

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by Sprint
Spectrum L.P., d/b/a Sprint PCS
for arbitration of certain terms
and conditions of a proposed
agreement with BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc.
pursuant to Section 252 of the
Communications Act.

DOCKET NO. 000761-TP

FILED: December 11, 2000

STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

Pursuant to Order No. PSC-00-1563-PCO-TP, issued August 24, 2000, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission files its Prehearing Statement.

a. All Known Witnesses

None.

b. All Known Exhibits

None.

c. Staff's Statement of Basic Position

Staff's positions are preliminary and based on materials filed by the parties and on discovery. The preliminary positions are offered to assist the parties in preparing for the hearing. Staff's final positions will be based upon all the evidence in the record and may differ from the preliminary positions stated herein.

d. Staff's Position on the Issues

ISSUE 1: Does Sprint PCS incur costs in terminating BellSouth's land-to-mobile traffic? If so, what are those costs?

Position: Staff takes no position at this time.

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ISSUE 2: What costs identified in Issue 1, if any, constitute additional costs consistent with applicable laws and rules?

Position: Staff takes no position at this time.

ISSUE 3: Is Sprint PCS's cost study appropriate for determining the additional costs identified in Issue 2?

Position: Staff takes no position at this time.

ISSUE 4: For those elements and functions that constitute additional costs, is asymmetrical compensation appropriate?

Position: Staff takes no position at this time.

ISSUE 5: What is the appropriate level of compensation Sprint PCS should receive for the termination of BellSouth's land-to-mobile traffic?

Position: Staff takes no position at this time.

e. Pending Motions

None.

f. Pending Confidentiality Claims or Requests

Staff has no pending confidentiality claims or requests.

g. Compliance with Order No. PSC-00-1563-PCO-TP

Staff has complied with all requirements of the Order Establishing Procedure entered in this docket.

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Respectfully submitted this 11th day of December, 2000.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT was furnished to **John Fons, Esquire**, Ausley Law Firm, P.O. Box 391, Tallahassee, Florida 32302, **Ms. Nancy B. White, c/o Ms. Nancy H. Sims**, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., 150 South Monroe Street, Suite 400, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1556, **Michael P. Goggin**, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., 150 West Flagler St., Suite 1910, Miami, Florida 33130, and **Charles W. McKee, Esquire**, Sprint PCS, 4900 Main, 11th Floor, Kansas City, MO 64112, by U.S. Mail, on this 11th day of December, 2000.

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