

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Consideration of
BellSouth Telecommunications,
Inc.'s entry into interLATA
services pursuant to Section 271
of the Federal Telecommuni-
cations Act of 1996.

DOCKET NO. 960786-TL
ORDER NO. PSC-01-1227-PCO-TL
ISSUED: June 1, 2001


ORDER AUTHORIZING QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVE STATUS

On May 18, 2001, Susan S. Masterson, Attorney for Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership (Sprint) filed a written request pursuant to Rule 28-106.106, Florida Administrative Code, for Benjamin W. Fincher, Attorney, 3100 Cumberland Circle, Cumberland Center II, Atlanta, Georgia 30339-5940, to appear as Qualified Representative for Sprint in Docket No. 960786-TL. After reviewing the request, it appears that Benjamin W. Fincher has the necessary qualifications to responsibly represent Sprint's interests in a manner which will not impair the fairness of the proceeding or the correctness of the action to be taken. Having met the requirements of Rule 28-106.106(4), Florida Administrative Code, Benjamin W. Fincher is authorized to appear as Qualified Representative on behalf of Sprint in this docket.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner J. Terry Deason, as Prehearing Officer, that Benjamin W. Fincher, Attorney, 3100 Cumberland Circle, Cumberland Center II, Atlanta, Georgia 30339-5940, is authorized to appear as Qualified Representative on behalf of Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership, 1313 Blair Stone Road, Post office Box 2214, Tallahassee, Florida 32316-2214, in this docket.

By ORDER of Commissioner J. Terry Deason, as Prehearing Officer, this 1st day of June, 2001.


J. TERRY DEASON
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, 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. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.