

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Proposed tariff filing)
to reprice and restructure local)
private line services by)
GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED.)

DOCKET NO. 910967-TL

In re: Proposed tariff filing)
to reprice and restructure local)
private line services by)
UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF)
FLORIDA.)

DOCKET NO. 911085-TL
ORDER NO. PSC-92-0963-FOF-TL
ISSUED: 09/09/92

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman
SUSAN F. CLARK
J. TERRY DEASON
BETTY EASLEY
LUIS J. LAUREDO

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Order No. PSC-92-0401-FOF-TL, this Commission restructured and repriced intraexchange (local) private line rates for GTE and United telephone companies to be effective September 1, 1992. We instructed the companies to file BHMOC reductions to offset increased revenues associated with the restructure and repricing. In addition, we ordered ATT-C to reduce its MTS rates in response to GTE's and United's BHMOC reductions on the same date as the BHMOC reductions were effective.

By Order No. PSC-92-0738-FOF-TL, we instructed GTE to postpone the effective date of its restructure and repricing as well as the flow through BHMOC reductions until December 1, 1992, to allow the Company time to pursue alternatives for alarm customers. ATT-C requests that it be allowed to revise the date it intended to file MTS rate reductions.

We have determined that we will address flow through of access reductions for ATT-C on a case-by-case basis. We have in the past required ATT-C to pass through all access cost savings in the form of rate reductions. We ordered ATT-C to pass on to its customers its additional cost savings as a result of the BHMOC reductions ordered in these dockets to be effective September 1, 1992.

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GTE and United are to reduce their BHMOC revenues by \$4.2 million; ATT-C will experience a cost savings of \$2.73 million. This is based on ATT-C's current 65% market share. A majority of the revenue associated with the offset is attributable to GTE's tariff. ATT-C states that it has determined that United's portion of the access reduction is approximately \$155,000. ATT-C requests that we revise the effective date of its flow through tariff. ATT-C requests that it be allowed to file tariff revisions to be effective December 1, 1992.

We approve ATT-C's request. If ATT-C were to file tariffs to reduce rates by the amount of \$155,000 (United's BHMOC reduction), these rates would be reduced only very minimally. The majority of revenue associated with the restructure and repricing of local private line service for United was identified in its last rate case (Docket No. 910980). Since the majority of the reduction in access charges will not occur until December 1, 1992, due to the postponement of the implementation of GTE's tariff, we approve ATT-C's request that it be allowed to file tariff revisions for both United and GTE to be effective December 1, 1992.

Therefore, based upon the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that ATT-C's request to file tariff revisions to be effective December 1, 1992 is approved as filed. 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 these dockets shall remain open.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 9th day of September, 1992.

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STEVE TRIBBLE, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

by: Kay J. Ryan

Chief, Bureau of Records

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 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 September 30, 1992.

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 wastewater 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.