BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Investigation into pricing of unbundled network elements.

DOCKET NO. 990649-TP ORDER NO. PSC-00-2030-PCO-TP ISSUED: June 9, 2000

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Petition, @link Network, Inc. ("@link"), has requested permission to intervene in this proceeding. @link states that its substantial interests will be affected and determined by the Commission in this proceeding. @link states that it will be purchasing unbundled network elements ("UNEs") from BellSouth, including unbundled copper loops ("UCLS"). @link maintains that BellSouth has, however, proposed UCL non-recurring charges that border on cost-prohibitive for @link and are significantly higher than those of other incumbent local exchange carriers. Thus, @link contends that any decision made by the Commission during this proceeding could substantially affect the interest of @link and its ability to conduct business in the State of Florida.

Having reviewed the Petition, it appears that @link's substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding because @link, as a certified ALEC, plans to purchase unbundled network elements from BellSouth in Florida. As a company serving customers in Florida with the intent of offering services that would require access to unbundled network elements, @link has demonstrated that its substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding. Therefore, the Petition shall be granted. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, @link takes the case as it finds it.

Therefore, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the Petition for Leave to Intervene filed by @link Network, Inc., 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:

Russell M. Blau Marc B. Rothschild Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP 3000 K Street, NW, Suite 300 Washington, D.C. 20007-5116

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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this <u>9th</u> day of <u>June</u>, <u>2000</u>.

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) 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. 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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June 9, 2000



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DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (B. KEATING)

DOCKET NO. 990640 DOCKET NO. 990649-TP - INVESTIGATION INTO PRICING OF

UNBUNDLED NETWORK ELEMENTS.

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Attached is an ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION to be issued in the above-referenced docket. (Number of pages in order - 3h/

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cc: Division of Competitive Services

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