

State of Florida



Public Service Commission

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DATE: March 14, 2001
TO: All Parties of Record and Interested Persons
FROM: Patricia A. Christensen, Senior Attorney, Division of Legal Services
RE: Docket No. 001810-TP - Request for arbitration concerning complaint of TCG South Florida and Teleport Communications Group against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for breach of terms of interconnection agreement.

VIA FACSIMILE

Please note that an issue identification meeting between Commission staff, TCG South Florida, Teleport Communications Group, and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. has been scheduled at the following time and place:

Friday, March 23, 2001, 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
 Gerald L. Gunter Building, Conference Room 362
 Florida Public Service Commission
 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

The purpose of this meeting will be to identify and discuss the issues involved in this docket. The issues identified at this meeting will be attached to the Order Establishing Procedure as the tentative issues list. Prefiled testimony and prehearing statements shall address the issues set forth in the tentative issues list.

Parties are reminded that it is the responsibility of the parties themselves to present evidence sufficient to support their case. It is not the responsibility of Commission staff to build the record for the parties. As such, the parties should be advised that, to the extent that they do not present evidence sufficient to provide a basis for a Commission decision on an issue, Commission staff may recommend that the Commission dismiss that issue because the record is inadequate or insufficient.

Attendance is not required. However, all interested persons are encouraged to attend. If you have any questions about the meeting, please call Patricia A. Christensen, Senior Attorney, at (850) 413-6220.

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cc: Division of Records and Reporting
 Division of Competitive Services (Watts)
 Division of Legal Services (Elliott)

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