

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PETITION OF SOUTH CENTRAL BELL)
TELEPHONE COMPANY TO CHANGE)
AND INCREASE CERTAIN RATES) CASE NO. 9160
CHARGES FOR INTRASTATE)
TELEPHONE SERVICE)

O R D E R

On January 25, 1985, the Kentucky Hospital Association ("KHA"), an intervenor in this case, filed a motion to extend the time for filing its testimony from January 25 to February 1, 1985. As grounds therefor, KHA states that it plans to meet with South Central Bell Telephone Company ("South Central") during the week of January 28, 1985, and that such meeting may have a significant impact on KHA's proposed testimony in this case. KHA further states that it has discussed this proposed extension with South Central and that the company has no objection to the February 1 date for KHA's testimony so long as South Central is given until February 15, 1985, to submit any information requests to KHA.

The Commission finds that KHA has shown good cause for extending the time for filing its testimony in this case. The Commission further notes that at the time KHA wrote this motion it had not yet received the Commission's Order issued on January


24, 1985. Therein, the Commission specifically limited further discovery by KHA on the issue of LMS (local measured service), and invited KHA's participation in Administrative Case 285 which is devoted solely to the merits of further LMS offering in Kentucky. As a result of this Order, KHA may wish to reevaluate its position in this case, with the result that there would be the need for little, if any, testimony by KHA in this proceeding.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the time for the filing of any testimony by KHA is extended to and including February 1, 1985, and the time in which South Central must submit any information requests to KHA is extended to and including February 15, 1985.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all other procedural dates set forth in Appendix A to the Commission's December 12, 1984, Order remain unchanged.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 29th day of January, 1985.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary