

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

Docket No. 970990-Th - Proposed tariff filing by GTE Florida
Incorporated to transfer a portion of the Sarasota exchange into
the Bradenton exchange.

DATE AND TIME: March 13, 1998, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Commission Hearing Room 152, Betty Fasley 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
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