ORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMION

VOTE SHEET

DATE:

February 6, 1996

RE: DOCKET NO. 951097-TL - Resolution by City of Fernandina Beach for extended area service (EAS) between Fernandina Beach exchange and Jacksonville exchange.

DOCKET NO. 951269-TL - Resolution by Charlotte County Board of Commissioners for extended area service (EAS) between Port Charlotte, Englewood, Cape Haze, Punta Gorda, and Boca Grande exchanges.

DOCKET NO. 960066-TL - Resolution by Madison County Board of Commissioners for extended area service (EAS) from Cherry Lake and Lee exchanges to Tallahassee exchange.

DOCKET NO. 960087-TL - Resolution by Volusia County Council for extended area service (EAS) from Orange City exchange to Winter Park and Orlando exchanges.

Issue 1: Recommendation that the requests for extended area service filed in Dockets 951097-TL, 951269-TL, 960086-TL, and 960087-TL should not be approved. Requests for EAS or ECS filed after July 1, 1995 that are implemented, if any, become part of non-basic service. Since EAS or ECS requested after July 1, 1995 would become a non-basic service, there is no express statutory authority for the Commission to require the price-regulated LECs to implement EAS or ECS. Thus, whether to implement an EAS or ECS request is a decision for the price-regulated LEC rather than for the Commission.

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

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Issue 2: Recommendation that, if no person whose substantial interests are affected files a protest within 21 days of the issuance date of the order from this recommendation, the order shall become final. A protest of the decision in one docket does not prevent the decision in the other dockets from becoming final.

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