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Re: Docket No. 981012-TL

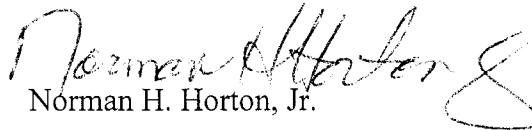
Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above captioned docket are an original and fifteen copies of NorthPoint Communications, Inc.'s Petition to Intervene.

Please acknowledge receipt of these documents by stamping the extra copy of this letter "filed" and returning the same to me.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

Sincerely,

  
Norman H. Horton, Jr.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s	)	
Petition for temporary waiver of physical	)	
collocation requirement set forth in the 1996	)	Docket No. 981012-TL
Telecommunications Act and the FCC's First	)	Filed: September 18, 1998
Report and Order, for the for the for the North	)	
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PETITION TO INTERVENE

NorthPoint Communications, Inc. ("NorthPoint"), through its undersigned counsel, hereby files this Petition to Intervene in this docket and as grounds would show:

1. The name and address of petitioner is:

NorthPoint Communications, Inc.  
 222 Sutter Street, 7th Floor  
 San Francisco, CA 94108  
 Phone No. 415-659-6518

2. Copies of notices, pleadings and documents in this proceeding should be provided

to:

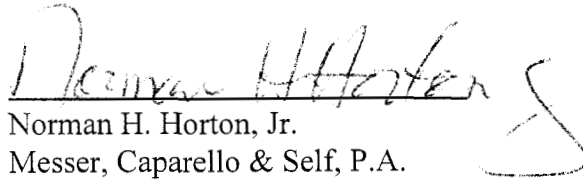
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3. NorthPoint Communications, Inc. is a certificated alternative local exchange carrier in Florida.

4. NorthPoint Communications, Inc. has requested physical collocation with BellSouth at several central offices and its substantial interests will be affected by the ruling on this petition.

WHEREFORE, NorthPoint respectfully requests that the Commission grant the request to  
intervene.

Respectfully submitted

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Norman H. Horton, Jr.", with a large, stylized flourish extending to the right.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of NorthPoint Communications, Inc.'s Petition to Intervene in Docket No. 981012-TL has been furnished by Hand Delivery (\*) and/or U.S. Mail to the following parties of record this 18th day of September, 1998:

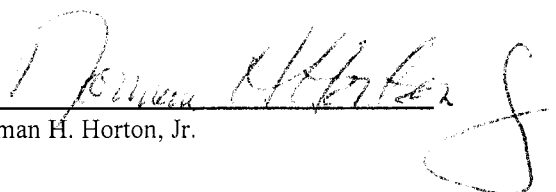
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