

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Proposed tariff for ) DOCKET NO. 920386-TL  
auditing percent interstate ) ORDER NO. PSC-92-0463-FOF-TL  
usage for 700, 800, and 900 ) ISSUED: 06/08/92  
service access codes by )  
SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND )  
TELEGRAPH COMPANY )  
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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman  
SUSAN F. CLARK  
J. TERRY DEASON  
LUIS J. LAUREDO

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

BY THE COMMISSION:

On March 30, 1992, Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company (Southern Bell or the Company) filed revisions to its Access Service Tariff proposing language which would allow the Company to audit interexchange carriers (IXCs) with regard to Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) for 700, 800 and 900 calls carried over Feature Group C or D services. PIU reporting is a method used to determine the proper percentage split between intrastate and interstate access usage of the LECs' networks by IXCs.

The purpose of this filing is to include all 700, 800, and 900 services with the other services in Feature Groups A & B that the IXCs are already reporting. Southern Bell currently has provisions for 800 and 900 PIU determination in its tariff, but wants to add the services to its auditing and reporting section to eliminate any confusion over whether IXCs should be reporting these PIUs with their other traffic.

The reporting of PIU for 700 traffic will be a new requirement with this proposal. The 700 Service Access Code is not a service provided by Southern Bell, but rather a dialing arrangement administered by Bell Communications Research and reserved for IXC use. A 700 call diverts directly to the end user's presubscribed carrier and can be used for a number of present and future services. Southern Bell believes that as more services begin to

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use the 700 prefix, an accurate PIU reporting and auditing mechanism becomes important.

We believe that this filing is appropriate. The Company's proposal will place 700, 800, and 900 traffic under the same terms and conditions for PIU reporting as other services. This tariff will enable the Company to properly assess intrastate access charges for these additional services. Also, there will be no impact to end users from this filing. Accordingly, we hereby approve the tariff as filed.


Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the proposed tariff for auditing Percent Interstate Usage for 700, 800, and 900 Service Access Codes by Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company is hereby approved, effective May 29, 1992. It is further

ORDERED that if a protest is filed in accordance with the requirement set forth below, the tariff shall remain in effect with any increase in revenues held subject to refund pending resolution of the protest. It is further

ORDERED that if no protest is filed in accordance with the requirement set forth below, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 8th day of June, 1992.

  
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STEVE TRIBBLE, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting

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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.

The Commission's decision on this tariff is interim in nature and will become final, unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed files a petition for a formal proceeding, as provided by Rule 25-22.036(4), Florida Administrative Code, in the form provided by Rule 25-22.036(7)(a)(d) and (e), Florida Administrative Code. This petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on June 29, 1992.

In the absence of such a petition, this order shall become final on the day subsequent to the above date.

Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this Order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

If this Order becomes final on the date described above, any party adversely affected may request judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or by the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water 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 of the date this Order becomes final, 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.