

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

NOVEMBER 16, 1999

RE: DOCKET NO. 990958-TL - Joint petition of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (holder of LEC Certificate No. 8) and Sprint-Florida, Incorporated (holder of LEC Certificate No. 22) to transfer territories in Orange and Hernando Counties and to amend certificates.

Issue 1: Should the joint petition filed by BellSouth and Sprint to modify certain exchange boundaries in Orange and Hernando counties and amend the companies' certificates be approved?

Recommendation: Yes. The joint petition filed by BellSouth and Sprint should be approved because it meets the requirements of Rules 25-4.005(1)(a), (b), and (c) and 25-4.005(3), Florida Administrative Code, Transfer of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as to All or a Portion of Service Areas. In addition, BellSouth and Sprint should file tariffs within sixty days of the issuance date of the order reflecting the exchange boundary changes.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

[Handwritten signatures: Susan J. Clark, Joe Lucas, J. Jerry Deason]

REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. This docket should be closed upon issuance of a Consummating Order unless a 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.

APPROVED