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Mrs. Blanca S. Bayo Director, Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Approval of an Amendment to the Resale Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and International Design Group, inc. d/b/a USA Telecom (now USA Telecom, Inc. a Delaware Corporation) pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, BellSouth and International Design Group, inc. d/b/a USA Telecom (now USA Telecom, Inc. a Delaware Corporation) are submitting to the Florida Public Service Commission their amendment to their negotiated agreement for the purchase of BellSouth's telecommunications services for the purpose of resale to end users by International Design Group, inc. d/b/a USA Telecom (now USA Telecom, Inc. a Delaware Corporation). The Commission approved the initial agreement between the companies in Order No. PSC-98-0862-FOF-TP issued June 30, 1998 in Docket 980398-TP.

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Act, the Commission is charged with approving or rejecting the amendment to the negotiated agreement between BellSouth and International Design Group, inc. d/b/a USA Telecom (now USA Telecom, Inc. a Delaware Corporation within 90 days of its submission. The Act provides that the Commission may only reject such an agreement if it finds that the agreement or any portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement or the implementation of the agreement or any portion of the agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity. Both parties aver that neither of these reasons exist as to the agreement they have negotiated and therefore, are very hopeful that the Commission shall approve their amendment.

Very truly yours,

arshall M. Criser III

Regulatory Vice President

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AMENDMENT TO THE **RESALE AGREEMENT BETWEEN**

INTERNATIONAL DESIGN GROUP, INC. d/b/a USA TELECOM AND

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

DATED February 17, 1998

Pursuant to this Agreement, (the "Amendment") International Design Group, Inc. d/b/a USA Telecom and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Resale Agreement between the Parties dated February 17, 1998 ("Resale Agreement").

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1 International Design Group, Inc. d/b/a USA Telecom has changed the name of said business to USA Telecom, Inc., a Delaware corporation. The Resale Agreement is hereby amended to reflect the name change.

All of the other provisions of the Resale Agreement, dated February 17, 1998, shall 2. remain in full force and effect.

Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to each Public 3 Service Commission for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1998.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

USA Telecom, Inc. By: David Raymond Name: President Title: November 3,1999

Date:

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By Name: /Jerry Hendrix

Title: Senior Director-Interconnection Services

Date:

07/29/99