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RE: Docket No. 950984B-TP (MCImetro)

Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Enclosed please find an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Rebuttal Testimony of Dr. Aniruddha (Andy) Banerjee and Robert C. Scheye in the captioned docket.

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1 REBUTTAL TESTIMONY OF ANIRUDDHA (ANDY) BANERJEE
2 ON BEHALF OF BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
3 BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
4 DOCKET NO. 950984B-TP (MCImetro PETITION),
5 DECEMBER 11, 1995
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9 Q. Please state your name, address, and place of
10 employment.

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12 A. My name is Aniruddha (Andy) Banerjee. I am a
13 Senior Consultant with National Economic Research
14 Associates, Inc., located at One Main Street,
15 Cambridge, MA 02142.

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17 Q. Please give a brief description of your background
18 and experience.

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20 A. I earned a Bachelor of Arts (with Honors) and a
21 Master of Arts degree in Economics from the
22 University of Delhi, India, in 1975 and 1977
23 respectively. I received a Ph.D. in Agricultural
24 Economics from the Pennsylvania State University in
25 1985. I have over eight years of experience

1 teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in
2 various fields of Economics, and have conducted
3 academic research that has led to publications and
4 conference presentations.

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6 Since 1988, I have held various positions in the
7 telecommunications industry. Prior to my present
8 position, I have been an economist in the Market
9 Analysis & Forecasting Division at AT&T
10 Communications in Bedminster, NJ, a Member of
11 Technical Staff at Bell Communications Research in
12 Livingston, NJ, and a Research Economist at
13 BellSouth Telecommunications in Birmingham, AL. In
14 these positions, I was responsible for conducting
15 economic and market analysis, building quantitative
16 demand models for telecommunication services,
17 developing economic positions and strategies, and
18 providing expert testimony support on regulatory
19 economic matters. In my present capacity, I
20 provide quantitative and policy analysis for
21 telecommunications industry clients principally on
22 matters of concern to local exchange carriers.

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24 Q. Have you previously filed testimony before this
25 Commission?

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2 A. Yes. I filed on behalf of BellSouth
3 Telecommunications, Inc., direct and rebuttal
4 testimony in Docket 950985-TP and direct testimony
5 in 950984A-TP and direct testimony in 950984B-TP.

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7 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this
8 Docket?

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10 A. The purpose of my testimony is to respond to and,
11 where necessary, show why the positions taken by
12 some of the parties are inconsistent with sound
13 economic principles. In particular, it addresses
14 their prescriptions for the pricing of unbundled
15 network services by BellSouth. [Issue # 3]

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17 Q. Did the parties raise any additional issues you
18 need to address in their direct testimony filed on
19 November 28, 1995 in response to the Petition filed
20 by MCImetro on November 14, 1995?

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22 A. No. In fact, most simply adopted their previously
23 filed testimony by reference; therefore, I adopt by
24 reference and incorporate my direct testimony dated
25 November 27, 1995 and filed with the Florida Public

1 Service Commission in Docket 950984A-TP.

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3 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

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5 A. Yes.

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