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December 19, 1993

Mr. Steven C. Tribble, Director  
Division of Records and Reporting  
FL Public Service Commission  
101 E Gaines Street  
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RE: Docket No. 920260-TL  
Southern Bell Rate Case

Dear Mr. Tribble:

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket are an original and fifteen copies of the Prehearing Statement of the Florida Consumer Action Network (FCAN).

Also enclosed is a copy of the same Prehearing Statement on a 3-1/2" high density diskette generated on an IBM-DOS computer using Microsoft Word 4.1 software. Two versions are included -- formatted and unformatted -- for ease in transferring to WordPerfect 5.1 format.

Service has been provided to all parties of record in accordance with the attached Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your assistance in processing this filing.

Sincerely,

*Monte E. Belote*

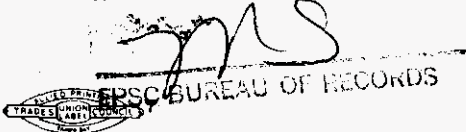
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Enclosures

cc: All Parties of Record  
Mr. Dan B. Hendrickson

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Comprehensive Review of the )  
Revenue Requirements and Rate )  
Stabilization Plan of Southern )  
Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company )

Docket No. 920260-TL  
Filed: December 20, 1993

**FLORIDA CONSUMER ACTION NETWORK'S (FCAN'S)  
MOTION TO ACCEPT LATE-FILED PREHEARING STATEMENT**

COMES NOW, Florida Consumer Action Network, Inc. ("FCAN"), and files its Motion to Accept Late-Filed Prehearing Statement.

1. Due to an unintentional human error, the Prehearing Statement of the Florida Consumer Action Network (FCAN) was filed late on December 20, 1993. An honest mistake was made, confusing the date of the Prehearing Conference with the date of the Prehearing Statement. FCAN sincerely regrets and apologizes for our error.

2. Since FCAN has previously filed a Prehearing Statement in this docket containing generally the same positions on issues, we believe that no harm has been done to any party by the accidental late-filing of this Prehearing Statement. Additionally, FCAN has been an active participant in the Service Hearings in this docket, publicly stating its positions on the major issues in this case. Widespread publicity surrounding these hearings has certainly made our basic positions known to Southern Bell, and most if not all of the parties as well.

WHEREFORE, FCAN respectfully requests that the Prehearing Officer accept its late-filed Prehearing Statement.

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Respectfully submitted this 20th day of December, 1993.

FLORIDA CONSUMER ACTION NETWORK

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Monte E. Belote". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'M' and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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