier and information gathered by Commission staff on the tour of the central office premises.

The Commission's decision on the ILEC's Petition shall be issued as a final agency action. If the Commission grants the Petition, the ILEC will not have to justify subsequent denials of space to other applicant carriers. The ILEC shall, however, advise the applicant carrier(s) and the Commission when there are material changes in the central office premises that could affect a collocation request.

G. EXTENSIONS OF TIME

ADOPTED REQUIREMENT

Upon consideration, we find it appropriate to provide a means for seeking extensions of the time requirements in Sections A through F. Therefore, we adopt the following requirement:

If the ILEC believes it will be unable to meet the time frames applicable to any of the requirements identified in Sections A through F of this Order, the ILEC shall seek an extension of time from the Commission at least three business days prior to the expiration of the identified time frame. The applicant carrier shall have an opportunity to respond to the ILEC's request. The Commission will rule upon the request as a procedural matter at an Agenda Conference.

H. PROVISIONING OF COLLOCATION

In FCC Order 99-48, the FCC did not adopt provisioning intervals. The FCC indicated that it did not have sufficient experience with the new collocation arrangements to suggest time frames for provisioning and specifically retained authority to adopt time frames as necessary. The FCC did emphasize, however, that it was "confident that state commissions recognize the

competitive harm that new entrants suffer when collocation arrangements are unnecessarily delayed." FCC Order 99-49 at ¶ 52-55.

ADOPTED INTERIM REQUIREMENT

Until the FCC adopts a specific time frame for provisioning physical collocation, we shall adopt an interim guideline to address this issue. In past arbitration Orders, we have considered 3 months to be a reasonable amount of time in which to provision physical collocation, and two months to be reasonable for virtual collocation. See Order No. PSC-96-1579-FOF-TP, issued December 31, 1996, in Docket No. 960833-TP, and Order No. PSC-99-0060-FOF-TP, issued January 6, 1999, in Docket No. 980800-TP. Therefore, we adopt the following interim requirement:

Upon firm order by an applicant carrier, the ILEC shall provision physical collocation within 90 days or virtual collocation within 60 days. If the ILEC believes it will be unable to meet the applicable time frame and the parties are unable to agree to an extension, the ILEC shall seek an extension of time from the Commission within 45 calendar days of receipt of the firm order. The request shall be styled as a Motion for Extension of Time, instead of a waiver of this guideline. The ILEC shall explain, in detail, the reasons necessitating the extension and shall serve the applicant carrier with its request. The applicant carrier shall have an opportunity to respond to the ILEC's request for an extension of time. The Commission will rule upon the request as a procedural matter at an Agenda Conference.

I. CONCLUSION

As previously stated, in establishing these procedures and guidelines as proposed agency action, we believe that the handling of collocation waiver requests will be expedited and the number and/or scope of collocation disputes may be limited because we have clearly defined our expectations. We also believe that these procedures and guidelines will further the process of the generic collocation proceeding by helping to define and possibly limit

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other collocation issues that need to be addressed. Attached and incorporated in this Order as Attachment A is a timeline demonstrating the flow of this process.

In addition, we find that the time frames contained in these procedures and guidelines shall supersede time frames that may be contained in current collocation agreements in Florida, unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the action herein taken timely files a protest of this Order. To the extent, however, that collocation agreements are renegotiated or new agreements are reached, the parties may agree to time frames that differ from those set forth in the requirements we have adopted in Sections A, B, C, and H.

Based on the foregoing, it is therefore

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Sprint-Florida, Incorporated's answer to the Petition for Generic Investigation into Terms and Conditions of Physical Collocation is accepted. It is further

ORDERED that ACI Corp. d/b/a Accelerated Connections Inc.'s Petition for Generic Investigation into Terms and Conditions of Physical Collocation is granted to the extent set forth in the body of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that we hereby adopt the procedures and guidelines set forth in the body of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that Docket No. 990321-TL shall be consolidated with Docket No. 981834-TP for purposes of conducting a generic investigation into collocation issues. It is further

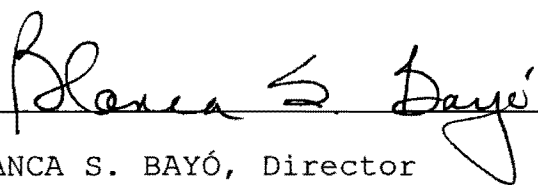
ORDERED that the provisions of this Order are issued as proposed agency action and shall become final and effective upon the issuance of a Consummating Order unless an appropriate petition, in the form provided by Rule 28-106.201, Florida Administrative Code, is received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on the date set forth in the "Notice of Further Proceedings" attached hereto. It is further



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ORDERED that in the event this Order becomes final, these Dockets shall remain open pending the outcome of the generic investigation into collocation issues.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 7th day of September, 1999.

  
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BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting

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Dissent

I respectfully dissent from the majority's decision to apply the guidelines and procedures adopted herein to the current agreements. I do not believe that these guidelines and procedures should supersede any existing terms found in the current collocation agreements.

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 that is available under Section 120.57, 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 will be granted or result in the relief sought.

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Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

The action proposed herein is preliminary in nature. Any person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed by this order may file a petition for a formal proceeding, in the form provided by Rule 28-106.201, 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 September 28, 1999.

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become final and effective upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

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

**Attachment A**

**COLLOCATION WAIVER TIMELINE**

**DAY 1 →  
CLEC files  
completed  
application**

**DAY 15 →  
ILEC  
responds to  
application**

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**ILEC  
returns fees  
over and  
above  
admin. costs**

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**ILEC files  
Notice of  
Intent with  
FPSC**

**DAY 25 →  
ALEC, ILEC,  
Commission  
Staff tour  
Central  
Office**

**DAY 35 →  
ILEC files  
Petition for  
Waiver with  
FPSC**

**DAY 45 →  
ALEC and  
ILEC file  
post-tour  
reports**

**DAY 90 →  
Commission  
Agenda  
Conference**

**DAY 110  
Final Order  
on Petition  
for Waiver is  
issued**