

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for approval ) DOCKET NO. 920646-TL  
of tariff to transfer an exchange) ORDER NO. PSC-92-0947-FOF-TL  
boundary from the Williston ) ISSUED: 9/8/92  
exchange to the Ocala exchange )  
by UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF )  
FLORIDA )  
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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman  
SUSAN F. CLARK  
J. TERRY DEASON  
BETTY EASLEY  
LUIS J. LAUREDO

**ORDER APPROVING TARIFF**

BY THE COMMISSION:

On June 19, 1992, United Telephone Company of Florida (United) filed a proposed tariff to transfer a portion of the Williston exchange to the Ocala exchange. Currently, fifty-one residents in the Williston exchange are provided service from the Ocala exchange. United's proposed realignment of the exchange boundary will coincide with the actual provision of service.

There will be no change in rates due to the boundary transfer. The residents in the area being transferred have been charged Ocala exchange rates from the time their service was initiated.

There will be no change in the local calling areas due to the boundary transfer. Because of the proximity of existing facilities originating out of the Ocala exchange, United believed that it was less expensive to serve these customers with the existing facilities as opposed to constructing new facilities in Williston. Hence, customers in the area being transferred have been served out of the Ocala exchange since 1974. The residents in the area being transferred have had the benefit of the Ocala calling scope since their services were initiated.

In sum, the transfer of the exchange boundary from the Williston exchange to the Ocala exchange will have no impact on customers. The customers will experience no changes in rates or calling scopes due to this tariff proposal. We approve United's tariff to transfer a portion of the exchange boundary from the Williston exchange to the Ocala exchange.

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Therefore, based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that United Telephone Company of Florida's tariff to transfer an exchange boundary from the Williston exchange to the Ocala exchange is approved as filed with an effective date of August 18, 1992. It is further

ORDERED that if a timely protest is filed pursuant to the requirements set forth below, all increased revenues resulting from this filing shall be held subject to refund. It is further

ORDERED that if no protest is received within the time frame set forth below, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 8th day of September, 1992.



STEVE TRIBBLE, 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 at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on September 29, 1992.

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.