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Docket No. 981834-TP (FCCA Petition) Re:

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed please find the original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Motion for Extension of Time, which we ask that you file in the above-referenced matter.

A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return the copy to me. Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

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Sincerely.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In Re: Petition of Competitive Carriers for Commission Action To Support Local Competition In BellSouth's Service Territory Docket No. 981834-TP

Filed: June 8, 1999

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereby files its Motion for Extension of time to file its response to the Motion for Independent Third Party Testing of BellSouth's Operational Support Systems and states its grounds in support thereof the following:

1. On May 28, 1999 the Florida Competitive Carriers Association

("FCCA") and AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. ("AT&T")

jointly filed a Motion for Independent Third Party Testing of BellSouth's

Operational Support Systems ("the Motion").

2. BellSouth's response to the Motion is currently due on June 9,

1999. The Motion includes a detailed proposal for implementing third party testing. BellSouth believes that good cause exists for extending the date by which it must respond in view of the need to carefully analyze the proposal and thoughtfully respond.

 Counsel for BellSouth has spoken with counsel for FCCA and has been authorized to state that neither FCCA nor AT&T objects to BellSouth's Motion for an extension of time.

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4. BellSouth is requesting an additional week to file its response. No party to this proceeding will be prejudiced by this extension. Thus, BellSouth requests that the time for filing the above-identified response be extended until June 16, 1999, and that the time for filing this response be tolled pending the Commission's decision on this Motion for Extension of Time.

WHEREFORE, BellSouth respectfully requests the entry of an order granting an extension of time as set forth above.

Respectfully submitted this 8th day of June, 1999.

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