

ORIGINAL

RECEIVED-FPSC

Legal Department

NANCY B. WHITE
General Counsel-Florida

00 AUG -7 PM 4: 52

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
150 South Monroe Street
Room 400
Tallahassee, Florida 32301
(305) 347-5558

RECORDS AND
REPORTING

August 7, 2000

Mrs. Blanca S. Bayó
Director, Division of Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 000262-TP (NOW Communications, Inc.)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Motion for Withdrawal of Petition for Arbitration, which we ask that you file in the above-referenced matter.

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.

Sincerely,

Nancy B. White
Nancy B. White

cc: All Parties of Record
Marshall M. Criser III
R. Douglas Lackey

APP _____
CAF _____
CMP Barnett
COM 3
CTR _____
ECR _____
LEG 2
OPC _____
PAI _____
RGO _____
SEC 1
SER _____
OTH Henry

RECEIVED & FILED

FPSC-BUREAU OF RECORDS

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

09556 AUG-78

FPSC-RECORDS/REPORTING

Done 8/08/00

Certificate of Service
Docket No. 000262-TP (NOW Communications)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via (*) Fascimile and U.S. Mail this 7th day of August, 2000 to the following:

Timothy Vaccaro (*)
Staff Counsel
Florida Public Service Commission
Division of Legal Services
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850
Tel. No. (850) 413-6181
Fax. No. (850) 413-6182

NOW, L.L.C.
Attention: Larry Seab
713 Country Place Drive
Jackson, Mississippi 39203

Carroll H. Ingram, Esq.
Ingram & Associates, PLLC
211 South 29th Avenue
Post Office Box 15039
Hattiesburg, Mississippi 39404-5039
Tel. No. (601) 261-1385
Fax. No. (601) 261-1393
E-Mail: ingram@netdoor.com

Jennifer I. Wilkinson
Ingram & Associates, PLLC
4273 I-55 North
P.O. Box 13466
Jackson, Mississippi 39236-3466
Tel. No. (601) 713-0062
Fax. No. (601) 713-0404
E-Mail: Jenningram@aol.com

James Mingee, III
McKay & Simpson
4084 Coker Road
Madison, MS 39110
Tel. No. (601) 856-1768
Fax. No. (601) 856-5720
E-mail: mingeelaw@aol.com

Charles J. Pellegrini (*)
Wiggins & Villacorta, P.A.
2145 Delta Blvd., Suite 200
Tallahassee, FL 32303
Tel. No.: (850) 385-6007
Fax. No.: (850) 385-6008
wiggvill@nettally.com


Nancy B. White (nd)

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

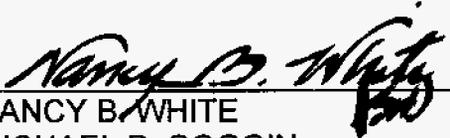
In re:)	Docket No. 000262-TP
)	
Petition for Arbitration of the Interconnection)	
Agreement Between BellSouth Telecommunications,)	
Inc. and NOW Communications, Inc. Pursuant)	
to the Telecommunications Act of 1996.)	
<hr/>		Filed: August 7, 2000

**MOTION OF BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., FOR
WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION FOR ARBITRATION**

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. ("BellSouth"), hereby moves to withdraw its Petition for Arbitration filed on February 25, 2000, pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, seeking resolution of certain issues arising between NOW Communications, Inc. ("NOW") and BellSouth in the negotiation of a new resale agreement. Since the filing of the Petition for Arbitration, the parties have continued to negotiate the terms of a new resale agreement. On August 2, 2000, the parties executed a new resale agreement, effectively resolving all issues which were the subject of this arbitration. Accordingly, BellSouth hereby moves to withdraw its Petition for Arbitration.

Respectfully submitted this 7th day of August, 2000.

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.


 NANCY B. WHITE
 MICHAEL P. GOGGIN
 c/o Nancy Sims
 150 South Monroe Street
 Tallahassee, FL 32301
 (305) 347-5558

DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE
 09556 AUG-78
 FPSC-RECORDS/REPORTING


R. DOUGLAS LACKEY
A. LANGLEY KITCHINGS
Suite 4300, BellSouth Center
675 West Peachtree Street, N.E.
Atlanta, GA 30375
(404) 335-0747

COUNSEL FOR BELLSOUTH
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

223612