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Re: Docket No. 960786-TL

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of American Communications Services of Jacksonville, Inc. are an original and 15 copies of American Communications Services of Jacksonville, Inc.'s Petition to Intervene in the above-referenced docket.

Please indicate receipt of this document by stamping the enclosed extra copy of this letter.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Norman H. Horton, Jr.
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Consideration of BellSouth)
Telecommunications, Inc.'s entry into)
InterLATA services pursuant to Section)
271 of the Federal Telecommunications)
Act of 1996.)
_____)

Docket No. 960786-TL
Filed: July 17, 1997

PETITION TO INTERVENE

American Communications Services ("ACSI") of Jacksonville, Inc., pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, herewith files its Petition to Intervene in this docket. As basis ACSI-Jacksonville states:

1. ACSI-Jacksonville, whose business address is 131 National Business Parkway, Suite 100, Annapolis Junction, MD 20701, is a certificate alternative local exchange carrier operating in the State of Florida.

2. All notices, pleadings and correspondence should be directed to:

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3. ACSI-Jacksonville currently provides local services in Jacksonville, Florida pursuant to authority issued by this Commission. In providing these services, ACSI-Jacksonville must purchase the elements for these services from BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. As an ALEC, ACSI-Jacksonville's substantial interests will be affected by the action taken by the Commission in this docket.

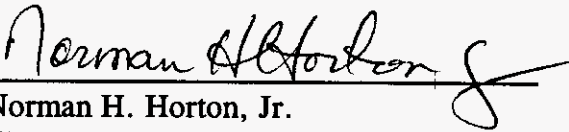
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WHEREFORE, ACSI-Jacksonville respectfully requests the Florida Public Service Commission grant the Petition to Intervene in this docket.

Respectfully submitted



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that true and correct copies of American Communications Services of Jacksonville, Inc.'s Petition to Intervene in Docket No. 960786-TL have been served upon the following parties by Hand Delivery (*) and/or Overnight Delivery (**) this 17th day of July, 1997:

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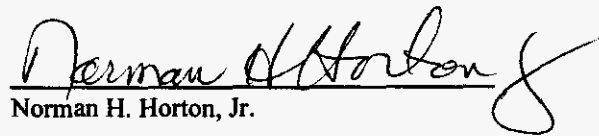
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