

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Request for approval of ) DOCKET NO. 951594-TL  
tariff filing to introduce ) ORDER NO. PSC-96-0162-FOF-TL  
three-way call detection to ) ISSUED: February 6, 1996  
Inmate Telephone Service by GTE )  
Florida Incorporated. (T-95-791 )  
filed 12/4/95) )  
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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 APPROVING TARIFF TO  
INTRODUCE THREE-WAY CALL DETECTION

BY THE COMMISSION:

On December 4, 1995, GTE Florida Incorporated (GTEFL) filed a proposed tariff to add three-way call detection to inmate telephone service. Currently, inmates are able to circumvent their restricted calling lists by calling an approved telephone number and having that person bridge them to a restricted number or dialing pattern by using a three-way custom calling feature. Three-way call detection will allow confinement facility administrators to screen outgoing calls from inmates who attempt to bridge a call through a third party.

It appears that three-way call detection may assist facility administrators in keeping better control over their inmates' calling behavior. Moreover, GTEFL intends to provide the service at no additional cost. Accordingly, GTEFL's proposed tariff to introduce three-way call detection is approved, effective January 16, 1996.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that GTE Florida Incorporated's proposed tariff to introduce three-way call detection is approved, effective January 16, 1996. It is further

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ORDERED that if a protest is filed in the form and by the date specified in the Notice of Further Proceedings or Judicial Review, this tariff shall remain in effect pending resolution of the protest. If no timely protest is filed, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 6th day of February, 1996.



BLANCA S. BAYÓ, 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, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, by the close of business on February 27, 1996.

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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.