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Mrs. Blanca S. Bayó
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Re: 991378-TL (Show Cause Docket)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of the Office of Public Counsel and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Motion to Postpone Hearing Date which we ask that you file in the above-captioned docket.

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
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cc: All parties of record
Marshall M. Criser III
R. Douglas Lackey

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Docket No. 991378-TL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Initiation of show cause)
proceedings against BellSouth) DOCKET NO. 991378-TL
Telecommunications, Inc., for)
violation of service standards.)
_____) FILED: June 29, 2001

**OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL
AND BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S
MOTION TO POSTPONE HEARING DATE**


The Office of Public Counsel ("OPC") and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), pursuant to Rule 28-106.204, Florida Administrative Code, hereby file this motion to postpone the hearing date in the above captioned docket.

1. The hearing in the above captioned docket is scheduled for July 2, 2001.
2. OPC and BellSouth are near an agreement in principle on all issues in the above captioned docket.
3. A postponement of the hearing is necessary to allow OPC and BellSouth time to finalize the agreement in principle and to reach a settlement which would then be submitted to the Commission.

WHEREFORE, OPC and BellSouth hereby request that the hearing set for July 2, 2001 be postponed.

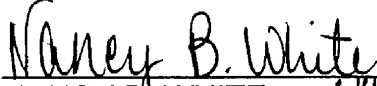
Respectfully submitted this 29th day of June, 2001.

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