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TO: DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING (BAYÓ)

FROM: DIVISION OF COMMUNICATIONS (WOLFE) *Wolfe*
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RE: DOCKET NO. 990961-TP - REQUEST BY BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF INTERCONNECTION, UNBUNDLING, AND RESALE AGREEMENT WITH COMMUNICATION SERVICE INTEGRATED, INC.

AGENDA: NOVEMBER 30, 1999 - REGULAR AGENDA - PROCEDURAL MATTER - CLOSE DOCKET

CRITICAL DATES: NONE

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: NONE

FILE NAME AND LOCATION: I:\PSC\CMU\WP\990961.RCM

CASE BACKGROUND

The chronology of events in this docket is as follows:

- 7/23/99** BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Request for approval of interconnection, unbundling, and resale agreement with Communication Service Integrated, Inc. is filed with the Commission.
- 8/17/99** Agreement is approved at the Agenda Conference.
- 8/19/99** BellSouth requests to withdraw original filing; a recommendation to withdraw the agreement is scheduled for 10/5/99 Agenda Conference.

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Docket No. 990961-TP
Date: November 18, 1999

- 9/30/99** BellSouth requests the agenda item be withdrawn from the 10/5/99 Agenda Conference to possibly amend the agreement.
- 11/1/99** BellSouth requests to withdraw the approved agreement.
- 11/2/99** Communication Service Integrated requests to withdraw agreement.

DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

ISSUE 1: Should the Commission acknowledge withdrawal of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s and Communication Service Integrated, Inc.'s joint request for approval of interconnection, unbundling, and resale agreement with Communication Service Integrated, Inc. and close this docket?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The Commission should acknowledge withdrawal of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s and Communication Service Integrated, Inc.'s joint request for approval of the interconnection, unbundling, and resale agreement with Communication Service Integrated, Inc. and close this docket.
(WOLFE, PEÑA)

STAFF ANALYSIS: As stated in the Case Background, BellSouth and Communication Service Integrated both requested withdrawal of the original filing. The Commission approved the agreement at the August 17, 1999 Agenda Conference. However, the request to withdraw was filed prior to the issuance of an order. Both companies have stated the reason for the withdrawal is that Communication Service Integrated has decided not to conduct business within the state of Florida. Thus, staff recommends acknowledging the withdrawal in lieu of issuing an order approving the agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Communication Service Integrated, Inc. No other matters remain for the Commission to address; therefore, staff recommends that this docket be closed.