

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Emergency petition for authority to waive regulated charges, by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ) DOCKET NO. 960616-TL ) ORDER NO. PSC-96-0761-FOF-TL ) ISSUED: June 12, 1996 ) ) )

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

SUSAN F. CLARK, Chairman  
J. TERRY DEASON  
JOE GARCIA  
JULIA L. JOHNSON  
DIANE K. KIESLING

ORDER GRANTING EMERGENCY PETITION  
FOR WAIVER OF REGULATED CHARGES

BY THE COMMISSION:

On May 15, 1996, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) filed an emergency petition for authority to waive regulated charges as a result of the recent crash of ValuJet Airlines Flight 592. Specifically, BellSouth requests that local calls from its mobile coin telephones in the Miami Exchange, Canal Central Office (228, 229 NXXs) be free of charge for an initial period of 30 days, subject to Commission review and possible extension. This is designed to render temporary relief to the efforts of the ongoing investigation of the crash site in the Florida Everglades. This petition is similar to one of the relief waivers BellSouth was granted for the victims of Hurricane Opal in October, 1995.

Upon consideration, BellSouth's proposed waiver of regulated charges appears appropriate. It is, therefore, approved.

Based upon the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the petition for waiver of regulated charges filed by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. is approved. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall remain open to monitor the existing waiver and to consider any requests for extension.

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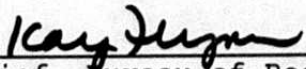
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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 12th  
day of June, 1996.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting

by:   
Chief, Bureau of Records

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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.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water and/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 after the issuance of this order, 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.