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December 18, 2000

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

RE: Docket 001371-TP Approval of an amendment to the Interconnection agreement negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Teleport Communications, Inc. (TCG)

Dear Ms. Bayo:

On September 11, 2000, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Teleport Communications, Inc. (TCG) filed an amendment to their interconnection agreement for approval by the Florida Public Service Commission.

We respectfully request to withdraw this amendment, as Teleport Communications, Inc. (TCG) is not a certificated company in Florida. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may have caused.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours very truly,

Nancy H. Sims
Director - Regulatory Relations

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