

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by Global NAPS,  
Inc. for arbitration pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. 252(b) of  
interconnection rates, terms and  
conditions with ALLTEL Florida,  
Inc.

DOCKET NO. 011354-TP  
ORDER NO. PSC-03-0831-PCO-TP  
ISSUED: July 17, 2003

ORDER GRANTING AGREED MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

On October 10, 2001, Global NAPS, Inc. (GNAPS) petitioned the Commission to arbitrate certain unresolved terms and conditions of an interconnection agreement with ALLTEL Florida, Inc. (ALLTEL). ALLTEL filed its response on November 5, 2001. The final hearing in this docket is scheduled for July 25, 2003.

On July 16, 2003, ALLTEL filed an Agreed Motion for Continuance requesting the final hearing date be rescheduled to a later date. ALLTEL states that the requested continuance will allow the parties to exchange information as may be necessary for a full hearing and to allow the parties to continue to discuss the issues to determine if any of the issues can be resolved or refined. ALLTEL's counsel further states he has discussed this matter with counsel for GNAPS and is authorized to represent that GNAPS agrees with the requested continuance.

Upon consideration, I find it is reasonable to grant the Agreed Motion for Continuance to allow the parties additional time to continue discussion of the issues. The date of the hearing shall be rescheduled to November 6, 2003.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner Braulio L. Baez, as Prehearing Officer, that ALLTEL Florida, Inc.'s Agreed Motion for Continuance is granted.

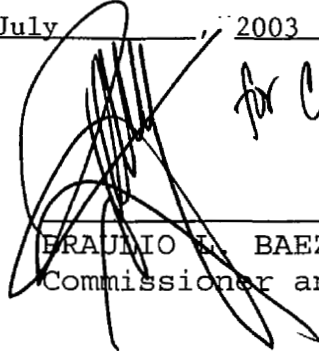
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By ORDER of Commissioner Braulio L. Baez, as Prehearing Officer, this 17th day of July, 2003.

 For Commissioner Braulio Baez

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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,

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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.