

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

**February 28, 1997**

**Nashville, Tennessee**

**IN RE: UNITED TELEPHONE-SOUTHEAST, INC.,  
TARIFF NO. 96-201 TO REFLECT ANNUAL  
PRICE CAP ADJUSTMENT**

**DOCKET NO. 96-01423**

**ORDER**

This matter came before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (TRA) on February 4, 1997, at a regularly scheduled conference to approve the Initial Order of the Hearing Officer. The Initial Order included a procedural schedule that the parties had agreed to, including a tentative hearing date of March 11, 1997. The Initial Order also acknowledged the consent of United Telephone-Southeast (United) to any further suspensions of the proposed tariff as may be necessary.

The Authority unanimously voted to approve the Initial Order of the Hearing Officer and suspend the effective date of the tariff for an additional sixty (60) days until May 5, 1997.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

1. The Initial Order of the Hearing Officer is hereby approved;
2. Tariff 96-201 is further suspended for a period of sixty (60) days;
3. A hearing in this matter is scheduled for Tuesday, March 11, 1997, at 9:00 a.m., in the Authority's hearing room;

4. Any party aggrieved with the Authority's decision in this matter may file a Petition for Reconsideration with the Authority within ten (10) days from and after the date of this Order; and

5. Any party aggrieved with the Authority's decision in this matter has the right of judicial review by filing a Petition for Review in the Tennessee Court of Appeals, Middle Section, within sixty (60) days from and after the date of this Order.

  
CHAIRMAN

  
DIRECTOR

  
DIRECTOR

ATTEST:

  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY