

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPROVAL OF RECIPROCAL)
COMPENSATION AGREEMENT)
BETWEEN AMERITECH INFORMATION)
INDUSTRY SERVICES AND)
LOUISVILLE LIGHTWAVE, L.P.) CASE NO. 97-525
PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 251 AND)
252 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS)
ACT OF 1996)

O R D E R

On December 18, 1997, Ameritech Information Industry Services (a Division of Ameritech Services, Inc.) ("Ameritech") and Louisville Lightwave, L.P. ("Louisville Lightwave") submitted to the Commission their negotiated reciprocal compensation agreement. The agreement was negotiated pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996 ("1996 Act"), 47 U.S.C. Sections 251 and 252. Section 252(e) of the 1996 Act requires the parties to an interconnection agreement adopted by negotiation to submit the agreement for approval to the Commission.

The Commission has reviewed the agreement and finds that no portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement. The Commission also finds that the implementation of this agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

Ameritech and Louisville Lightwave must comply with all relevant Commission mandates for serving in this Commonwealth.

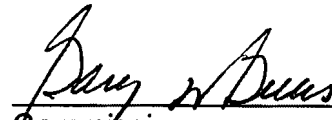
The Commission, having been otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that the negotiated reciprocal compensation agreement between Ameritech and Louisville Lightwave is approved.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of February, 1998.

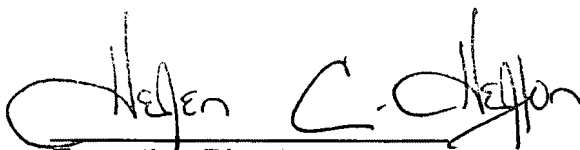
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ATTEST:


Executive Director