

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIER)
BILLING OF INTERSTATE) Adm. No. 292
END USER CHARGES)

O R D E R

As a result of actions by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") in CC Docket No. 78-72, MTS/WATS Market Structure, interstate end user charges applicable to multiline service became effective May 25, 1984. Interstate end user charges applicable to single line and multi-party service will be effective June 1, 1985.

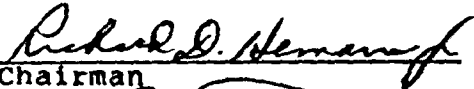
Although the Commission does not have jurisdiction over the implementation of interstate end user charges, it does have jurisdiction over customer billing; specifically, the listing of charges on customer bills.¹ In view of this authority and the concern of the Commission that some local exchange carriers may include interstate end user charges in local service billing, the Commission, on its own motion, is of the opinion and finds that interstate end user charges should be separately listed from all other charges on customer bills and appropriately identified as an FCC mandated charge.

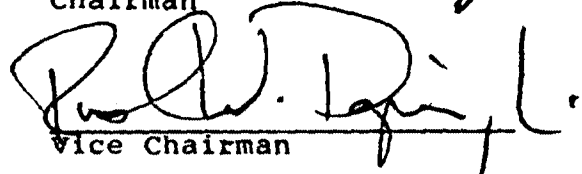
¹ Administrative Regulations, 807 KAR 5:061 (14).

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that all local exchange carriers under the jurisdiction of the Commission shall separately list and identify interstate end user charges on customer bills effective with billings rendered on or after June 1, 1985.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 9th day of May, 1985.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Secretary