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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: BellSouth Telecommunications,)
Inc.'s Petition for Waiver for the)
North Dade Golden Glades Central)
Office)

Docket No. 981012-FL)
Filed: 8-17-98)
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PETITION OF INTERMEDIA COMMUNICATIONS INC.
FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

Comes now Intermedia Communications Inc. (Intermedia) and
requests that the Commission grant it intervention in this
proceeding. As grounds Intermedia states:

- 1. The exact name of the Petitioner and its address is:

Intermedia Communications Inc.
3625 Queen Palm Drive
Tampa, Florida 33619-1309

- 2. All notices, pleadings, orders, and documents in this
proceeding should be provided to:

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- 3. Intermedia is certificated by the Florida Public Service

Commission to provide both local and long distance
telecommunications services. Intermedia is currently providing
these services in the state of Florida.

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5. Section 251(c)(6) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Act) requires the incumbent local exchange company (ILEC) to demonstrate to the state commission's satisfaction that there are space limitations on the ILEC's premises that make physical collocation impractical. The FCC has found that these issues are best addressed by state commissions on a case-by-case basis to evaluate whether a refusal to allow physical collocation is justified.

4. Intermedia has an approved interconnection agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth), and operates as an alternative local exchange company in BellSouth's region. Moreover, Intermedia's business operations are substantially affected by BellSouth's request for waiver of the physical collocation requirements of Section 251(c)(6) of the Act and the FCC's First Report and Order, Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-98. Thus, Intermedia has standing to participate in this proceeding and should be granted intervention as a full party of record.

WHEREFORE, Intermedia Communications Inc. respectfully requests that it be granted leave to intervene in the above proceeding.

Dated this 17th day of August 1998.



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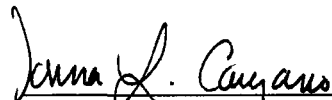
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