

STATE OF NEW YORK
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 05-C-0616 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Examine Issues
Related to the Transition to Intermodal Competition in the Provision
of Telecommunications Services.

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF CONVERGENCE MATRIX

(Issued July 14, 2005)

By Order Initiating Proceeding and Inviting Comments (issued June 29, 2005) in this proceeding, the Commission directed Staff of the Department of Public Service to serve on all parties a compilation of regulatory requirements that apply to telecommunications providers. Pursuant to that direction, staff has conducted a comprehensive review of Commission requirements applicable to telecommunications providers in New York. The intent of this effort is to identify the full range of regulatory requirements that apply to telecommunications providers so as to highlight asymmetries, constraints and impediments that may need to be streamlined, relaxed or otherwise modified in view of the competitive environment.

This "Telephone Regulatory Convergence Matrix" prepared by Staff may be obtained from the Commission's web site at <http://www.dps.state.ny.us/05C0616.html>. The matrix is composed of two parts -- a "summary" section consisting of statutory and regulatory references, and a "source" section containing explanatory materials linked to parts of the summary section.

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