

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

OCTOBER 19, 1999

RE: DOCKET NO. 991378-TL - Initiation of show cause proceedings against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for violation of service standards.

Issue 1: Should the Commission accept the settlement offer proposed by BellSouth in lieu of a show cause proceeding for apparent violation of the service standards?

Recommendation: Yes.

**APPROVED**

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: No. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the Commission's decision files a protest within 21 days of issuance of the proposed agency action order, this docket should remain open upon issuance of a Consummating Order, pending remittance of the \$125,000 voluntary contribution. Upon remittance of the settlement payment, this docket should be closed. If the company fails to pay in accordance with the terms of the Commission Order, the company's certificate should be canceled administratively, and this docket should be closed.

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