BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF STAFF WORKSHOP

TO

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

SPECIAL PROJECT NO. 980000A-SP

RE: UNDOCKETED SPECIAL PROJECT NO. 980000A-SP - FAIR AND REASONABLE RESIDENTIAL BASIC LOCAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS RATES.

ISSUED: September 18, 1998

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Rule 25-22.001, Florida Administrative Code, that the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission will conduct a workshop in the above-referenced undocketed project at the following time and place:

Thursday, October 1, 1998 Friday, October 2, 1998 *8:30 a.m. Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

Thursday, October 8, 1998 Friday, October 9, 1998 8:30 a.m. Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center 4075 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, Florida

* A determing ion will be made at the conclusion of the first day of the workshop as to the exact beginning time of the second day of the workshop. In any event, the workshop will begin no later than 9:00 a.m. on October 2, 1998.

To participate by telephone, call the following number at the notified time: non-Suncom (850)488-7483 or Suncom (850)278-7483.

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

PURPOSE

The purpose of this workshop will be to hear presentations and comments related to issues being studied in the Undocketed Special Project No. 980000A-SP - Fair and Reasonable Residential Basic Local Telecommunications Rates. An Agenda for the workshop is attached to this notice.

Any questions concerning this notice may be addressed to Beth Keating, (850) 413-6212, or Anne Marsh, (850) 413-6554.

Any person requiring some accommodation at this workshop because of a physical impairment should call the Division of Records and Reporting at (850) 413-6770, at least 48 hours prior to the workshop. Any person who is hearing or speech impaired should contact the Florida Public Service Commission by using the Florida Relay Service, which can be reached at 1-800-955-8771 (TDD).

JURISDICTION

Jurisdiction is vested in this Commission pursuant to Chapter 364, Florida Statutes.

By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission this <u>18th</u> day of <u>September</u>, <u>1998</u>.

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KAY FLYNN, Chief Bureau of Records

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AGENDA STAFF WORKSHOP

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October 1, 1998

Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
8:30 am	Preliminary Matters	Staff	.5 hrs
9:00 am	Sprint	F. Ben Poag	1.5 hrs

TOPIC: Cost, affordability, value of service, affordable rates

10:30 am Break

Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
10:45 am	Small LECs	Tom McCabe	1hr
TOPIC: Small L	EC perspective		
Lunch from 12:0	0 to 1:00pm		
Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
1:00 pm	GTEFL	Dennis Trimble	1.5hrs
TOPIC: Overall	policy		

2:30 pm Break

Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
2:45 pm	Office of Attorney General	William Dunkel Tom Regan	1.5hrs

TOPIC: Loop cost recovery; tests for subsidy; relationship among rates; "double standard" contribution analysis.

4:15 pm Additional time for discussion if needed

5:00 pm Close (or as time permits)

October 2, 1998

Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
9:00 am	BellSouth, Sprint, and GTEFL	Don Perry	1.5 hrs

TOPIC: Affordability and value of service

10:30 am Break

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Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
10:45 am	Florida Legal Services	Ben Ochshorn	.25 hr

TOPIC: Comments on cost data submitted by the LECs

11:00 am Additional time for discussion, as needed

11:30 pm Close (or as tir permits)

October 8, 1998

Time

PLEASE NOTE: IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO STRICTLY ADHERE TO THE TIME LIMITS INDICATED FOR THIS DAY DUE TO THE NUMBER OF PRESENTERS SCHEDULED.

Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
8:30 am	BellSouth, Sprint, and GTEFL	Robert Harris	2 hrs
TOPIC: Afforda	bility and value of service		
10:30 am Break			

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10:45 am	Office of Public Counsel	Marvin H. Kahn	1 hr
TOPIC: Stand Alor	ne and Incremental Cost	Studies	

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Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
11:45 am	Sprint	Kent Dickerson	.75hrs
TOPIC: Cost			
12:30 Lunch Brea	ık		
Time	Sponsor	Speaker	Length
1:30 pm	AARP	Mark Cooper	1.5 hrs

TOPIC: Economic Analysis of relationship between basic service costs, access costs and other costs, as part of the telecommunications network, including identification and allocation of joint and common costs.

3:00 pm Break

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GTEFL	Bert Steele	l hr
Sponsor	Speaker	Length
BellSouth	Daonne Caldwell	.5hr
	Sponsor	Sponsor Speaker

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5:00 pm Close (or as time permits)