BEFORE THE STAFF OF THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF STAFF WORKSHOP

TO

ALL PARTIES

AND

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKETS NOS. 961169-TP, 961173-TP

IN RE: PETITION BY AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC. FOR ARBITRATION WITH GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED CONCERNING INTERCONNECTION RATES, TERMS, AND CONDITIONS, PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996.

IN RE: PETITION BY SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP D/B/A SPRINT FOR ARBITRATION WITH GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED CONCERNING INTERCONNECTION RATES, TERMS, AND CONDITIONS, PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996.

ISSUED: October 15, 1996

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Rule 25-22.001, Florida Administrative Code, that the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission will conduct a workshop in the above-referenced dockets at the following time and place:

1:30 p.m., Monday, October 21, 1996 Room 362, Gerald L. Gunter Building 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida

* NOTE: Any person who is unable to attend may participate via telephone. To participate by telephone, call the following number at 1:30 p.m., Monday, October 21, 1996: (904) 921-5328 or Suncom (904) 291-5328.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this workshop is to begin the issue identification process. All parties should submit a list of issues, to be discussed on Monday, to Commission Staff and to each party by Friday, October 18, 1996.

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Any person requiring some accommodation at this hearing because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (904) 413-6770, at least five calendar days prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

JURISDICTION

Jurisdiction is vested in this Commission pursuant to Chapter 364, Florida Statutes.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 15th day of October, 1996.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director Division of Records and Reporting

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