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Re: Docket No.: 030851-TP

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed are an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Request for Specified Confidential Classification for its Responses to AT&T's Second Request for Production of Documents (Item No. 35), which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return the copy to me. Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

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Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Implementation of requirements arising)
from Federal Communications Commission) Docket No. 030851-TP
triennial UNE review: Local Circuit Switching)
for Mass Market Customers.) Filed: December 30, 2003
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BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S REQUEST FOR SPECIFIED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

COMES NOW, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, and Section 364.183, Florida Statutes, and files its Request for Specified Confidential Classification.

1. On December 9, 2003, BellSouth filed its response to AT&T Communications of the Southern States, LLC's ("AT&T") Second Interrogatories and Second Request for Production of Documents. In addition, BellSouth filed a Notice of Intent with respect to BellSouth's Responses to AT&T's Second Request for Production of Documents, Item No. 35.

2. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.06(3)(a), BellSouth hereby files this Request for Specified Confidential Classification because the information contained in BellSouth's Response to AT&T's Second Request for Production of Documents includes confidential business information utilized by BellSouth to conduct business. A more specific description of this information is contained in Attachment A. Public disclosure of this information would cause competitive harm to BellSouth and provide competitors with an unfair advantage. The information discussed in the Request for Specified Confidential Classification is valuable and BellSouth strives to keep it secret. Therefore, such information should be classified as confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.24 and Section 364.183, Florida

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Statutes. Accordingly, it should be held exempt from the public disclosure requirements of Section 119.07, Florida Statutes.

3. Attachment A to BellSouth's Request for Confidential Classification contains an explanation of the proprietary information along with a list that identifies the location of the information designated by BellSouth as confidential.

4. Attachment B to BellSouth's Request for Confidential Classification is redacted copies of the document containing the confidential information.

5. Attachment C to BellSouth's Request for Confidential Classification is a highlighted copy of the document containing the confidential information.

6. The information discussed in this Request for Specified Confidential Classification is valuable, BellSouth treats this information as confidential in all requests, and this information has not been generally disclosed.

7. The original of this Request was filed today with the Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services and a copy was served on the Parties.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, BellSouth respectfully requests that, pursuant to Section 364.183, Florida Statutes, the Commission enter an order declaring the information described above to be confidential, proprietary business information that is not subject to public disclosure.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of December, 2003.

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**REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION OF BELL SOUTH'S RESPONSE
TO AT&T'S 2nd REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS,
REQUEST NO. 35, FILED DECEMBER 9, 2003, IN
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Explanation of Proprietary Information

1. This information contains business information related to competitive interests of BellSouth that is proprietary to BellSouth. Disclosure of this data would impair the competitive business and cause harm to BellSouth. Specifically, this information relates to the force model used to determine the force required to work the load associated with the UNE-P to UNE-L conversions. This information is valuable, it is used by BellSouth in conducting its business and BellSouth strives to keep it secret. Therefore, such information is a trade secret which should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183(3)(e), Florida Statutes and is exempt from the Open Records Act.

ATTACHMENT A
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