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Mrs. Blanca S. Bayo
Director, Division of Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

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Re: Approval of an Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations Communications pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, BellSouth and Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations Communications are submitting to the Florida Public Service Commission an amendment to their negotiated agreement for the interconnection of their networks, the unbundling of specific network elements offered by BellSouth and the resale of BellSouth's telecommunications services to Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations Communications. The Commission approved the initial agreement between the companies in Order No. 99-0312-FOF-TP issued February 18, 1999 in Docket 991837-TP.

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Act, the Commission is charged with approving or rejecting the negotiated agreement between BellSouth and Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations Communications within 90 days of its submission. The Act provides that the Commission may only reject such an agreement if it finds that the agreement or any portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement or the implementation of the agreement or any portion of the agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity. Both parties aver that neither of these reasons exist as to the agreement they have negotiated and therefore, are very hopeful that the Commission shall approve their agreement.

Very truly yours,

Marshall M. Criser III

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ATTACHMENT TO TRANSMITTAL LETTER

The Agreement (Amendment) entered into by and between Kexa, d/b/a Capital Explorations Communication and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., dated 04/24/2000, for the state Florida consists of the following:

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Amendment	2
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**Amendment to
Master Interconnection
by and between
Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations Communications
and
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Dated November 20, 1998**

Pursuant to this Agreement, (the "Amendment"), Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations Communications ("Capital Explorations"), and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Agreement between the Parties dated November 20, 1998 (the "Agreement").

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual provisions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1. The rates for DS3 Unbundled Local Loops contained in Attachment 1 to this Amendment are hereby added to Attachment 11, Exhibit 1, of the Agreement.
2. All of the other provisions of the Agreement dated November 20, 1998 shall remain in full force and effect.
3. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to the respective state regulatory authorities for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

**Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations
Communications**

By: Aixa D. Schulte
Name: Aixa D. Schulte
Title: President
Date: 4/19/00

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By: Jerry Hendrix
Name: Jerry Hendrix
Title: Senior Director
Date: 4/29/00

**BellSouth / Kexa d/b/a Capital Explorations
DS3 Unbundled Local Loop Rates**

DS3 Unbundled Local Loop	USOC	FL
DS3 Unbundled Local Loop - per mile, per month	1L5ND	\$40.01
DS3 Unbundled Local Loop - per Facility Termination, per month	UE3PX	\$470.83
NRC - Facility Termination - 1st	UE3PX	\$770.47
NRC - Facility Termination - Add'l	UE3PX	\$436.40
NRC - Facility Termination - Disconnect - 1 st	UE3PX	\$108.95
NRC - Facility Termination - Disconnect - Add'l	UE3PX	\$106.01
NRC - Incremental Charge--Manual Svc Order - 1st	SOMAC	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge--Manual Svc Order - Add'l	SOMAC	NA
NRC - Incremental Cost - Manual Svc. Order vs. Elect-Disconnect-1st	SOMAC	NA
NRC - Incremental Cost - Manual Svc. Order vs. Elect-Disconnect-Add'l	SOMAC	NA