

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Investigation into  
pricing of unbundled network  
elements.

DOCKET NO. 990649-TP  
ORDER NO. PSC-99-1422-PCO-TP  
ISSUED: July 23, 1999

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

By Petition, American Communication Services of Jacksonville, Inc. d/b/a e.spire Communications, Inc. (e.spire or the company), has requested permission to intervene in this docket, which was established to investigate the pricing of unbundled network elements. e.spire is an alternative local exchange carrier certified by this Commission to provide local exchange services in the State of Florida. e.spire alleges that "[d]ecisions with respect to unbundled network elements pricing will affect the interests of e.spire."

There has been no response filed in opposition to this request.

Having reviewed the Petition, it appears that the company's substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding. Therefore, the Petition should be granted. Pursuant to Rule 25.039, Florida Administrative Code, however, the company takes the case as it finds it.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the Petition for Leave to Intervene filed by American Communication Services of Jacksonville, Inc. d/b/a e.spire Communications, Inc., be and the same is hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED that all parties to this proceeding shall furnish copies of all testimony, exhibits, pleadings and other documents which may hereinafter be filed in this proceeding, to:

Norman H. Horton, Jr.  
Messer, Caparello & Self, P.A.  
215 S. Monroe Street, Suite 701  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1876

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

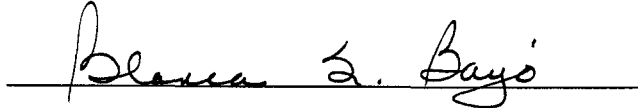
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James C. Falvey, Esq.  
e.spire Communications, Inc.  
133 National Business Parkway, Suite 200  
Annapolis Junction, Maryland 20701

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 23rd  
day of July, 1999.



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 120.569(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, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2)

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reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) 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 Records and Reporting, 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.

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FROM: DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (CLEMONS) *one CB*  
RE: DOCKET NO. 990649-TP - INVESTIGATION INTO PRICING OF  
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Attached is an ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION, to be issued in  
the above-referenced docket. (Number of pages in order - 3)

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Attachment  
cc: Division of Communications  
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