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JULY 15, 1997

RE: DOCKET NO. 970477-TP - Request for approval of interconnection agreement negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. with Sprint Spectrum, L.P. pursuant to Sections 251, 252, and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Issue 1: Should the Commission approve the interconnection and unbundling agreement between Sprint and BellSouth?

Recommendation: Yes. The Commission should approve the proposed interconnection agreement between Sprint and BellSouth. Since Sprint has not been certified to operate as an ALEC, Sprint should not provide landline service under this agreement until it receives its certificate. The Commission should require Sprint and BellSouth to file any subsequent supplements or modifications to their agreement for Commission review under the provisions of 47 U.S.C. § 252(e).

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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Issue 2: Should Docket No. 970477-TP be closed?

Recommendation: Yes, with the adoption of staff's recommendation in Issue 1, and issuance of the Commission's order approving the agreement, Docket No. 970477-TP should be closed.

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