BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

August 29, 1996

IN RE:)	
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NAME CHANGE OF SOUTHEAST)	
TELEPHONE LIMITED PARTNERSHIP,)	DOCKET NO. 96-01201
LTD. TO SOUTHEAST TELEPHONE, L.P.	ĺ	•

ORDER

This matter is before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority on the Petition of SouthEast

Telephone Limited Partnership, LTD. for approval of its name change to SouthEast Telephone,

L.P.

SouthEast Telephone Limited Partnership, LTD. is the holder of a Certificate of Necessity as a Competing Telecommunications Service Provider. SouthEast Telephone Limited Partnership, Ltd. changed its name, and registered to transact business in the State of Tennessee, under the name SouthEast Telephone, L.P. An Application for Amended Registration of Foreign Limited Partnership to register and transact business in the State of Tennessee was filed with the Tennessee Secretary of State on July 23, 1996. The change reflects a change of name only. There has been no merger of partnerships nor companies nor a change of ownership. There has been no change of control nor change in partnership officers, headquarters. etc.

WHEREFORE, having considered the Petition for name change and the reasons set forth therein, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority finds that recognition of such name change should be granted.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED:

That the name change of SouthEast Telephone Limited Partnership, Ltd. to SouthEast

Telephone, L.P. be and the same is hereby approved.

CHAIRMAN

DIRECTOR

ATTEST:

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