The FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION announces a prehearing to be held in the following docket, to which all interested persons are invited.

Docket No. 000084-TP - Petition by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with US LEC of Florida, Inc. pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

DATE AND TIME: November 8, 2000, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Commission Hearing Room 152, Betty Easley Conference
Center, 4075 Esplanade Way, Tallahassee, Florida

PURPOSE: To consider (1) the simplification of the issues; (2)
the identification of the positions of the parties on the issues;
(3) the possibility of obtaining admissions of fact and of
documents which will avoid unnecessary proof; (4) the
identification of the exhibits; (5) the establishment of an order
of witnesses; and (6) such other matters as may aid in the
disposition of the action. Any person requiring some
accommodation at this prehearing because of a physical impairment
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