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RE: Docket Nos. [REDACTED] 3-TP/960846-TP/960757-TP
960916-TP and 971140-TP

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Notice of Intent to Request Confidential Classification, which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return the copy to me. Copies have been served on the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

Bennett L. Ross
(Handwritten signature)
Bennett L. Ross

Enclosures

cc: All Parties of Record
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This Notice of Intent was filed with Confidential Document No. 12671-97. The document has been placed in the confidential files pending receipt of a request for confidential treatment.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petitions by AT&T) Docket No. 960833-TP
Communications of the Southern)
States, Inc., and MCI) Docket No. 960846-TP
Telecommunications Corporation,)
MCI Metro Access Transmission)
Services, Inc., for arbitration)
of certain terms and conditions)
of a proposed agreement with)
BellSouth Telecommunications,)
Inc. concerning interconnection)
and resale under the)
Telecommunications Act of 1996)
In the matter of) Docket No. 960757-TP
MFS Communications Company, Inc.)
Petition for Arbitration Pursuant)
to 47 U.S.C. § 252(b) of)
Interconnection Rates, Terms, and)
Conditions with)
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)
In the Matter of) Docket No. 960916-TP
Petition by American)
Communications Services, Inc.)
and American Communications)
Services of Jacksonville, Inc.)
for Arbitration with BellSouth)
Telecommunications, Inc.)
pursuant to the)
Telecommunications Act of 1996)
In re: Petition by MCI Metro Access) Docket No. 971140-TP
Transmission Services, Inc., to Set)
Non-Recurring Charges for)
Combination of Network Elements)
to Set Non-Recurring Charges for)
Combination of Network Elements)
with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)
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**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S NOTICE OF
INTENT TO REQUEST SPECIFIED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

COMES NOW, BellSouth Telecommunications, inc. ("BellSouth" or "Company"), and pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, files its Notice of Intent to Request Specified Confidential Classification.

1. On December 9, 1997, BellSouth filed its responses to the Staff's Third Set of Interrogatories and Third Requests for Production of Documents. Interrogatory No. 47 and Request for Production No. 46 requested information concerning collocation costs. Some of the information responsive to these requests contain vendor specific pricing information that is considered to be confidential and proprietary to BellSouth.

2. In its Request for Production No. 40, the Staff requested copies of certain reports and reviews prepared by investment banking firms on behalf of BellSouth. Some of the materials responsive to this request are subject to a confidentiality agreement with the investment banking firm that prepared the report, which is considered confidential and proprietary to BellSouth.

3. The information contained in the documents identified in the preceding paragraphs is proprietary to BellSouth and includes information containing, among other things, vendor specific pricing information and confidential financial data. Such information is clearly confidential and

proprietary under Florida Statutes, Section 364.183 and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code.

4. Because this information contains proprietary information, BellSouth is filing this Notice of Intent to Request Specified Confidential Classification, pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(3)(a), Florida Administrative Code, in order to allow the Commission to take possession of the responses without delay. The original of this notice has been filed with the Division of Records and Reporting, and a copy has been served on the Division requesting the information.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of December, 1997.

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