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Re: Approval of an Amendment to the Interconnection, Unbundling and Resale Agreement
Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and IDS Long Distance, Inc.
pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, BellSouth and IDS Long
Distance, Inc. are submitting to the Florida Public Service Commission an amendment to their
negotiated agreement for the interconnection of their networks, the unbundling of specific network
elements offered by BellSouth and the resale of BellSouth's telecommunications services to IDS
Long Distance, Inc. The Commission approved the initial agreement between the companies in
Order No. 99-0660-FOF-TP issued April 6, 1999 in Docket 990148-TP. This amendment
changes the company's name to IDS Telecom, L.L.C.

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Act, the Commission is charged with approving or rejecting the
negotiated agreement between BellSouth and IDS Long Distance, Inc. within 90 days of its
submission. The Act provides that the Commission may only reject such an agreement if it finds
that the agreement or any portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications
carrier not a party to the agreement or the implementation of the agreement or any portion of the
agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity. Both parties aver
that neither of these reasons exist as to the agreement they have negotiated and therefore, are
very hopeful that the Commission shall approve their agreement.

Very truly yours,

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ATTACHMENT TO TRANSMITTAL LETTER

The Agreement entered into by and between IDS Long Distance, Inc. and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., dated 11/02/2000, for the state(s) of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee consists of the following:

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**AMENDMENT
TO MASTER
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
IDS LONG DISTANCE, INC. AND
BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
DATED JANUARY 27, 1999**

Pursuant to this Amendment (the "Amendment") IDS Long Distance, Inc. ("IDS Long Distance") and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Master Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated January 27, 1999, as amended by those certain Amendments dated November 2, 1999, January 4, 2000, March 27, 2000, April 13, 2000, October 12, 2000 and October 25, 2000 (the "Agreement").

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1. IDS Long Distance, Inc. has changed the name of said business to IDS Telcom, L.L.C., a(n) Florida limited liability company. The Agreement is hereby amended to reflect the name change.
2. All of the other provisions of the Agreement, dated January 27, 1999, shall remain in full force and effect.
3. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to each Public Service Commission for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

IDS Telcom, L.L.C.

By: _____

Name: Michael Noshay

Title: President

Date: _____

10/31/00

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By: _____

Name: Jerry Hendrix

Title: Senior Director

Date: _____

11/2/00