

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Proposed tariff filing to add)	DOCKET NO. 910544-TL
Enhanced Uniform Call Distribution and)	
Direct Station Selection/Busy Lamp Field)	ORDER NO. 24845
to the Meridian Business Set for the)	
State of Florida, by CENTRAL TELEPHONE)	ISSUED: 7/25/91
COMPANY OF FLORIDA.)	
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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman
 J. TERRY DEASON
 BETTY EASLEY
 GERALD L. GUNTER
 MICHAEL McK. WILSON

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF FILING

BY THE COMMISSION:

Central Telephone Company of Florida (Centel or the Company) filed proposed revisions to its General Customer Services Tariff adding Centrex features for the State of Florida on March 7, 1991. This proposal will add Enhanced Uniform Call Distribution (EUCD) and Direct Station Selection/Busy Lamp Field (DSS/BLF) to Meridian Business Sets (MBS) in state government offices.

Centel used a fully allocated cost method for these features. It also priced the service at its cost plus return pursuant to a contract with the State. The Company's cost projections for EUCD amount to \$222.24/feature/month (monthly proposed rate: \$222.00). The costs for DSS/BLF are projected to be \$275.90/feature/month (monthly proposed rate: \$275.90).

The costs developed for these features appear to be reasonable. The features are purchased separately by the local exchange company for each customer, so fluctuations in demand should not have much bearing on the features' costs. Therefore we do not object to the Company charging a price to the state that equals the projected costs plus the Company's rate of return for providing the service.

We believe this tariff is appropriate. The Department of General Services has indicated that the service and rates proposed are consistent with its contract. Furthermore, we are satisfied

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that the service will recover its costs and is in the public interest.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Central Telephone Company of Florida's tariff filing proposing to provide Enhanced Uniform Call Distribution and Direct Station Selection/Busy Lamp Field is hereby approved. It is further


ORDERED that this tariff shall become effective as of May 27, 1991. It is further

ORDERED that any protest of this Order shall be filed pursuant to the requirements set forth below. It is further

ORDERED that if a timely protest is filed pursuant to the requirements set forth below, all increased revenues resulting from this filing shall be held subject to refund. It is further

ORDERED that if no protest is filed pursuant to the requirements set forth below, this docket shall be closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 25th day of JULY, 1991.



STEVE TRIBBLE, 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

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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 at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on 8/15/91.

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 sewer 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.