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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Complaint of Sprint Communications Company, Limited Partnership d/b/a Sprint and Sprint Metropolitan Networks, Inc. against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. regarding breach of interconnection agreement.

DOCKET NO. 971314-TP

DATED: FEBRUARY 6, 1998

STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

Pursuant to Order No. PSC-97-1614-PCO-TP, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission files its Prehearing Statement.

- A. All Known Witnesses: Staff does not intend to sponsor a witness at this time.
- B. All Known Exhibits: Staff has not yet identified a tentative list of exhibits which it intends to utilize in this proceeding. Staff will supply a tentative list of such exhibits at or prior to the Prehearing Conference.
- C. Staff's Statement of Basic Position:
None pending completion of hearing.
- D.-H. Staff's Position on the Issues:

ISSUE 1: Has BellSouth provided Firm Order Confirmation in a timely and accurate manner as agreed to by BellSouth and SMNI? (Count I)

A. If not, what relief, if any, is appropriate?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 2: Has BellSouth identified provisioning problems in a timely manner to enable SMNI to meet customer due dates at parity with the service provided by BellSouth to its retail customers? (Count II)

A. If not, what relief, if any, is appropriate?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

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ISSUE 3: Has BellSouth provided installation intervals for service established via unbundled loops in accordance with the interconnection agreement between BellSouth and SMNI? (Count II)

A. If not, what relief, if any, is appropriate?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 4: Has BellSouth disconnected customers seeking to migrate to SMNI service prior to the designated cut over date? (Count III)

A. If so, what relief, if any, is appropriate?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 5: Has BellSouth caused service interruptions to SMNI customers due to call routing errors, translations problems, or failure to properly implement interim number portability? (Count IV)

A. If so, what relief, if any, is appropriate?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

I. Stipulation

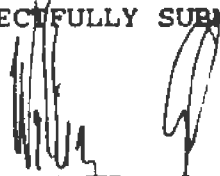
Staff is not aware of any issues that have been stipulated at this time.

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J. Pending Motions:

Staff has no pending motions at this time.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that one true and correct copy of Staff's
Prehearing Statement has been furnished **by U.S. Mail** this 6th day
of February, 1998, to the following:

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