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Ms. Blanco S. Bayó Division of the Cornmission Clerk and Administrative Services Florida Public Service commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

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Re: Review of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Maintenance and Repair Practices

Dear Ms. Bayó:

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. pursuant to Section 364.183(3), Florida Statutes and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, hereby makes a claim of confidentiality for Staff's *Draft* Report issued on April 8, 2004, Staff's *Revised Draft Report* issued on April 28, 2004, BellSouth's *Initial Comments* filed on April 30, 2004 and Staff's workpapers. Staff's audit reports concerning BellSouth's Maintenance and Repair Practices, BellSouth's comments and the workpapers contain proprietary confidential business information, that includes, but is not limited to, information relating to competitive interests and internal and external audit reports

Sincerely,

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