

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC for arbitration of certain terms and conditions of proposed interconnection agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.	DOCKET NO. 050419-TP ORDER NO. PSC-06-0271-PCO-TP ISSUED: April 5, 2006
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ORDER APPROVING REVISED ISSUES LIST

On June 20, 2005, MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services (Verizon Access) filed its Petition for Arbitration of certain terms and conditions of a proposed interconnection agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth). On July 15, 2005, BellSouth filed its response to Verizon Access' Petition. Pursuant to Verizon Access' request for arbitration, this matter has been scheduled for an administrative hearing.

By Order No. PSC-05-0927-PCO-TP (Order Establishing Procedure), issued September 19, 2005, certain controlling dates for this Docket were established. On December 9, 2005, Order No. PSC-05-1212-PCO-TP was issued modifying the Order Establishing Procedure. On December 14, 2005, the parties filed a Joint Motion for Continuance of Hearing and Prehearing Deadlines (Joint Motion) due to the pending merger between MCI and Verizon. By Order No. PSC-05-1264-PCO-TP, issued December 27, 2005, we granted the parties' Joint Motion and further modified the procedural dates. Pursuant to that Order, on March 3, 2006, the parties filed a revised issues matrix in which certain issues were resolved and, in some instances, language was changed. Since the time of filing the revised issues matrix, the parties have continued to reach resolution on some of the remaining issues in this proceeding. A revised issues list reflecting these changes is attached as Attachment A to this Order.

Upon review, I find that these revised issues are appropriate for consideration in this Docket. The revised issues are, therefore, approved.

Based upon the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner J. Terry Deason, Prehearing Officer, that the revised issues set forth in Attachment A to this Order are approved for consideration in this Docket. It is further

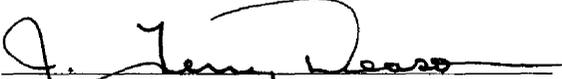
ORDERED that Order No. PSC-05-0927-PCO-TP as modified by Order No. PSC-05-1264-PCO-TP is reaffirmed in all other aspects.

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By ORDER of Commissioner J. Terry Deason, as Prehearing Officer, this 5th day of April, 2006.


J. TERRY DEASON
Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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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 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.

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.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, 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 or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.

“ATTACHMENT A”

Revised Issues List

<u>ISSUE 1</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 2</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 3</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 4</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 5</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 6</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 7</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 8</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 9</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 10</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 11</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 12</u>	Should Verizon Access be required to indemnify BellSouth for BellSouth’s own negligence for claims by third parties who are not Verizon Access customers in conjunction with BellSouth’s provision of PBX Locate Service to Verizon Access?
<u>ISSUE 13</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 14</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 15</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 16</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 17</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 18</u>	Resolved
<u>ISSUE 19</u>	Resolved

ISSUE 20 Resolved

ISSUE 21 Resolved

ISSUE 22 A) Should virtual NXX services offered by Verizon Access to its customers be treated as local traffic or switched access traffic for intercarrier compensation purposes?

B) If they should be treated as switched access traffic, how will such traffic be identified for purposes of the separate treatment?

ISSUE 23 Resolved

ISSUE 24 Resolved

ISSUE 25 Resolved

ISSUE 26 Is BellSouth obligated to act as a transit carrier? If so, what is the appropriate transit rate?

ISSUE 27 Resolved

ISSUE 28 Georgia issue only.

ISSUE 29 Resolved

ISSUE 30 Resolved

ISSUE 31 Resolved

ISSUE 32 What charges, if any, should be imposed for records changes made by the Parties to reflect changes in corporate names or other LEC identifiers such as OCN, CC, CIC and ACNA?

ISSUE 33 How should the rate for the calculation of late payments be determined?

ISSUE 34 What process should be used for the Discontinuing of Service?

ISSUE 35 North Carolina issue only.