

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INVESTIGATION CONCERNING THE )  
PROPRIETY OF PROVISION OF )  
INTERLATA SERVICES BY BELLSOUTH ) CASE NO.  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. PURSUANT ) 96-608  
TO THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT )  
OF 1996 )

O R D E R

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") having moved for an extension of time in which to respond to data requests propounded by AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. ("AT&T") and for approval of its proposed procedural schedule, and the Commission finding that the motion should be granted, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. BellSouth's motion for an extension is granted and its response to AT&T's data requests are now due March 21, 1997.
2. BellSouth's proposed procedural schedule, which is attached hereto, is hereby approved.
3. The hearing in this matter is scheduled for May 8 and 9, 1997 and will continue the week of May 12, 1997, beginning at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 730 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 5th day of March, 1997.

ATTEST:

Don Mills  
Executive Director

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Linda K. Breathitt  
For the Commission

# EXHIBIT 1

Case No. 96-608

## PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR 271 FILING IN KENTUCKY

- March 14            Decision on procedural schedule on or before this date.
- March 25            On or about this date, file Notice of Intent to file for interLATA relief with the FCC no earlier than June 23 (the 90-day notice required by Order, Feb. 14, 1997, Case No. 96-608).
- March 28            File draft Statement of Generally Available Terms and Conditions and responses to data requests. (BellSouth proposes to file a "draft" to start the Commission's review in order not to trigger the statutory 60-day requirement under §252(f)(3).
- April 14            BST and Intervenors file simultaneous Direct Testimony.
- April 23            BST files official Statement of Generally Available Terms and Conditions (Day 1) triggering the 60-day review period under §252(f)(3). BellSouth would agree that this filing must conform to the "draft" filing in all material respects.
- April 28            BellSouth and Intervenors file Rebuttal Testimony (Day 5).
- May 8-9, 12-16    Hearings (Days 14-23). Hearing could begin as late as the week of May 12 and still give the Commission 4-5 weeks for its deliberations. Kentucky has a history of conducting hearing in a shorter time frame than other states. The number of days BellSouth suggests be set aside for the hearing is based on experience in Georgia where 18 intervenor witnesses filed testimony. See Georgia Public Service Commission Dockets 6863-U and 7253-U.
- June 23            Decision (Day 60).

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ATTACHMENT