

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF BRANDENBURG)
TELEPHONE COMPANY FOR AN ADJUST-)
MENT OF RATES FOR LOCAL OPERATORS) CASE NO. 9037
ASSISTANCE AND LOCAL DIRECTORY)
ASSISTANCE)

O R D E R

On April 10, 1984, Brandenburg Telephone Company ("Brandenburg") filed with the Commission tariffs reflecting changes of rates for local operator assistance and local directory assistance concurring with comparable tariffs approved for South Central Bell ("SCB") in Case No. 8847, Notice of South Central Bell Telephone Company of an Adjustment in its Intrastate Rates and Charges. The Commission is of the opinion that additional information is needed to reweiv this matter and subsequently render a decision.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Brandenburg shall file an original and six copies of the following information with the Commission on or before June 29, 1984. If neither the requested information nor a motion for an extension of time is filed by the stated date, this case may be dismissed.

1. In your application you state that it would be very difficult to charge a different rate than South Central Bell. Please identify the difficulty envisioned with two rates, e.g., billing.

2. When was the most recent period in which the tariffs of Brandenburg and SCB did not concur? What were the circumstances?

3. Is the 30 day period in February and March representative for an entire 12 month period? If not, please amend your application as necessary to recognize more representative data.

4. Please file financial data as required by Section 6, Financial Exhibit of 807 KAR 5:001. (In lieu of this data, Brandenburg may request waiver of section 6 and substitute by reference its 1983 Annual Report.)

5. What considerations has Brandenburg given to absorbing the entire adjustment proposed.

6. What effect would total absorption have upon Brandenburg's financial condition with reference the overall rate of return approved in Brandenburg's most recent rate case.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 15th day of June, 1984.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:

Secretary