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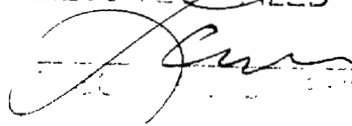
Re: Docket No. 992037-TI - AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc.'s Claim for Confidential Treatment, Audit Control No. 00-067-3-1

Dear Ms. Bayo:

AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. ("AT&T"), hereby claims pursuant to Section 364.183(1), Florida Statutes, that certain information contained in Commission's Staff Audit, Audit Control No. 00-067-3-1, in the above referenced docket, contains proprietary confidential business information that should be held exempt from public disclosure. Consistent with Rule 25-22.006(5), Florida Administrative Code, since the Commission already has a copy of the Audit Report and workpapers, and the workpapers are voluminous, an additional copy is not being provided since the entire contents of the workpapers are being claimed confidential. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is an itemized list that details the workpapers which are claimed to be confidential. The audit report, identified as "Audit Exception No. 1," is not being claimed confidential.

The Audit report and workpapers were transmitted to Ms. Rhonda Merritt, Assistant Vice President of AT&T, by letter dated February 7, 2001. Because of a family emergency, Ms. Merritt was unable to personally receive the Audit Report and workpapers although another company employee accepted them on her behalf. Because of Ms. Merritt's absence from the office due to the family emergency, and a miscommunication regarding the receipt of the Audit Report by undersigned counsel, this request is being filed today as opposed to within the 21 days specified by Rule 25-22.006(3)(a)(2), Florida Administrative Code. AT&T believes these circumstances combined with the fact that the information which is claimed confidential consists of customer telephone records, which are always exempt from public disclosure pursuant to section 119.07(3)(r), Florida Statutes, and trade secrets, internal audit controls, security measures, and sensitive

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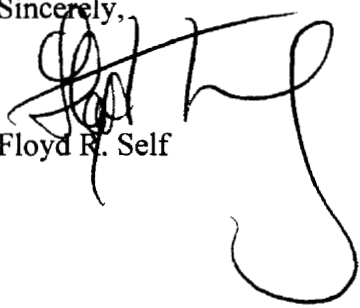
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competitive interests materials regarding the company's billing procedures under section 364.183(3), Florida Statutes, such good cause exists to continue the confidentiality of such information.

Please acknowledge receipt of this letter by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the same to me.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

Sincerely,


Floyd R. Self

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Enclosures

cc: Ms. Denise Vandiver
Mr. Jeffrey Small
Ms. Rhonda Merritt

EXHIBIT "A"

Company Name: AT&T Communication of the Southern States, Inc.
Docket No.: 992037-TI

Item No.	Document Description	Workpaper Location	Pages
1	EMC Data layout explanation	45-4	12
9	Print outs from EMI Reference CD	45-1	3
11	Print outs from EMI Reference CD Indicator Codes	45-2	26
12	Print outs from EMI Reference CD Record Layout Indicators	45-3	1
17	Customer Billing Report Printout Auditor determined sample	46	8
19	Customer bills from sample above (Sprint)	46-1 46-2	12 12
20	Customer bills from sample above (Verizon)	46-3	3
21	Customer Billing Report Printout Auditor determined sample	10-5	1
24	Audit work summary	45	2
25	Report run on data sample Tapes 6 th revision	45-6	2
26	E-mail correspondence	45-7	2
27	Report run on data sample Tapes 6 th revision	45-5	2