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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

GTC, INC.,

CASE NO. 94,656

Appellant,

v.

970808-TL

JOE GARCIA, ETC, ET AL.,

Appellees.

APPELLEE/CROSS-APPELLANT BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ANSWER BRIEF AND INITIAL BRIEF ON CROSS-APPEAL

Appellee/Cross-Appellant BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), pursuant to Florida Rule of Appellate Procedure 9.300, moves for an extension of time to file its answer brief and initial brief on cross-appeal on the following grounds:

1. BellSouth's answer brief and initial brief on cross-appeal is currently due August 3, 1999.

2. BellSouth's counsel has been working on many other appeals in several courts, including *BellSouth Telecom. v. Worldcom Technologies*, N.D. Fla. case no. 4:98 CV 352 RH

(oral argument 7/29; reply brief served 7/2); *BellSouth Telecom., Inc. v. Supra Telecom. &*

Info. Systems, 3d DCA case no. ____ (pet. for cert. filed 7/27); *Otero v. the Midland Life Ins.*

Co., 3d DCA case no. 98-3421 (answer brief served 7/20); *ASC Meat Imports v. Int'l Food*

Packers, 3d DCA case no. 98-2215 (oral argument 6/28); *Diaz v. Green*, 3d DCA case no.

98-2867 (initial brief served 6/23); *Euroinvest, Inc. v. City of Hialeah*, Dade Cir. Ct. (pet. for

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cert. filed 6/23); *Martinez v. Kmart Corp.*, 3d DCA Case no. 98-2112 (oral argument 6/17);
Bennett v. Fla. Dept. of Agriculture, 3d DCA Case no. 99-596 (answer brief filed 6/14).

3. The undersigned has contacted Patrick Wiggins, counsel for Appellant/Cross-Appellees, who does not object to the requested extension of time.

For the reasons stated, BellSouth requests an extension of time of 30 days, until September 2, 1999, to file its answer brief and initial brief on cross-appeal.

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