BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN RE: Amendment of Rules 25-24.471 and 25-24.480 IXC Rules, Part Ten (X), F.A.C. DOCKET NO. 920395-TI

ORDER NO. PSC-92-1414-FOF-TI

ISSUED: 12/07/92

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RULE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commission, pursuant to section 120.54, Florida Statutes, has adopted the amendments to Rules 25-24.471 and 25-24.480 IXC Rules, Part Ten (X), F.A.C., relating to toll authority of IXC's.

The rule was filed with the Department of State on December 2, 1992 and will be effective on December 22, 1992. A copy of the relevant portions of the certification filed with the Secretary of State is attached to this Notice.

This docket is closed upon issuance of this notice.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 7th day of December, 1992.

Director

Division of Records & Reporting

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25-24.471 Application for Certificate.

(1) An applicant desiring to apply for a certificate shall submit an application on Commission Form PSC/CMU 31 (4/91), which is incorporated into this rule by reference. Form PSC/CMU 31 (4/91), entitled "Application Form for Authority to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service Between Points Within the State of Florida," may be obtained by contacting the Commission's Division of Communications. An application fee of \$250.00 must accompany the filing of all applications. This is a non-refundable fee to cover the costs of processing the application and it has no relevance on the approval or denial of a certificate.

(2) An original and twelve (12) copies of the application shall be filed with the Division of Records and Reporting.

(3) A certificate will be granted if the Commission determines that such approval is in the public interest.

(4) Any interexchange authority previously granted <u>to</u> interexchange companies (IXCs) previously or granted hereafter is subject to the following:

(a) <u>Toll Interexchange</u> authority granted to all companies is statewide. A company may provide <u>toll inter-EAEA</u> service over its own or resold facilities. <u>Intra EAEA toll service is limited to</u> <u>WATS and MTS resale.</u> However, <u>the local exchange company shall be</u> <u>the sole carrier for 1+, 0+ and 0- intraLATA local and toll calls</u> <u>dialed by end users. Call aggregators and IXCs shall not change or</u>

augment the dialing pattern of end users for such calls. IXCs may only provide intraLATA toll services to end users with whom they have a prior and ongoing relationship or who dial the appropriate access code, i.e., 950, 800, 10XXX, or autodial. a company not having screening capability may carry intra-EAEA traffic over its own facilities existing prior to October 4, 1984 if it pays the existing message toll service (MTS) rates to the local exchange company.

(b) Minor interexchange companies are not required to provide service throughout their certificated service area, but must accept customers on a nondiscriminatory basis up to the limits of their capacity from customers meeting the company's credit rating requirements. Major interexchange companies are required to provide service to all customers making a request for service.

(c) A certificate to provide interexchange service does not carry with it the authority to provide local exchange or pay telephone service. A separate application must be made for such authority.

Specific Authority: 350.127(2), F. S.

Law Implemented: 364.03, 364.32, 364.33, 364.335, 364.337, 364.345, F.S.

History: New 2/23/87, Amended 5/8/91, 11/20/91, 12/22/92.

25-24.480 Records & Reports; Rules Incorporated.

(1) The following rules are incorporated herein by reference and apply to interexchange companies. In these rules, the word 'local' should be omitted or interpreted as 'toll', as they shall apply only to interexchange and not local service.

(a) The following rules apply to all companies:

Section TitleApplicable25-4.019 Records and Reports in GeneralNone25-4.020 Location and Preservation of Records(1), (3) None25-4.043 InquiriesNone25-4.0161 Regulatory Assessment FeesNone25-4.079 Hearing/Speech Impaired PersonsSubsections (1),25-4.115 Directory AssistanceSubsections (1)and (2)Applicable

Portions not

(8), (9), (10)

(b) The following rules apply to major interexchange companies only:

25-4.0166	Fimplementation of Uniform System	None			
	and Classification of Accounts				
25-4.017	Uniform System and	Subse	Subsections		
	Classification of Accounts	(2),	(3),	(4),	
		(5),	(6),	(7)	

Portions not

None

Section Title	Applicable
25-4.0174 Uniform System and Classification	None
of Accounts - Depreciation	
25-4.0175 Depreciation	None
25-4.0176 Recovery Schedules to Promote	None
an Economical and Efficient	
Telecommunications Network	
25-4.018 Annual Reports	Subsection
	(2)

25-4.0245 Rate of Return Report

(2) Each minor interexchange company shall file, with the Commission's Division of Communications, an updated list of exchanges where originating service is offered. This exchange list shall be filed within 10 days of service being offered or discontinued in an exchange area, on Appendix A of Form PSC/CMU 31 (2/87).

(3) For long distance traffic within toll monopoly areas, each interexchange company shall file with each applicable local exchange company quarterly reports showing monthly data, stating the units carried over the interexchange company's facilities for which the interexchange company will pay the existing Message Toll Service (MTS) rates to the local exchange company.

(3)(4) Each company shall file updated information for the

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following items with the Division of Communications and the Division of Records and Reporting within 10 days after such changes occur.

(a) The address of the certificate holder's main corporate and Florida offices (if any), including street name and address and post office box, city, state and zip code.

(b) Telephone number, name, and address of the individual who is to serve as primary liaison with the Commission in regards to the ongoing Florida operations of the certificated company.

(4)(5) Each company shall file Form PSC/CMU 38 (date) with the Division of Communications by January 31 of each year. Form PSC/CMU 38 (_/_), entitled IXC Annual Report Form, is incorporated by reference into this rule and may be obtained from the Division of Communications.

Specific Authority: 350.127(2), F. S.

Law Implemented: 350.113, 350.115, 350.117, 364.17, 364.18, 364.185, 364.337, F.S.

History: New 2/23/87, Amended 4/5/88, 7/11/88, 6/30/90, 10/25/90, 12/22/92.