

Written comments should be sent to Sara Schneeberg at the above address and must be submitted on or before August 5, 1998.

Dated: April 16, 1998.

Scott C. Fulton,

Acting General Counsel.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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Notice of Telecommunications Relay Services (TRS) Certification

Released: June 26, 1998.

Notice is hereby given that the applications for certification of state Telecommunication Relay Services (TRS) programs of the states listed below have been granted, subject to the condition described below, pursuant to Title IV of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 47 U.S.C. 225(f)(2), and section 64.605(b) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 64.605(b). The Commission will provide further Public Notice of the certification of the remaining applications for certification once review of those states' applications has been completed. On the basis of the states applications, the Commission has determined that:

- (1) The TRS program of the listed states meet or exceed all operational, technical, and functional minimum standards contained in section 64.604 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 64.604;
- (2) The TRS programs of the listed states make available adequate procedures and remedies for enforcing the requirements of the state program; and,
- (3) The TRS programs of the listed states in no way conflict with federal law.

The Commission also has determined that, where applicable, the intrastate funding mechanisms of the listed states are labeled in a manner that promotes national understanding of TRS and does not offend the public, consistent with section 64.605(d) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 64.605(d).

On May 14, 1998, the Commission adopted a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking that proposes ways to enhance the quality of existing telecommunications relay services (TRS) and expand those services for better use by individuals with speech disabilities. See Telecommunications Relay Services and Speech-to-Speech Services for Individuals with Hearing and Speech Disabilities, CC Docket No.

98-67, FCC 98-90 (rel. May 20, 1998). Because the Commission may adopt changes to the rules governing relay programs, including state relay programs, the certification granted herein is conditioned on a demonstration of compliance with any new rules ultimately adopted by the Commission. The Commission will provide guidance to the states on demonstrating compliance with such rule changes.

This certification, as conditioned herein, shall remain in effect for a five year period, beginning July 26, 1998, and ending July 25, 2003, pursuant to 47 CFR 64.605(c). One year prior to the expiration of this certification, July 25, 2002, the states may apply for renewal of their TRS program certifications by filing documentation in accordance with the Commission's rules, pursuant to 47 CFR 64.605 (a) and (b).

Copies of certification letters are available for public inspection at the Commission's Common Carrier Bureau, Network Services Division, Room 235, 2000 M Street, NW, Washington, DC, Monday through Thursday, 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM (closed 12:30 to 1:30 PM) and the FCC Reference Center, Room 239, 1919 M Street, NW, Washington, DC, daily, from 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM.

Fifth Notice of States Approved for Certification

File No. TRS-97-03.

Applicant: Alabama Public Service Commission.

State of: Alabama.

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Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meeting, Notice of Agency Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given that the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's Board of Directors will

meet in open session at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 7, 1998, to consider the following matters:

Summary Agenda: No substantive discussion of the following items is anticipated. These matters will be resolved with a single vote unless a member of the Board of Directors requests that an item be moved to the discussion agenda.

Disposition of minutes of previous Board of Directors' meetings.

Reports of actions taken pursuant to authority delegated by the Board of Directors.

Memorandum and resolution re: Interim Rule to Amend Part 347 of the FDIC's Rules and Regulations.

Memorandum and resolution re: Part 325—Final Rule Revising the Regulatory Capital Treatment of Servicing Assets.

Memorandum and resolution re: Revised Statement of Policy on the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

Memorandum and resolution re: Revised Statement of Policy regarding the Assessment of Civil Money Penalties by the Federal Bank Regulatory Agencies.

Memorandum and resolution re: Final Amendments to Part 360—Receivership Rules.

Discussion Agenda

Memorandum and resolution re: Part 330—Proposed Rule on Insurance of Joint Accounts and Payable-on-Death Accounts.

Memorandum and resolution re: Part 303—Final Rule on Applications, Requests, Submittals, Delegations of Authority, and Notices Required to be Filed by Statute or Regulation and related Policy Statements.

The meeting will be held in the Board Room on the sixth floor of the FDIC Building located at 550—17th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

The FDIC will provide attendees with auxiliary aids (e.g., sign language interpretation) required for this meeting. Those attendees needing such assistance should call (202) 416-2449 (Voice); (202) 416-2004 (TTY), to make necessary arrangements.

Requests for further information concerning the meeting may be directed to Mr. Robert E. Feldman, Executive Secretary of the Corporation, at (202) 898-6757.

Dated: June 30, 1998.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Robert E. Feldman,

Executive Secretary.

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