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Public Service Commission

DATE: November 26, 2001

TO: Docket File

FROM: Sally Simmons (Division of Competitive Services) *SAS* *MS*
Kimberley Peña (Division of Legal Services) *KMP*

RE: Docket No. 011169-TP - Request by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for approval of adoption of interconnection, unbundling, resale, and collocation agreement and all amendments, in its entirety with NewSouth Communications Corp. by UniversalCom, Inc.

By letter dated August 28, 2001, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. filed a request for approval of adoption of the interconnection, unbundling, resale, and collocation agreement entered into between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and NewSouth Communications Corp. approved by the Commission in Docket No. 010889, issued September 23, 2001. UniversalCom, Inc. is adopting the interconnection, unbundling, resale, and collocation agreement approved by the Commission in its entirety and all amendments pursuant to Section 252(i) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Under the requirements of 47 U.S.C. § 252(e), negotiated agreements must be submitted to the state commission for approval. Section 252(i) requires that a local exchange carrier shall make available any interconnection, service, or network element provided under an agreement approved by the state commission to any other requesting telecommunications carrier upon the same terms and conditions as those provided in the agreement in its entirety.

Staff reviewed the agreement in this Docket on October 19, 2001. The filing met the criteria outlined in Section 2.07.C.16 of the Administrative Procedures Manual in that it complies with Section 252(i) of the Act. Accordingly, with this Memorandum, the docket is hereby closed.

CC: Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services (S. Moses)

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