

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF METROPOLITAN FIBER)
SYSTEMS OF KENTUCKY, INC. FOR A)
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND) CASE NO. 94-093
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE INTRASTATE)
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES AND TO)
CONSTRUCT FACILITIES)

O R D E R

On April 21, 1994, Metropolitan Fiber Systems of Kentucky, Inc. ("MFS") filed an application for initial operations in Kentucky.

On August 9, 1994, BellSouth Telecommunications Corporation d/b/a South Central Bell Telephone Company ("South Central Bell") filed a motion to intervene which was granted on August 11, 1994.

On August 19, 1994, MFS filed a letter objecting to the grant of intervention to South Central Bell. South Central Bell responded by letter dated September 6, 1994.

On August 25, 1994, MCI Telecommunications Corporation ("MCI") filed a motion to intervene. It appears to the Commission that MCI 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.

The Commission, having considered MCI's motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that this proceeding may

address unique issues and that the potential intervenors should be permitted to present issues and develop facts.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. MFS's request to reconsider South Central Bell's grant of intervention is denied.

2. MCI's motion to intervene is granted.

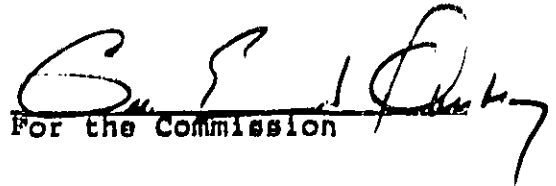
3. MCI shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order.

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

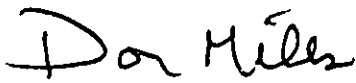
5. Data requests to MFS shall be due no later than 20 days from the date of this Order with responses to the data requests due no later than 40 days from the date of this Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of October, 1994.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director