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APRIL 17, 2001

RE: DOCKET NO. 001305-TP - Petition by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for arbitration of certain issues in interconnection agreement with Supra Telecommunications and Information Systems, Inc. (Deferred from April 3, 2001 Commission Conference.)

<u>ISSUE 1</u>: Should the Commission grant Supra's Motion to Dismiss The Petition for Arbitration?

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: No. The Commission should deny Supra's Motion to Dismiss. The Commission has subject matter jurisdiction over arbitration cases pursuant to Section 252(b)(1) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

The Commission reconsidered its original vote approving the recommendation. He see item was subsequently approved as shown.

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: JC BZ PL

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ISSUE 2: Should the Commission, on its own motion, continue this arbitration until such time as the parties have complied with the term of their agreement calling for the convening of an Inter-Company Review Board meeting to discuss any and all disputed issues?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The Commission, on its own motion, should continue this proceeding until the parties have complied with the term of their agreement calling for the convening of an Inter-Company Review Board meeting to discuss any and all disputed issues.

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ISSUE 3: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: No. If the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issues 1 and 2, the docket should remain open pending the parties convening an Inter-Company Review Board meeting within 45 days of the issuance of the order from this recommendation. Within 10 days of the completion of the meeting, the parties should notify the Commission as to any outstanding issues. The Commission should then schedule all matters necessary for the completion of the docket.

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