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DATE: OCTOBER 8, 1997

TO: CHAIRMAN JULIA L. JOHNSON

FROM: COMMISSIONER J. TERRY DEASON, PREHEARING OFFICER

RE: DOCKET NO. 970808-TP - PETITION OF BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR REMOVAL OF ST. JOSEPH TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S INTERLATA SUBSIDY

The prehearing and hearing in this docket are currently scheduled for March 9 and March 20, 1997. The parties are in agreement that more relevant information will be available after the first of the year; thus, a request has been made to move the hearing dates a couple of months further into the future. Staff has informed me that they agree that this will be beneficial to the gathering of information in this docket. In addition, no orders have been issued in this docket.

Upon review, I agree that moving the hearing dates will be beneficial.

JTD:bc

cc: Division of Auditing and Financial Analysis
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