

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO

GTE FLORIDA INCORPORATED

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

RE: UNDOCKETED SPECIAL PROJECT NO. 980000A-SP

FAIR AND REASONABLE RESIDENTIAL BASIC LOCAL
TELECOMMUNICATIONS RATES.

ISSUED: August 27, 1998

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Florida Public Service Commission will conduct a public hearing in the service territory of GTE Florida Incorporated, in accordance with Chapter 98-277, General Laws of Florida, at the following time and location:

Thursday, September 10, 1998
Sarasota County Administration
Center, 10:00 a.m.
Commission Chambers, 1st Floor
1660 Ringling Boulevard
Sarasota, Florida

Wednesday, September 23, 1998
St. Petersburg Bayfront Hilton
10:00 a.m.
The Whitted Room
333 1st Street
St. Petersburg, Florida

Wednesday, September 23, 1998
County Center, 6:00 p.m.
Hillsborough County Commission Chambers
601 E. Kennedy Boulevard
2nd Floor
Tampa, Florida

Customers will be given the opportunity to present testimony regarding the fair and reasonable Florida residential basic local telecommunications service rate.

All customers wishing to testify are urged to be present at the beginning of the hearing, since the hearing may be adjourned early if no customers are present. To be listed as an interested

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person in this matter, and to receive filings and correspondence, contact the Florida Public Service Commission, Division of Records and Reporting at (850) 413-6770.

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

As indicated, the purpose of this hearing is to elicit public testimony regarding the fair and reasonable Florida residential basic local telecommunications service rate. This hearing is being held in accordance with the new Chapter 98-277, General Laws of Florida, whereby the Florida Public Service Commission is required to conduct public hearings in the service territory of each local telecommunications company.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this hearing, because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (850) 413-6770 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1 (800) 955-8771 (TDD).

JURISDICTION

This Commission is vested with jurisdiction over the subject matter by the provisions of Chapter 364, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 98-277, General Laws of Florida. This hearing will be governed by said Chapters, as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes and Rules 25-22, and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 27th day of August, 1998.



BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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