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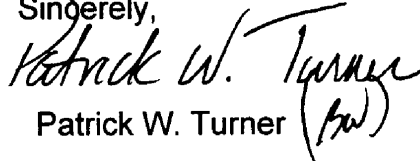
Re: Docket No. 001762-TC (Rules - Location of Pay Telephones)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Public Communications, Inc.'s Comments on Staff's Proposed Changes to Telephone Rules, 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,


Patrick W. Turner (PW)

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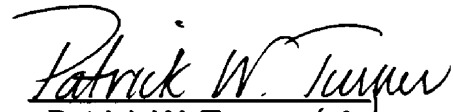
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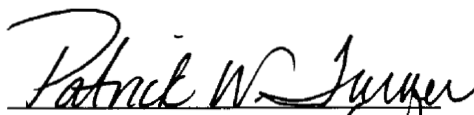
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**COMMENTS OF BELLSOUTH PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS
ON STAFF'S PROPOSED CHANGES TO TELEPHONE RULES**

As requested by the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") during the Workshop it conducted in this docket on January 10, 2001, BellSouth Public Communications, Inc. ("BellSouth") respectfully submits the following comments to the Staff's Proposed Changes to Pay Telephone Rules. BellSouth agrees with the comments filed by the Florida Public Telephone Association, Inc. ("FPTA") as to this issue and adopts those comments in *extenso*.

Respectfully submitted this 19th day of February, 2001.

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