

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for emergency relief by Supra Telecommunications & Information Systems against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., concerning collocation and interconnection agreements.

DOCKET NO. 980800-TP  
ORDER NO. PSC-98-1509-PCO-TP  
ISSUED: November 13, 1998

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

On June 30, 1998, Supra Telecommunications and Information Systems filed a Petition for Emergency Relief Against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth). By its Petition, Supra asks that we require BellSouth to permit Supra to physically collocate its switch equipment in BellSouth's Golden Glades and West Palm Beach Gardens Central Offices. On July 20, 1998, BellSouth filed its Answer and Response to Supra's Petition. We held an administrative hearing regarding this matter on October 21, 1998.

By Order No. PSC-98-1219-PCO-TP, issued September 16, 1998, the procedural dates for this Docket were established. By that Order, the parties were required to file their post-hearing briefs by November 12, 1998. On November 2, 1998, BellSouth submitted a request for an extension to file post-hearing briefs on November 16, 1998. BellSouth stated that it had discussed this extension with counsel for Supra and that Supra does not object to the requested extension. Our staff also indicated that this request will not impair its ability to prepare the post-hearing recommendation in a timely manner.

Based on the foregoing, it appears that the extension of time is appropriate. BellSouth's request is granted.

It is, therefore

ORDERED by Commissioner E. Leon Jacobs, as Prehearing Officer, that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s request for an extension of time to file post-hearing briefs on November 16, 1998, is granted.

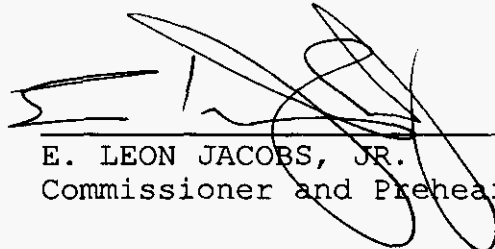
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By ORDER of Commissioner E. Leon Jacobs, Jr. as Prehearing Officer, this 13th Day of November, 1998.



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E. LEON JACOBS, JR.  
Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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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

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reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, 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.