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Re: Docket No. 980119-TP (Supra Complaint)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed please find an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Reply to Supra Telecommunications and Information Systems, Inc.'s Response and Opposition to BellSouth's Motion for Reconsideration and Request For Oral Argument, which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

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.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: Complaint of Supra Telecommunications)
and Information Systems, Inc., Against)
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)
_____)

Docket No.: 980119-TP

Filed: July 10, 2000

**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S REPLY TO
SUPRA TELECOM'S RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO BELLSOUTH'S
MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION AND REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereby replies to Supra Telecom's Response and Opposition to BellSouth's Motion for Reconsideration and its Request for Oral Argument.

1. On June 8, 2000, BellSouth filed a Motion for Reconsideration (the "Motion") pursuant to the Florida Administrative Code and relevant case law, in which it requested that the issue of whether BellSouth has complied with the edit checking capability required in Order No. PSC-98-1001-FOF-TP be resolved by the third party testing of BellSouth's Operations Support Systems ("OSS") presently being conducted pursuant to Order No. PSC-00-0104-PAA-TP.

2. Almost three weeks later, on June 27, 2000, Supra Telecommunications & Information Systems, Inc. ("Supra") filed a Response and Opposition to BellSouth's Motion for Reconsideration together with a request for oral argument in response to the Motion. As usual, Supra's filings are replete with factual inaccuracies and wild accusations. Supra's response is out of time, however, so neither the Commission nor BellSouth need trouble itself with considering them.

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3. BellSouth's Motion was served on Supra on June 8, 2000 by first class mail. Under Rule 28-106.204(1), Florida Administrative Code, a response to a motion must be filed and served within 7 days of the time the motion is served. The rules afford parties an additional five days to respond when service is made by mail. Similarly, requests for oral argument must be made at the time the response to the motion is due. Rule 25-22.058(1), Florida Administrative Code.

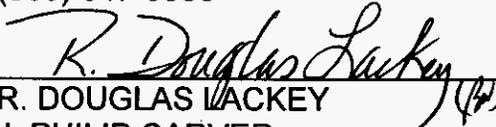
4. Pursuant to the Commission's rules, Supra's response and request for oral argument should have been filed by June 20, 2000. Accordingly, Supra's response to the Motion, as well as its request for oral argument, should be rejected as untimely.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of July, 2000.

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