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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo
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2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 97-1056-TX

Dear Ms. Bayo:

On behalf of BellSouth BSE, Inc. enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket are the original and fifteen (15) copies of Akerman, Senterfitt & Eidson's Notice of Appearance and Motions to Dismiss Petitions of Florida Competitive Carriers Association, and MCI Telecommunications Corporation and MCImetro Access Transmission Services, Inc. Also enclosed for your records is a diskette containing the above referenced documents formatted in Wordperfect 6.1.

If you have any questions please call me at (850) 222-3471. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mark Herron
for Mark Herron

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Application for certificate to provide alternative local exchange telecommunications service by BellSouth BSE, Inc.

Docket No. 971056-TX

Filed: December 5, 1997

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Mark Herron and E. Gary Early of Akerman, Senterfitt & Eidson, P.A., 216 South Monroe Street, Suite 200, Tallahassee, Florida 32301 file this Notice of Appearance as counsel for BellSouth BSE, Inc. Please direct copies of all future correspondence, pleadings, etc. to them at the address listed above.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing was furnished to the following parties by United States mail or hand delivery this 5th day of December, 1997:

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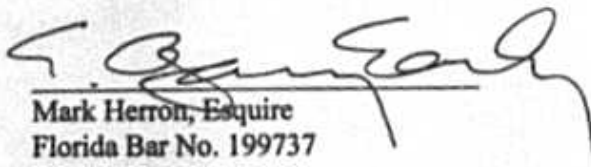
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