

VOTE SHEET

FEBRUARY 29, 2000

RE: DOCKET NO. 981834-TP - Petition of Competitive Carriers for Commission action to support local competition in BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s service territory.

DOCKET NO. ~~960786~~ TL - Consideration of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s entry into interLATA services pursuant to Section 271 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Issue 1: Should the Commission approve the retail analogs and benchmarks developed by KPMG?

Recommendation: Yes. Staff believes the retail analogs and benchmarks developed by KPMG (Attachment I to staff's February 16, 2000 memorandum) should be approved by the Commission.

**APPROVED**

*with modification regarding benchmarks made by staff at agenda.*

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission (981834 for this decision)

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

*[Handwritten signatures: Alan A. J. J. J., Susan B. Clark, Joe J. J., J. J. J.]*

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Issue 2: Should the Commission approve the statistical methodology developed by KPMG?

Recommendation: Yes. Staff believes the statistical methodology developed by KPMG (Attachment II) should be approved by the Commission.

**APPROVED**

Issue 3: Should these dockets be closed?

Recommendation: No. Whether or not the Commission approves Staff's recommendations in Issues 1 and 2, these dockets should remain open to address the issues raised in FCCA's Petition for Commission Action to Support Local Competition in BellSouth's Service Territory and BellSouth's compliance with Section 271. If the Commission approves Staff's recommendations in Issues 1 and 2, the Commission's decision on these issues will become final upon issuance of a consummating order if no person whose substantial interests are affected files a timely protest.

**APPROVED**