

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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FEBRUARY 7, 2006

RE: **Docket No. 050892-TP** - Petition for declaratory statement regarding applicability of Rule 25-24.515(22), F.A.C., or, in the alternative, petition for waiver of rule, by Global Tel\*Link Corporation.

**Issue 1:** Should the Commission grant Global's Petition for Declaratory Statement?

**Recommendation:** Yes. The Commission should grant Global's petition and declare that, based on the facts set forth in Global's petition, Rule 25-24.515(22), Florida Administrative Code, does not require Global to connect outgoing local and long distance calls for a minimum elapsed time of ten minutes when a confinement facility requests the company to terminate a call not authorized by the confinement facility.

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

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DISSENTING

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**Issue 2:** Should the Commission grant Global's Alternative Petition for Waiver of Rule?

**Recommendation:** If the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issue 1, Global's Alternative Petition for Waiver of Rule will be rendered moot, and the Commission need not consider the alternative petition. If, however, the Commission rejects staff's recommendation in Issue 1, staff recommends that the Commission grant Global's Alternative Petition for Waiver of Rule and waive Rule 25-24.515(22) to the extent that the company may disconnect calls prior to an elapsed time of ten minutes when a called party attempts to connect to a third party, in violation of the practices and procedures of the confinement facility.

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**Issue 3:** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** Yes. If the Commission approves staff's recommendation on the Petition for Declaratory Statement in Issue 1, the order issued by the Commission will be final and the docket may be closed. If the Commission chooses to reject staff's recommendation on the Petition for Declaratory Statement and instead grants the Alternative Petition for Waiver of Rule, as set forth in Issue 2, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a consummating order if no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of issuance of the order.

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