COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PETITION BY E.SPIRE COMMUNICATIONS,)	
INC. AND AMERICAN COMMUNICATION)	
SERVICES OF LEXINGTON, INC. AND) CASE NO. 98-61	9
AMERICAN COMMUNICATION SERVICES)	
OF LOUISVILLE, INC. FOR ARBITRATION)	
OF AN INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT)	
WITH BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS,)	
INC. PURSUANT TO SECTION 252(b) OF THE)	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996)	

<u>O R D E R</u>

On March 8, 1999, the Commission established a procedural schedule for the arbitration of an interconnection agreement between e.spire Communications, Inc., American Communication Services of Lexington, Inc., and American Communication Services of Louisville, Inc. (collectively "e.spire") and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. On March 15, 1999, e.spire notified the Commission that it has resolved all outstanding issues and that arbitration is no longer necessary. The Commission will review the negotiated agreement between these parties when it is filed.

The Commission, having been notified that the issues for arbitration have been resolved by the parties, and having been otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that the procedural schedule, including the May 5, 1999 hearing, is cancelled.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 20 th day of April, 1999.		
	By the Commission	
ATTEST:		
Executive Director		