

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

JANUARY 11, 2000

RE: DOCKET NO. 991222-TP - Request for submission of proposals for relay service, beginning in June 2000, for the hearing and speech impaired, and other implementation matters in compliance with the Florida Telecommunications Access System Act of 1991.

Issue 1: Should the Executive Director: (a) issue the letter of intent (Attachment A to staff's December 30, 1999 memorandum) notifying all bidders of the Commission's decision to award a three-year contract to Sprint to be the provider of the statewide telecommunications relay service in Florida and (b) finalize and sign a contract with Sprint to provide the Florida Relay Service?

Recommendation: Yes, the Executive Director should issue the letter of intent notifying all bidders that Sprint should be awarded a three-year contract as the provider of the statewide telecommunications relay service in Florida and the Executive Director should finalize and sign a contract with Sprint, as described further in the Finalization of Contract section of staff's memorandum, to provide the Florida Relay Service.

MODIFIED

Approved with modification that (1) Sprint will keep track of roaming information and provide reports to staff, with the understanding that roaming can be terminated if necessary at no charge and (2) language concerning amendments to address FCC changes will not be included in the contract. Commissioner Deason dissented.

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: DS CL JC

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Commissioner Deason dissented on Issue 1. - on limited issue of including Roaming Service

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: No.

APPROVED