

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Investigation into the establishment of operations support systems permanent performance measures for incumbent local exchange telecommunications companies.  
(VERIZON-FLORIDA TRACK)

DOCKET NO. 000121C-TP  
ORDER NO. PSC-02-0849-PCO-TP  
ISSUED: June 20, 2002

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

By Petition, Florida Cable Telecommunications Association (FCTA) has requested permission to intervene in this proceeding. FCTA states that it is a non-profit trade association representing the cable telecommunications industry in Florida. FCTA states that the certificated telecommunications companies represented by FCTA are dependent upon the operations support systems of incumbent local exchange companies (ILEC) in order to provide local service in Florida. Thus, FCTA states that any decision in this case will directly and substantially affect FCTA's interests. FCTA also states that intervention will advance efficiency by consolidating the participation of the multiple certificated telecommunications companies it represents.

Having reviewed the Petition, it appears that FCTA's substantial interests may be affected by this proceeding. As a representative of certificated telecommunications companies operating in Florida, FCTA states that the companies it represents must utilize the operations support systems of ILECs to provide local exchange service. Thus, FCTA has sufficiently demonstrated that its substantial interests may be affected by the outcome of this proceeding. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, FCTA takes the case as it finds it.

Therefore, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the Petition for Leave to Intervene filed by Florida Cable Telecommunications Association is hereby granted. It is further

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ORDERED that all parties to this proceeding shall furnish copies of all testimony, exhibits, pleadings and other documents which may hereinafter be filed in this proceeding, to:

Michael A. Gross  
Vice President, Regulatory Affairs  
& Regulatory Counsel  
Florida Cable Telecommunications Association  
246 E. 6th Avenue, Suite 100  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 20th  
Day of June, 2002.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director  
Division of the Commission Clerk  
and Administrative Services

By: Kay Flynn  
Kay Flynn, Chief  
Bureau of Records and Hearing  
Services

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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 the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, 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.