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Mrs. Blanca S. Bayó
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Re: Docket No. 980119-TP (Supra Complaint)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Motion to Strike Portions of Supra Telecommunications and Information Systems, Inc.'s **Amended** Direct Testimony, which we ask that you file in the captioned matter.

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 to the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

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Enclosures
cc: All parties of record
A. M. Lombardo
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William J. Ellenberg II

Sincerely,

Nancy B. White (ke)

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Docket No. 980119-TP

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served
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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Complaint of Supra Telecommunications) Docket No.: 980119-TP
and Information Systems, Inc., Against)
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)
_____) Filed: April 9, 1998

**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S
MOTION TO STRIKE PORTIONS OF SUPRA
TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS, INC.'S
AMENDED DIRECT TESTIMONY**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., ("BellSouth"), hereby files, pursuant to Rule 25-22.037(2)(b), Florida Administrative Code, its Motion to Strike Portions of Supra Telecommunications and Information Systems, Inc.'s ("Supra") Amended Direct Testimony and, in support thereof, states the following:

1. On March 24, 1998, the Prehearing Officer issued Order No. PSC-98-0416-PCO-TP, holding that certain issues proposed by Supra were inappropriate and would be excluded. The excluded issues related to whether BellSouth had violated the Act by failing to negotiate in good faith; whether BellSouth had failed to give Supra access to unbundled network elements at parity; whether BellSouth was required to resell its billing services to Supra; and whether BellSouth was required to provide dark fiber to Supra.

2. On April 8, 1998, Supra filed the amended direct testimony of Olukayode A. Ramos. Mr. Ramos' testimony contains discussions of the excluded issues, as well as testimony concerning subjects that are not appropriate for this docket. Specifically, page 5, line 22 through page 11, line 3; page 12, line 25 through page 13, line 1; page 48, lines 7-11 and lines 20-22; and page 49, lines 14-18, and lines 22-26.

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3. These sections of Mr. Ramos' testimony, along with the exhibits referenced therein (Exhibits OAR-1; OAR-2 and OAR-3) should be stricken as irrelevant to the issues that are the subject of this docket.

WHEREFORE, BellSouth respectfully requests the Commission to strike Portions of Supra's Amended Direct Testimony as irrelevant to the issues in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 9th day of April, 1998.

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

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