COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES OF LOUISVILLE, INC. D/B/A e.spire COMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES OF LEXINGTON, INC. D/B/A e.spire COMMUNICATIONS, INC.))))
and)
ALEC, INC.)
COMPLAINANTS)
V .)) CASE NO. 98-212
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.)
DEFENDANT)

ORDER

This matter arising upon the motion of ICG Telecom Group, Inc. ("ICG"), filed June 1, 1998, for full intervention, and it appearing to the Commission that ICG has a special interest which is not otherwise adequately represented, and that such intervention is likely to present issues and develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings, and this Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The motion of ICG to intervene is granted.

2. ICG shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order.

Should ICG file documents of any kind with the Commission in the course of 3. these proceedings, it shall also serve a copy of said documents on all other parties of record.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 16th day of June, 1998.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

J. Helfon

ATTES7 Executive Director