

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Proposed tariff filing ) DOCKET NO. 920797-TL  
to allow free custom calling ) ORDER NO. PSC-92-1037-FOF-TL  
features for employees by ) ISSUED: 09/23/92  
SOUTHLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY )  
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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 July 27, 1992, Southland Telephone Company (Southland or the Company) filed tariff revisions proposing to allow permanent Southland employees to obtain custom calling features offered by Southland at no charge. The custom calling features currently offered by Southland are Call Forwarding, 3-way Calling, Call Waiting, Speed Calling, and Cancel Call Waiting. The Company charges \$1.75 for each of these features. Southland's employees presently may subscribe to residential rotary dial telephone service for \$1.00 a month compared to the \$6.25 tariffed charge for the service.

Section 364.08(2), Florida Statutes, gives this Commission authority to permit employee concessions if in the public interest. While Southland did not provide data on the aggregate number of custom calling services currently subscribed to by each of its 84 permanent employees, the Company did estimate that the average employee will subscribe to three custom calling services. This would generate \$5,300 in annual revenues.

We believe that this tariff is appropriate. Because of the low cost of providing custom calling features, this fringe benefit can be made available to all permanent employees at little cost to Southland. Accordingly, we hereby approve the tariff as filed.

Based on the foregoing, it is

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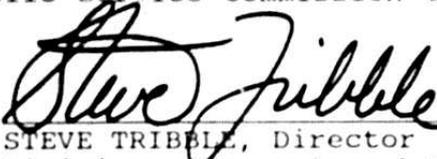
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ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the tariff filing by Southland Telephone Company to offer all custom calling services at no charge to its permanent employees is hereby approved, effective September 25, 1992. It is further

ORDERED that if a protest is filed in accordance with the requirement set forth below, the tariff shall remain in effect with any increase in revenues held subject to refund pending resolution of the protest. It is further

ORDERED that if no protest is filed in accordance with the requirement set forth below, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 23rd 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

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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 October 14, 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.