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Re: Docket No. [REDACTED] TP and 981745-TP

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Today, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. served its Revised Answers (Nos. 5, 11, 15, 16, 18, 43-49, 53, 99 and 113) and Supplemental Answer (No. 121) to e.spire Communications, Inc.'s First Set of Interrogatories.

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

Sincerely,

Thomas B. Alexander (cc)

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