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December 11, 1992

Steve Tribble, Director Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 101 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 920260-TL

Dear Mr. Tribble:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket on behalf of the Citizens of the State of Florida are the original and 15 copies of the Citizens' Petition to Inspect and Examine Staff's Rate Case Audit Report and Workpapers.

Please indicate the time and date of receipt on the enclosed duplicate of this letter and return it to our office.

Enclosure

Sincerely,

Charles J. Beck Deputy Public Counsel

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#### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Comprehensive Review of the Revenue Requirements and Rate Stabilization Plan of Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company

Docket No. 920260-TL Filed: December 11, 1992

# PETITION TO INSPECT AND EXAMINE STAFF'S RATE CASE AUDIT REPORT AND WORKPAPERS

The Citizens of Florida ("Citizens"), by and through Jack Shreve, Public Counsel, petition the Commission for permission to inspect and examine a rate case audit report and workpapers prepared by the staff of Florida Public Service Commission.

- 1. On December 8, 1992 the Division of Audit and Finance at the Florida Public Service Commission filed a rate case audit report on BellSouth's cost allocation manual procedures. The forwarding document, distributed to all Commissioners, states the audit findings disclosed information that may influence the decision process in this docket.
- 2. The report, findings, and workpapers, however, are all listed as confidential.
- 3. Commission Rule 25-22.006(6)(a) states that any person may file a petition to inspect and examine any material which the Commission has ruled exempt from the public records law or which is exempted pending the Commission ruling. It states that the

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affected utility has ten days to file a response stating why the material should remain exempt.

4. Rule 25-22.006(6)(b) states that finding of confidentiality notwithstanding, a source may consent to inspection or examination by any person. The Citizens request such consent from Southern Bell. If such consent is forthcoming, Southern Bell should request the Commission to issue a protective order to recognize the terms and conditions of the consent.

WHEREFORE, the Citizens file this petition to inspect and examine the staff's audit report and workpapers on the BellSouth cost allocation manual procedures.

Respectfully submitted,

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