

VOTE SHEET

DATE: March 18, 1997

RE: DOCKET NO. 952396-TL - Notice of election of price regulation by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

Issue 1: Recommendation that reclassification of an exchange (rate regrouping) subsequent to election of price regulation by BellSouth is a price increase that is prohibited under Section 364.051, F.S. Since BellSouth elected price regulation effective January 1, 1996, the statute precludes BellSouth from increasing local exchange rates subsequent to July 1, 1995. Therefore, BellSouth is prohibited from regrouping after this date.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

[Handwritten signatures of majority commissioners]

[Handwritten signatures of dissenting commissioners: Susan J. Clark and J. Terry Deason]

REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

Commissioners Deason and Clark dissented.

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Alternative Recommendation: Recommendation that reclassification of an exchange (rate regrouping) subsequent to election of price regulation by BellSouth is not a price increase that is prohibited under Section 364.051, F.S. Since rate regrouping subsequent to July 1, 1995, is not a price increase in local exchange service prohibited under the statute, BellSouth should not be precluded from regrouping after this date.

DENIED

Issue 2: Recommendation that, if BellSouth is not allowed to retain regrouping procedures, this does not result in any disparity in prices which constitutes undue discrimination in violation of Chapter 364, F.S.

APPROVED

Alternative Recommendation: Recommendation that, if BellSouth is not allowed to retain regrouping procedures, this will result in disparity in prices, which constitutes undue discrimination prohibited under Chapter 364, F.S.

DENIED