

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Complaint by DPI-Teleconnect, L.L.C. against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for dispute arising under interconnection agreement.	DOCKET NO. 050863-TP ORDER NO. PSC-06-0185-PCO-TP ISSUED: March 8, 2006
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ORDER GRANTING JOINT MOTION FOR ABATEMENT

On November 10, 2005, DPI-Teleconnect, L.L.C. (DPI) filed a complaint against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) for a dispute arising under their interconnection agreement. On December 6, 2005, BellSouth filed its response to DPI's complaint.

Subsequently, on January 23, 2006, DPI and BellSouth filed a Joint Motion for Abatement (Joint Motion). In their Joint Motion, parties state a case between the parties with similar issues as the instant case is currently being addressed by the North Carolina Utilities Commission (NCUC), Docket No. P-55, SUB 1577, *In the Matter of DPI-Teleconnect, L.L.C. v. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.* The parties assert that they have reached an agreement to abate or suspend this case until 30 days after a dispositive order is issued in the case pending before the NCUC. Therefore, the parties request that this case be abated pending notice that the NCUC has issued its decision.

Pursuant to Rule 28-106.305, Florida Administrative Code, a prehearing officer before whom a case is pending may issue any orders necessary to promote just, speedy, and inexpensive determination of all aspects of the case. I find that it appears to be in the best interest to grant the Joint Motion because parties indicate that they have similar issues that are being addressed by the NCUC. Therefore, in an effort to reduce any unnecessary litigation or related expense, the parties Joint Motion for Abatement is granted.

Based on the foregoing, it is

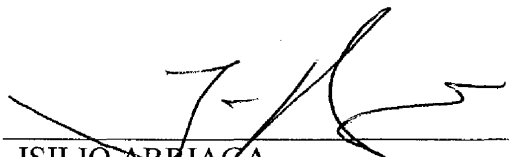
ORDERED by Commissioner Isilio Arriaga, as Prehearing Officer, that the Joint Motion for Abatement filed by DPI-Teleconnect, L.L.C. and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., be and the same is hereby granted.

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By ORDER of Commissioner Isilio Arriaga, as Prehearing Officer, this 8th day of
March, 2006.



ISILIO ARRIAGA
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; or (2) 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 the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, 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.