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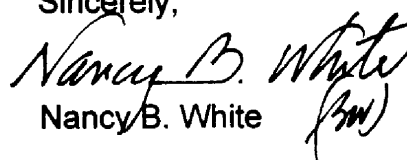
**Re: 991378-TL (Show Cause Docket)**

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s and The Office of Public Counsel's Joint Motion for Extension of Time in Which to File Testimony, which we ask that you file in the above-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,

  
Nancy B. White (BN)

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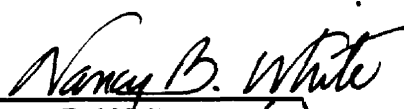
I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Initiation of show cause ) Docket No. 991378-TL  
proceedings against BellSouth )  
Telecommunications, Inc., for )  
violation of service standards. )  
\_\_\_\_\_ ) Dated: January 30, 2001


**JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
IN WHICH TO FILE TESTIMONY**

COMES NOW, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), and The Office of the Public Counsel, ("OPC") (collectively, the "Parties"), hereby file this Joint Motion for an extension of time of two weeks in which to file testimony in this case. The purpose of this extension is to continue to give the Parties an opportunity to address and/or resolve the issues in this case.

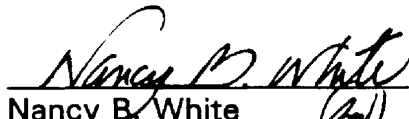
The Parties continue to work diligently toward a resolution, however, it appears that more time will be needed. BellSouth and OPC thus ask the Commission to continue the testimony filing date for BellSouth until February 15, 2001, and continue the testimony filing date for OPC and the Staff until March 22, 2001.

For these reasons, BellSouth and OPC ask that the Commission continue the filing dates of all remaining testimony in this case as requested herein.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of January 30, 2001.



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