

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION BY SOUTH CENTRAL BELL)	
TELEPHONE COMPANY FOR DEVIATION FROM)	
807 KAR 25:030, SECTION 2(4)(e) AND)	CASE NO. 8097
(5)(c), AND PORTIONS OF SECTION 13)	
(1), 13(2), and 13(3))	

O R D E R

On December 16, 1980, South Central Bell Telephone Company (Applicant) filed an application with the Commission wherein it requested authority to deviate from certain sections of the Kentucky Administrative Regulations that govern its utility.

The request involved 807 KAR 25:030, Section 2(4)(e) and (5)(c), which require that all pages of a tariff filed with the Commission contain the "signature of the officer of the utility authorized to issued tariffs," and 807 KAR 25:030, Section 13 (1), 13(2), and 13(3) and the example forms contained therein which require that the issue date, effective date and the signature and title of the issuing officer of a company appear at the bottom of each tariff sheet.

The Applicant requested that it be allowed to print its tariffs with the issue date, effective date and the title of the issuing company officer at the top of the tariff page.

The Applicant has centralized its printing process at its headquarters located in Birmingham, Alabama and to fully take advantage of the savings accruing from this centralization, it is necessary to standardize the form on which the tariff pages are printed.

The Commission after reviewing the record and being fully advised is of the opinion and finds:

1. That the Applicant's request for deviation from the aforesaid mentioned regulations should be granted in part, insofar as it is in the best interest of the Applicant and the public to print the information required in 807 KAR 25:030, Section 13(1), 13(2), and 13(3) as shown on the example forms on the top of each tariff page instead of the bottom as required.

2. That each page need not require the "signature of the officer of the utility authorized to issue tariffs "as stated in 807 KAR 25:030, Section 2(4)(e) and 5(c), but, that each page shall contain the name and title of the officer of the utility authorized to issue tariffs.

3. That the holding of a hearing and taking of further evidence in this matter would serve no purpose and that formal hearing should be waived.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Applicant's request for deviation from 807 KAR 25:030 Section 13(1), 13(2), and 13(3) which moved certain printing requirements from the bottom of each tariff page to the top of the tariff page is hereby granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Applicant's request for deviation from 807 KAR 25:030 Section 2(4)(e) and 5(c) be and it is hereby granted in part, insofar that each page need not require the "signature of the officer of the utility authorized to issue tariffs," but, shall contain the name and title of the officer of the utility authorized to issue tariffs.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that formal hearing be and it is hereby waived.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 2nd day of February, 1981.

UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Chairman


Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary