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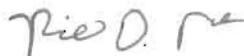
Re: Docket No. 960786-TL

Dear Ms. Bayó:

On behalf of MCI Telecommunications Corporation (MCI) enclosed for filing in the above docket are the original and 15 copies of MCI's Request For Confidential Classification.

By copy of this letter this document has been provided to the parties on the attached service list.

Very truly yours,



Richard D. Melson

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cc: Parties of Record

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FPSC-RECORDS/REPORTING

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: October 14, 1997

**MCI TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION'S
REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

MCI Telecommunications Corporation (MCI), pursuant to Section 364.183(1), Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-22.006(5), Florida Administrative Code, hereby files its Request for Confidential Classification of portions of Hearing Exhibit No. 112.

1. During the hearings in this docket, BellSouth moved into evidence Exhibit 112, consisting of MCI's responses to BellSouth's Second Set of Interrogatories. MCI's response to Interrogatory No. 10(a) had been provided to BellSouth on a confidential basis, pursuant to a Non-Disclosure Agreement between MCI and BellSouth. BellSouth did not provide the Commission with a copy of the confidential portion of Exhibit 112 at the time of the hearing. Instead MCI agreed to file the confidential portion with the Commission following the conclusion of the hearing.

2. This information was entered into the record as confidential at the hearing and has been identified as part of Exhibit 112.

3. The confidential version of the response to Interrogatory No. 10(a) identifies, for each month of 1997, the

specific number of business subscribers to MCI's telephone exchange service, and the associated number of access lines, for each city in BellSouth's territory in which MCI is providing local exchange service.

4. This information relates to the competitive interests of MCI and has been maintained by MCI as confidential. Disclosure of this data would impair the competitive business interests of MCI by allowing competitors to determine MCI's penetration in specific markets, including the number of customer and their relative size. Using this information, competitors could deduce MCI's revenues and business plans, all of which would adversely affect MCI's business interests.

5. Attachment A hereto is a copy of the document on which the confidential data has been highlighted. Attachment B consists of two redacted copies of the document.

WHEREFORE, MCI requests that the highlighted data be treated as proprietary confidential business information of MCI as provided in Section 364.183, Florida Statutes.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 14th day of October, 1997.

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2ND SET OF INTERROGATORIES
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10. If MCI is providing telephone exchange service to business subscribers other than through resale of BellSouth services, identify:

(a) for each month to date in 1997, the number of business subscribers and the number of subscriber lines by city in Florida separately identifying the number of subscribers and lines for which MCI charges a fee and those for which it does not;

Attached is a chart showing for each month to date in 1997, the number of business subscribers and the number of subscriber lines by city in Florida. This data excludes MCI customers in Tampa, which is an area not served by BellSouth. MCI charges a fee for these services.

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ATTACHMENT TO MCI'S RESPONSE TO INTERROGATORY NO. 10(A)
OF BELL SOUTH'S SECOND SET OF INTERROGATORIES TO MCI
DOCKET NO. 960786-TL

City	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
Fort Lauderdale							
# of Customers	[REDACTED]						
# of Circuits	[REDACTED]						
Miami							
# of Customers	[REDACTED]						
# of Circuits	[REDACTED]						
Orlando							
# of Customers	[REDACTED]						
# of Circuits	[REDACTED]						