COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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US SPRINT'S TARIFF FILING PROPOSING) TO RENAME ITS WATS PRODUCTS, CHANGE) BILLING CALCULATIONS METHODS FOR) WATS, INTRODUCE ULTRAWATS,) TRAVELCARD, DIRECT 800 AND ULTRA) 800)

INTERIM ORDER

On June 29, 1987, US Sprint ("Sprint") filed a tariff with the Commission proposing to introduce two new services, Direct 800 and ULTRA 800.

On August 31, 1987, the proposed tariff was suspended for 5 months pending further investigation. However, it is not the intent of the Commission to place Sprint at a competitive disadvantage; therefore, the Direct 800 and ULTRA 800 service tariff should be granted interim approval, subject to the following stipulations, which were also ordered in the related cases:

1. Sprint shall implement procedures to measure and report interstate and intrastate jurisdictional usage and interLATA and intraLATA usage.

2. Sprint shall inform prospective customers that the use of this service to complete intraLATA calls is not authorized by this Commission.

3. As part of its investigation of this tariff, the Commission will consider appropriate means for compensating local exchange carriers for unauthorized intraLATA traffic that results from this tariff on and after the date of this Order.

In order for the Commission to determine the reasonableness of the proposed tariff, Sprint shall file an original and 10 copies of the following information with the Commission:

Provide a description of Direct 800 and ULTRA 800 service similar to a presentation that would be given to a prospective customer. Provide copies of any applicable sales literature.

The information requested herein is due no later than September 16, 1987. If the information cannot be provided by this date, Sprint should submit a motion for an extension of time stating the reason a delay is necessary and include a date by which it will be furnished. Such motion will be considered by the Commission.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Sprint's Direct 800 and ULTRA 800 tariff be, and hereby is, granted interim approval, effective the date of this Order pending further investigation and subject to the stipulations described in this Order.

2. Sprint shall file its implementation procedures for the determination of jurisdictional usage as described in stipulation 1, by September 30, 1987.

3. Sprint shall file the information previously mentioned in this Order by September 16, 1987.

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Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 1st day of September, 1987.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST:

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Executive Director