

The FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION announces two staff workshops concerning the following undocketed matter to which all persons are invited.

UNDOCKETED MATTER: Review of Regulated Utilities' Year 2000 Preparations and Readiness (Telecommunications)

DATE AND TIME: Friday, March 19, 1999, 9:30 a.m.; Wednesday, March 31, 1999, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: March 19, 1999, workshop - Room 152, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida; March 31, 1999, workshop - Room 171, Betty Easley Conference Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida

PURPOSE: The March 19, 1999, workshop is intended to provide a forum for each facility-based local exchange company, alternative local exchange company, and interexchange company to explain in detail how it is testing and making preparations to make its systems year 2000 compliant and to discuss each company's overall operational readiness for the year 2000. The March 31, 1999, workshop is reserved to hear further from those companies that fail to adequately address the issues described above at the March 19, 1999, workshop.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this workshop 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.

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