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FEBRUARY 5, 2002

RE: Docket No. 010097-TL - Compliance investigation of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for violation of service standards.

<u>ISSUE 1</u>: Should the Commission grant BellSouth's petition for a limited waiver of Rule Nos. 24-4.066(2), 25-4.070(3)(a), and 25-4.070(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code? <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Yes. The Commission should grant BellSouth's petition for a limited waiver of Rule Nos. 24-4.066(2), 25-4.070(3)(a), and 25-4.070(1)(b), Florida Administrative Code. The waiver of the rules should remain in effect until midnight on February 28, 2005, the expiration of BellSouth's Service Guarantee Plan, unless otherwise directed by the Commission.

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<u>ISSUE 2</u>: Should the Commission approve BellSouth's proposed settlement offer to resolve the compliance investigation for the apparent violation of service standards during the calendar years 2000 and 2001? <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Yes. The Commission should approve BellSouth's proposed settlement offer in its entirety. The Order should become final and the company's proposed settlement offer should become effective upon issuance of a Consummating Order.

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ISSUE 3: Should this docket be closed?

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: If the Commission approves staff's recommendations in Issue 1 and Issue 2, this docket should be closed upon issuance of a Consummating Order unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the Commission's decision files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the Proposed Agency Action Order. If the Commission denies staff's recommendation in either Issue 1 or Issue 2, this docket should remain open pending resolution of the compliance investigation.

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