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Florida Public Service Commission
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Re: Docket No. 020507-TL (FCCA Complaint)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed are an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Request for Specified Confidential Classification for its responses to Florida Competitive Carriers Association's 3rd Set of Interrogatories, Item No. 7, 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,

Meredith Mays
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cc: All Parties of Record
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DOCUMENT NUMBER-DATE

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
DOCKET NO. 020507-TL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via
(*) Hand Delivery, Electronic Mail and Federal Express this 3rd day of January 2003 to
the following:

(+) Signed Protective Agreement

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Complaint of the Florida) Docket No. 020507-TL
Competitive Carriers Association)
Against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)
And Request for Expedited Relief) Filed: January 3, 2003

**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S REQUEST FOR
SPECIFIED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") hereby files, pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, this Request For Specified Confidential Classification and states the following:

1. On December 16, 2002, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. filed it's Response to Florida Competitive Carriers Association's 3rd Set of Interrogatories, Item No. 7. In addition, BellSouth filed a Notice of Intent with respect to BellSouth's Response to Florida Competitive Carriers Association's 3rd Set of Interrogatories, Item No. 7.
2. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.06(3)(a), BellSouth is now filing a Request for Confidential Classification for BellSouth's Response to Florida Competitive Carriers Association's 3rd Set of Interrogatories, Item No. 7 because said documents contain competitive business information that is considered confidential and proprietary to BellSouth. A more specific description of this information is contained in Attachment A.
3. BellSouth has treated and intends to continue to treat the information for which confidential classification is sought as private, and this information has not been generally disclosed.

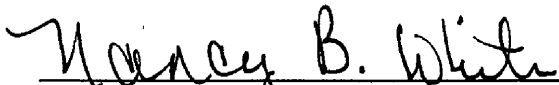
4. Appended hereto as Attachment B are two copies of the requested documents with the confidential information deleted.

5. Appended hereto as Attachment C is a sealed envelope containing one copy of the documents including the material which is confidential and proprietary.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, BellSouth moves the Commission to enter an order declaring the information described above to be confidential, proprietary business information that is not subject to public disclosure.

Respectfully submitted this 3rd day of January 2003.

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.



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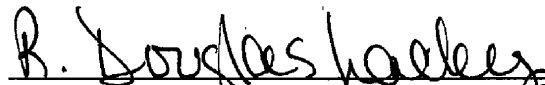
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ATTACHMENT A

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Explanation of Proprietary Information

1. This information contains competitive business information. This information is valuable, it is used by BellSouth in conducting its business and BellSouth strives to keep it secret. Therefore, such information is a trade secret which should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information, exempt from the Open Records Act.

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Interrogatory No. 7

Location

The data in item (a) and (b) in response to
Item no. 7

Reason

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