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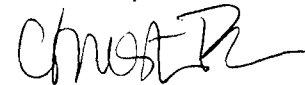
Mrs. Blanca S. Bayó
Director, Division of Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Dear Ms. Bayo:

BellSouth requests that Nancy B. White, General Counsel, be named a qualified representative of BellSouth in Docket No. 991638-TL.

Ms. White is located 150 West Flagler Street, Suite 1910, Miami, Florida 33130, telephone number (305) 347-5558. BellSouth is aware that it can be represented by counsel as defined in Rule 28-106.106 and has chosen otherwise.

Sincerely,



Christine M. Peirano
Florida Bar No. 863998

cc: Martha Carter Brown

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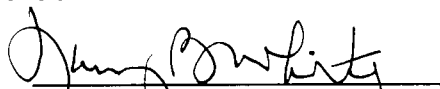
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Undersigned counsel, being first duly sworn, states that:

Undersigned counsel is currently employed by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., as General Counsel-Florida, at the address and telephone number below.

Undersigned counsel possesses the necessary qualifications to responsibly represent BellSouth's interests in Docket No. 991638-TL.

Undersigned counsel is an attorney admitted to practice, and a member in good standing of the States of Louisiana, Bar No. 14493, Alabama, Bar No. 245-98-6962, and Georgia, Bar No. 753635; has practiced extensively before this and other utility regulatory agencies or authorities; has knowledge of the Florida Statutes relative to the Commission's jurisdiction; has knowledge of the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure relating to discovery in an administrative proceeding; has knowledge of the Florida Administrative Code and Florida Statutes relative to the rules of evidence, including the concept of hearsay in an administrative proceeding; has acquired or will acquire knowledge of the factual and legal issues in this matter; and has knowledge of and compliance with the Standards of Conduct for Qualified Representatives contained in Rule 28-106.107 of the Florida Administrative Code.



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Affirmed and subscribed before me this 25th day of October, 1999.


Notary Public

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October 22, 1999

Nancy B. White, General Counsel - Florida
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
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Re: Docket No. 991638-TI

Dear Ms. White:

This will acknowledge receipt of an emergency petition by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for temporary waiver of Rule 25-4.040(5), F.A.C., requiring provision of new or changed listings to directory assistance within 48 hours after connection of service because of maintenance needs, which was filed in this office on October 21, 1999 and assigned the above-referenced docket number. Appropriate staff members will be advised.

Mediation may be available to resolve any dispute in this docket. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to an administrative hearing. For more information, contact the Office of General Counsel at (850) 413-6078 or FAX (850) 413-6079.

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