

Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

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**PLEADING CYCLE ESTABLISHED FOR COMMENTS ON  
NECA'S PETITION FOR WAIVER OF §§ 69.104,  
69.105 AND 69.203 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES  
FOR NECA POOL MEMBERS TO PROVIDE UNBUNDLED  
LOCAL LOOPS**

**CCBPol 96-06**

On February 2, 1996, National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) filed a petition seeking to waive certain provisions of Part 69 of the Commission's Rules related to assessment of end user common line (EUCL) and carrier common line (CCL) access charges. Specifically, NECA requests a waiver of the Part 69 Rules to allow the billing of EUCL charges to the competitive local service providers that purchase local loops to serve end users. NECA states that the Rules require that exchange carriers (ECs) collect certain access charges directly from end users through EUCL charges. NECA states that when an EC provides unbundled local loops to a competitive local service provider for resale, an EC will not have a direct relationship with end user customers served by the competitive local service provider. NECA also seeks a waiver of the Part 69 Rules to allow the assessment of a flat-rated CCL charge on competitive local exchange carriers.

Interested parties should file comments on NECA's petition by **February 20, 1996** and reply comments by **February 27, 1996** with the Secretary, FCC, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. A copy should also be sent to Janice Myles, Common Carrier Bureau, FCC, Room 544, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554, and to the Commission's contractor for public service records duplication: ITS, Inc., 2100 M Street, N.W., Suite 140, Washington, D.C. 20037. Parties filing comments in this non-docketed proceeding should include the Policy Division internal reference number, **CCBPol 96-06** on their pleadings. As of **February 16, 1996**, NECA's petition is available for inspection and copying in the Common Carrier Bureau's Public Reference Room, Room 509, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. Prior to that time, it may be obtained from Janice Myles, Room 544, 1919 M St. Copies can also be obtained from ITS at (202) 857-3800.

We will treat this proceeding as non-restricted for purposes of the Commission's *ex parte* rules. See generally 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.1200-1.1216. For further information contact Janice Myles, Policy and Program Planning Division of the Common Carrier Bureau, at (202) 418-1577.

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