## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Restructure and repricing )
of intraLATA foreign exchange )
service for local exchange tele- )
phone companies )

DOCKET NO. 910612-TL ORDER NO. PSC-92-0176-FOF-TL ISSUED: 04/08/92

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

THOMAS M. BEARD, Chairman SUSAN F. CLARK J. TERRY DEASON BETTY EASLEY LUIS J. LAUREDO

ORDER APPROVING CENTEL'S TARIFF FILING
TO RESTRUCTURE AND REPRICE FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE

## BY THE COMMISSION:

This docket was initiated to address the restructure and repricing of intraLATA foreign exchange service (FX service) for local exchange companies (LECs), a necessary prerequisite to the elimination of the private line pool. Previously in this docket, this Commission approved the restructure and repricing of intraLATA FX service for all LECs. In Order No. 25583, this Commission approved Central Telephone Company of Florida's (Centel or the Company) tariff filing to restructure and reprice its intraLATA FX service.

In Order No. 25583, this Commission approved our staff's recommendation which was based on Centel's statement in a data request that it was the Company's intention to mirror the rate structure and rates in the open end portion of Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company's (Southern Bell) FX tariff due to limitations in measuring usage. However, when Centel filed its tariff to restructure and reprice FX service, the structure and rates the Company proposed on the open end was that of United Telephone Company (United). Centel's tariff letter and executive summary did not mention the change in structure or rates. Staff, in its attempt to expedite the restructure failed to notice the change that Centel had proposed.

This Commission has stated its preference for United's open end rates and structure and approved a similar tariff for GTE Florida, Inc. Accordingly, we conclude that Centel's tariff which adopts United's open end rates and structure would have been approved as filed.

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Centel's proposal on the open end is to measure both originating and terminating usage. Centel's proposed open end rates are as follows:

Originating Usage \$.0559

Terminating Usage \$.0481

Terminating Usage \$45.00

(if unable to measure)

The usage charges are capped at \$97.50 for the first two years.

Centel, as well as all other LECs in Florida, adopts the rate structure and rates in the closed end portion of Southern Bell's intraLATA FX tariff. Since the revenue associated with FX closed end is included in the industry's intraLATA private line pool, the changes proposed by Southern Bell for the FX closed end will apply to all Florida LECs.

Centel's revenue and customer impacts noted in the original order approving Centel's tariff filing are based on the above noted structure. The customer impacts are minimal and the revenue impact is close to neutral.

We approve Centel's tariff as filed with an effective date of February 10, 1992. Finally, since this Commission has addressed the restructure and repricing of intraLATA FX service for all LECs, this docket shall be closed.

Therefore, based upon the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Centel's tariff to restructure and reprice intraLATA foreign exchange service be approved as filed with an effective date of February 10, 1992. It is further

ORDERED that if a timely protest is filed pursuant to the requirements set forth below, all increased revenues resulting from this filing shall be held subject to refund. It is further

ORDERED that if no protest is received within the time frame set forth below, this docket shall be closed.

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By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 8th day of April, 1992.

TEVE TRIBBLE Director

Division of Records and Reporting

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## NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), 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.

The Commission's decision on this tariff is interim in nature and will become final, unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the action proposed files a petition for a formal as provided by Rule 25-22.036(4), proceeding, Code, provided Rule Administrative form in the 25-22.036(7)(a)(d) and (e), Florida Administrative Code. petition must be received by the Director, Division of Records and Reporting at his office at 101 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, by the close of business on April 29, 1992.

In the absence of such a petition, this Order shall become final on the day subsequent to the above date.

Any objection or protest filed in this docket before the issuance date of this Order is considered abandoned unless it satisfies the foregoing conditions and is renewed within the specified protest period.

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If this Order becomes final on the date described above, any party adversely affected may request judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or by the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or sewer utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days of the date this Order becomes final, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.