BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Investigation into pricing of unbundled network elements.

DOCKET NO. 990649-TP
ORDER NO. PSC-00-2368-PCO-TP
ISSUED: December 11, 2000

ORDER AUTHORIZING QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVE STATUS

On September 18, 2000, Robert J. Ridings, Attorney for Broadslate Networks of Florida, Inc., Cleartel Communications, Inc. and Florida Digital Network, Inc. (The Coalition), filed a written request pursuant to Rule 28-106.106, Florida Administrative Code. for Thomas R. Lotterman and Michael C. Sloan, Attorneys, Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP, 3000 K Street, Northwest, Suite 300, Washington, D.C. 20007-5116, to appear as Qualified Representatives for The Coalition in Docket No. 990649-TP. Having reviewed the request, it appears that Messrs. Lotterman and Sloan have the necessary qualifications to responsibly represent The Coalition's interests in a manner which will not impair the fairness of the proceeding or the correctness of the action to be taken. met the requirements of Rule 28-106.106(4), Florida Administrative Code, Messers. Lotterman and Sloan are authorized to appear as Qualified Representatives on behalf of The Coalition in this docket.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner E. Leon Jacobs, as Prehearing Officer, that Thomas R. Lotterman and Michael C. Sloan, Attorneys, Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP, 3000 K Street, Northwest, Suite 300, Washington, D.C. 20007-5116, are authorized to appear as Qualified Representatives on behalf of Broadslate Networks of Florida, Inc., Cleartel Communications, Inc. and Florida Digital Network, Inc., c/o Robert J. Ridings, Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP, 3000 K Street, Northwest, Suite 300, Washington, D.C. 20007-5116, in this docket.

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By ORDER of Commissioner E. Leon Jacobs, as Prehearing Officer, this $\underline{11th}$ day of $\underline{December}$, $\underline{2000}$.

E. LEON JACOBS

Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060,

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Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.