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January 2, 2007

Mrs. Blanca S. Bayó
Director, Division of the Commission Clerk
and Administrative Services
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a "AT&T Florida" and
"AT&T Southeast"

Dear Mrs. Bayó:

I am pleased to inform you that the merger between AT&T Inc. and BellSouth Corporation closed on December 29, 2006, at which time BellSouth Corporation became a wholly-owned, first-tier subsidiary of AT&T Inc.

As a result of the merger at the holding company level, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") will adopt the AT&T brand name for its products and services. The transition from the use of the BellSouth brand name to the AT&T brand name is expected to occur over the next few months.

To that end, BellSouth hereby respectfully requests that the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") approve an amendment to BellSouth's certificates (ILEC Certificate No. 8 and CLEC Certificate No. 4455) to include the d/b/a names "AT&T Florida" and "AT&T Southeast." While BellSouth will remain a corporate entity certificated in this State, with the Commission's approval, BellSouth will do business under the doing business as ("d/b/a") names of "AT&T Florida" or "AT&T Southeast." BellSouth is seeking approval for two d/b/a names so that one can be used for single state functions and/or products and services and one can be used to describe functions, activities and/or products and services that are uniform throughout the nine-state footprint. This request does not involve the transfer of any certificates.

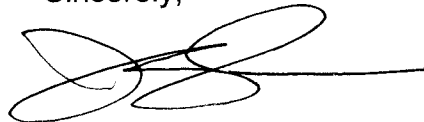
BellSouth also is filing the required papers with the office of the Secretary of State to use the d/b/a names in this State. A copy of those papers is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

With regard to BellSouth's tariffs, BellSouth is filing concurrent with this letter new tariff cover pages reflecting the names under which BellSouth will be doing business in Florida.

The address of the post-merger operating company and the company contact information on file with the Commission remains unaffected by this d/b/a notice.

Thank you for your timely attention to this matter.¹

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

James Meza III
General Counsel – Florida
Authorized House Counsel No. 464260

cc: Mr. Patrick Wiggins, Esq.

¹ BellSouth is also filing an Application for Qualified Representative Status for the undersigned for this request and all other filings in 2007.

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF FICTITIOUS NAME

Note: Acknowledgements/certificates will be sent to the address in Section 1 only.

Section 1

1. AT&T Florida
Fictitious Name to be Registered (see instructions if name includes "Corp" or "Inc")

150 W. Flagler Street, Museum Tower Building, Suite 1901

Mailing Address of Business

Miami, FL 33130

City

State

Zip Code

3. Florida County of principal place of business: _____

multiple

(see instructions if more than one county)

This space for office use only

Section 2

A. Owner(s) of Fictitious Name If Individual(s): (Use an attachment if necessary):

1. _____
Last First M.I.

Address

City State Zip Code

2. _____
Last First M.I.

Address

City State Zip Code

B. Owner(s) of Fictitious Name If other than an individual: (Use attachment if necessary):

1. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Entity Name
675 W. Peachtree Street, N.E., Suite 4514
Address
Atlanta, GA 30375
City State Zip Code
Florida Registration Number P00329
FEI Number: 580436120

2. _____
Entity Name

Address

City State Zip Code
Florida Registration Number _____
FEI Number: _____

Applied for Not Applicable

Applied for Not Applicable

Section 3

I (we) the undersigned, being the sole (all the) party(ies) owning interest in the above fictitious name, certify that the information indicated on this form is true and accurate. In accordance with Section 865.09, F.S., I (we) understand that the signature(s) below shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath. (At Least One Signature Required)

Rebecca Brooks 12/5/06-Attorney in Fact
Signature of Owner Date

Signature of Owner Date

Phone Number: 312-288-3515

Phone Number: _____

Section 4

FOR CANCELLATION COMPLETE SECTION 4 ONLY: FOR FICTITIOUS NAME OR OWNERSHIP CHANGE COMPLETE SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 4:

I (we) the undersigned, hereby cancel the fictitious name _____
_____, which was registered on _____ and was assigned
registration number _____

Signature of Owner

Date

Signature of Owner

Date

Mark the applicable boxes Certificate of Status — \$10 Certified Copy — \$30

NON-REFUNDABLE PROCESSING FEE: \$50

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675 W. Peachtree Street, N.E., Suite 4514

Mailing Address of Business

Atlanta, GA 30375

City

State

Zip Code

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Rebecca Bloch

Signature of Owner

12/5/06 Attorney in Fact

Date

Signature of Owner

Date

Phone Number: 312-288-3515

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