

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Petition of Sprint Communica-
tions Company Limited Partnership for
Arbitration of Proposed Interconnection
Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunica-
tions, Inc., Pursuant to the Telecommu-
nications Act of 1996

Docket No. 961150-TP

Filed: November 20, 1996

**SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP'S
NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF ISSUES**

Sprint Communications Company Limited Partnership ("Sprint"),
by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby withdraws from this
arbitration proceeding the following issues as stated on the
Staff's November 12, 1996, List of Issues (Re-numbered):

ISSUE 1. Are the following items considered to be network
elements, capabilities, or functions? If so, is it techni-
cally feasible for BellSouth to provide Sprint with these
elements?

- Local Loop
- Network Interface Device
- Local Switching
- Operator Systems
- Interoffice Transmission Facilities
- Tandem Switching
- Signaling and Call Related Databases

ISSUE 2. What is the price of each of the items considered to
be network elements, capabilities, or functions?

ISSUE 3. What services provided by BellSouth, if any, should
be excluded from resale?

ISSUE 4. What are the appropriate wholesale rates for
BellSouth to charge when Sprint purchases BellSouth's retail
services for resale?

ISSUE 8. Should BellSouth be required to provide real-time
and interactive access via electronic interfaces as requested
by Sprint to perform the following:

- Pre-Service Ordering
- Service Trouble Reporting
- Service Order Processing and Provisioning (including
identification of line option by LSO)
- Billing
- Integrated Test Functionality

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ISSUE 14. When Sprint resells BellSouth's services, is it technically feasible or otherwise appropriate for BellSouth to brand operator services and directory services calls that are initiated from those resold services?

ISSUE 15. When Sprint uses BellSouth's operator services either on a resale basis or as an unbundled element, should BellSouth quote Sprint specific rates?

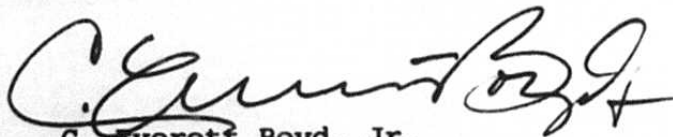
ISSUE 16. When BellSouth's employees or agents interact with Sprint's customers with respect to a service provided by BellSouth on behalf of Sprint, what type of branding requirements are technically feasible or otherwise appropriate?

ISSUE 17. Should BellSouth provide Sprint access to BellSouth's directory assistance and 911/E911 databases?

ISSUE 19. What is the compensation mechanism for the exchange of local traffic between Sprint and BellSouth?

DATED this 20TH day of November, 1996.

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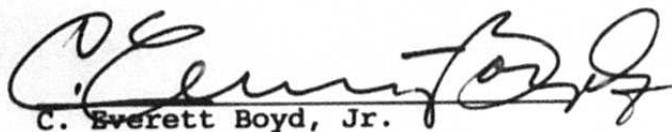
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