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Re: FPSC Docket No. 001503-TP

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing on behalf AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. are an original and fifteen copies AT&T's Post-Workshop Comments in the above-referenced docket.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the same to me.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

Sincerely

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POST-WORKSHOP COMMENTS OF AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF THE SOUTHERN STATES, INC.

AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. ("AT&T"), through undersigned counsel, hereby file its post-workshop comments in the above-referenced docket.

Comments

At the December 12, 2000, workshop in this docket, the Commission Staff requested that post-workshop comments be filed by February 16, 2001. Pursuant to this request, AT&T offers the following initial comments at this time.

AT&T believes that the best approach to cost recovery for the Florida interim pooling trials is to wait until the FCC approves a national cost recovery system and to recover any appropriate interim costs through that process. A similar process was employed by this Commission with the interim number portability cost recovery. Waiting for recovery through the national process would avoid the need for any true-up of a state cost recovery system. Given the timetable for the national cost recovery system being developed by the FCC, it would be appropriate to simply wait for that process to conclude.

Respectfully submitted

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that true and correct copies of AT&T's Post Workshop Comments in Docket 001503-TP have been served upon the following parties by Hand Delivery (*) and/or U. S. Mail this 16th day of February, 2001.

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