

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INVESTIGATION INTO WHETHER WATS) ADMINISTRATIVE
RESELLERS SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN THE) CASE NO. 328
ULAS ALLOCATION PROCESS)

O R D E R

On September 29, 1988, the Commission issued an Order in Administrative Case No. 311¹ adopting a new allocator based on terminating switched access minutes of use. In that Order the Commission deferred the issue of whether WATS resellers should be included in the ULAS allocation process to another investigation or possible rehearing.² AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. ("AT&T") filed a Petition for Rehearing of the September 29, 1988 Order concerning certain issues, including the exclusion of WATS resellers that also use access services from the ULAS allocation plan. By Order dated November 9, 1988 the Commission granted rehearing. The Commission notified all utilities providing long-distance services, including all WATS resellers, that the Administrative Case No. 311 rehearing would address the issue of whether WATS resellers should have to participate in the ULAS allocation plan.

¹ Administrative Case No. 311, Investigation of InterLATA Carrier Billed Minutes of Use as a ULAS Allocator.

² Ibid. at page 32.


Several parties have suggested severing the WATS resellers' issues and no party has objected to severance.

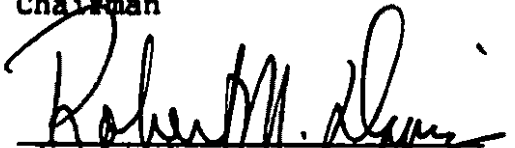
The Commission, on its own motion, finds that the WATS resellers' issues can most appropriately be addressed in this separate proceeding. All parties to Administrative Case No. 311 should be deemed parties to this matter. Parties should refile their testimony concerning the WATS resellers' participation in ULAS into this proceeding by April 14, 1989. Information requests to WATS resellers should be due no later than May 3, 1989.

BE IT SO ORDERED.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of March, 1989.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice-Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director