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Re: Docket No. 011378-TP
Complaint Against Global Crossing

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Motion for Extension of Time, which we ask that you file in the 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,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Complaint by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)Docket No.: 011378-TP
Against Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc.)
regarding practices in reporting of percent interstate)
usage for compensation for jurisdictional access)
services.)
_____)Filed: November 21, 2001

**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S
MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), pursuant to Rule 28-106.204(5), Florida Administrative Code, requests that the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") grant it a seven (7) day extension of time or until December 3, 2001, in which to respond to Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc. ("Global Crossing") Motion to Dismiss Bellsouth's Complaint or, in the Alternative, to Hold in Abeyance BellSouth's Complaint ("Motion"). In support of this motion, BellSouth states the following:

1. On November 13, 2001 Global Crossing filed and served its Motion on BellSouth via U.S. mail. Accordingly, under Rules 28-106.204(5) and 28-106.103, Florida Administrative Code, BellSouth's response is due on November 26, 2001 (seven (7) days from service plus five (5) days for U.S. mail).
2. Due to the Thanksgiving holidays and because Global Crossing's Motion contains several arguments, a seven (7) day extension of time in which to respond is necessary to allow BellSouth to adequately respond.
3. Global Crossing's counsel represented to BellSouth that Global Crossing would consent to this extension of time.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, BellSouth respectfully requests that the Commission grant it a seven (7) day extension of time or until December 3, 2001 in which to respond to Global Crossing's Motion.

Respectfully submitted this 21st day of November, 2001.



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