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M E M O R A N D U M

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TO : DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING

FROM : DIVISION OF COMMUNICATIONS [K. LEWIS] ¹⁰²
DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES [LUGO] ¹⁰⁰ _{sd/H}

RE : DOCKET NO. 960014-TL - UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF
FLORIDA - REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION FROM REQUIREMENT THAT
EACH TELEPHONE STATION SHALL ALLOW INCOMING CALLS.

DOCKETS NOS. 960058-TL & 960070-TL - BELLSOUTH
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. - REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION FROM
REQUIREMENT THAT EACH TELEPHONE STATION SHALL ALLOW
INCOMING CALLS.

AGENDA: 02/06/96 - REGULAR AGENDA - PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION -
INTERESTED PERSONS MAY PARTICIPATE

CRITICAL DATES: NONE

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: I:\PSC\CMU\WP\960014.RCM

CASE BACKGROUND

Each of the providers listed on page 4 have submitted one or more requests to block incoming calls at their pay telephones. Each of the requests were submitted on a properly completed Form PSC/CMU 2 (12/94). Staff believes the following recommendation is appropriate.

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DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

ISSUE 1: Should the Commission grant each of the providers listed on page 4 an exemption from the requirement that each telephone station shall allow incoming calls for the pay telephone numbers at the addresses listed?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes, the Commission should grant each of the providers listed on page 4 an exemption from the requirement that each telephone station shall allow incoming calls for the pay telephone numbers at the addresses listed.

STAFF ANALYSIS: Rules 25-24.515(8), and 25-4.076(6), Florida Administrative Code, provide in pertinent part;

Each telephone station shall allow incoming calls to be received, with the exception of those located at penal institutions, hospitals and schools, and at locations specifically exempted by the Commission. There shall be no charge for receiving incoming calls. Requests for exemption from the requirement that each telephone station allow incoming calls shall be accompanied by a completed FORM PSC/CMU-2 (12/94), which is incorporated into this rule by reference.

Each company has submitted a properly completed Request to Block Incoming Calls form for each of the instruments identified on page 4. Staff has reviewed each form and found each to have been signed by the owner or officer of the pay telephone company, the location owner, and the chief of the law enforcement agency of the jurisdiction in which the pay telephone is located.

By signing FORM PSC/CMU-2 (12/94), each pay telephone company has agreed to provide central office based intercept at no charge to the end-user and to prominently display a written notice directly above or below the telephone number which states "Incoming calls blocked at the request of law enforcement." Furthermore, there is language on the form above each of the three party's signatures which states "I am aware that pursuant to Section 837.06, Florida Statutes, whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public-servant in the performance of his official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree."

Staff is satisfied that the forms have been completed properly. Staff is not aware of any unusual circumstances that would require further investigation in any of these cases, consequently, staff recommends approval of each of the requests.

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ISSUE 2: Should these docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes, if no timely protest to the proposed agency action is filed within 21 days of the date of issuance of the Order, these dockets may be closed.

STAFF ANALYSIS: Whether staff's recommendation on issue 1 is approved or denied, the result will be a proposed agency action order. If no timely protest to the proposed agency action is filed within 21 days of the date of issuance of the Order, this docket may be closed. A protest filed in one docket shall not affect the closing of the other dockets.

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<u>DOCKET NO.</u>	<u>PROVIDER</u>	<u>PHONE NUMBER</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>CITY</u>
960014-TL	UNITED TELEPHONE	407/339-9958	1000 E ALTAMONTE DR	ALTAMONTE SPGS
960014-TL	UNITED TELEPHONE	407/767-9940	1000 E ALTAMONTE DR	ALTAMONTE SPGS
960014-TL	UNITED TELEPHONE	407/767-9910	1000 E ALTAMONTE DR	ALTAMONTE SPGS
960014-TL	UNITED TELEPHONE	407/767-9888	1000 E ALTAMONTE DR	ALTAMONTE SPGS
960058-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/850-9433	667 WEST LANCASTER RD	ORLANDO
960058-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/850-9097	667 WEST LANCASTER RD	ORLANDO
960058-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/850-9032	667 WEST LANCASTER RD	ORLANDO
960058-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/850-9096	667 WEST LANCASTER RD	ORLANDO
960058-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/850-9029	667 WEST LANCASTER RD	ORLANDO
960070-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/354-0620	3009 WEST OAK RIDGE RD	ORLANDO
960070-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/363-0868	3009 WEST OAK RIDGE RD	ORLANDO
960070-TL	BELLSOUTH	407/354-8559	3009 WEST OAK RIDGE RD	ORLANDO