

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

SEPTEMBER 5, 2000

RE: DOCKET NO. 000780-TL - Request for temporary waiver of physical collocation in the J.T. Butler Central Office by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

Issue 1: Should BellSouth's Request for Temporary Waiver of Physical Collocation Requirements in the J. T. Butler central office be granted? Recommendation: Although the pleading in this docket is styled as a "Temporary Waiver of Physical Collocation Requirements," in the body of its Petition, BellSouth is requesting permanent relief. Staff believes BellSouth's Request for Permanent Waiver of Physical Collocation Requirements in the J. T. Butler central office should be denied. Instead, staff recommends that the Commission grant BellSouth a temporary waiver of physical collocation requirements until the renewal date of the current lease. In the interim, BellSouth should pursue efforts to resolve the issues listed in this recommendation so that physical collocation may be possible in the future. If BellSouth is unable to do so, the company should be allowed to seek another waiver, if necessary.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. If the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issue 1, this docket should be closed.

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