



February 6, 2009

Via Email and U.S. Mail

Ms. Ann Cole, Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Docket No. 000121A-TP, Investigation into the establishment of operations support systems permanent performance measures for incumbent local exchange companies (BellSouth track)

Dear Ms. Cole:

This letter is filed on behalf of the Competitive Carriers of the South, Inc. (CompSouth). CompSouth is an organization of CLECs who do business in the southeastern states and who have often appeared before the Florida Public Service Commission.

On January 28, 2009, the Commission issued a Notice Seeking Comment regarding a proposal resulting from the audit of AT&T's April operation support system (OSS) release. This OSS release was severely flawed and negatively impacted the CLEC community's ability to do business.

It is CompSouth's position that the Commission must continue to be vigilant as to the management and operation of AT&T's OSS to ensure that it is functioning properly and that competing carriers are not subject to anticompetitive or discriminatory behavior. To that end, the purpose of this letter is to inform you that CompSouth endorses and supports the comments of Cbeyond, Deltacom, and NuVox filed today in this docket.

Thank you for your assistance. Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,


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