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**BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
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Request for Confidential Classification
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**REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION OF BELLSOUTH'S RESPONSE
TO SPRINT'S FOURTH SET OF INTERROGATORIES, ITEM NO. 11 FILED
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REQUEST: Provide the following:

- a. the switch manufacture and type (i.e. Lucent 5ESS) and the % mix by switch vendor, if multiple switch types are utilized,
- b. quantity of lines,
- c. quantity of trunks,
- d. line busy hour CCS (hundred call seconds),
- e. trunk busy hour CCS (hundred call seconds),
- f. the vendor material discount applied in the switch investment calculations used to calculate the Local Switching cost elements listed above.

RESPONSE: Assuming that this request refers to data underlying the BACE inputs for Local Switching, and assuming the "i.e." in part (a) was meant as an "e.g.", the following information is provided:

- a. % 5ESS = 68.9%
% DMS = 31.1%
- b. Quantity of Lines = 5,338,418
- c. Quantity of Trunks = 653,755
- d. Busy Hour CCS/Line = 3.62
- e. Busy Hour CCS/Trunk = 28.8
- f. Switch Vendor Discount - the discounts used for line and trunk items are: 5ESS = ██████% and DMS = ██████%. These discounts are proprietary and are subject to the provisions of the nondisclosure agreement executed by Sprint.

RESPONSE PROVIDED BY:

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