

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PILGRIM TELEPHONE, INC. V. BELLSOUTH)
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR A) CASE NO. 99-385
PETITION FOR ARBITRATION PURSUANT)
TO SECTION 252(b) OF THE TELECOMMUNI-)
CATIONS ACT OF 1996)

ORDER

On April 13, 2000, Pilgrim Telephone, Inc. ("Pilgrim") notified the Commission via facsimile that it and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") have made substantial progress toward negotiation of a settlement. The parties have requested that the hearing scheduled for April 14, 2000 be continued generally to enable them to reach a final agreement. The Commission HEREBY ORDERS that this request be granted. A public hearing in this matter will be rescheduled at a later date if necessary.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of April, 2000.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Deputy Wm H. Bowen
Executive Director