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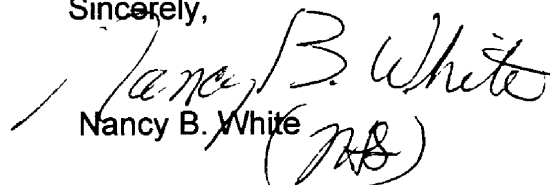
Re: 960786-TL (Section 271)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Notice of Intent to Request Specified Confidential Classification of D. Doanne Caldwell's Testimony Exhibit DDC-1 and Cynthia K. Cox's Testimony Exhibit CKC-4, 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 of record as shown on the certificate of service.

Sincerely,


Nancy B. White (NB)

Enclosures

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Consideration of BellSouth)
Telecommunications, Inc.'s entry into) Docket No. 960786-TL
interLATA services pursuant to Section)
271 of the Federal Telecommunications)
Act of 1996.)
_____) Filed: May 31, 2001

**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S NOTICE OF
INTENT TO REQUEST SPECIFIED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

COMES NOW, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth" or "Company"), and pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, files its Notice of Intent to Request Specified Confidential Classification.

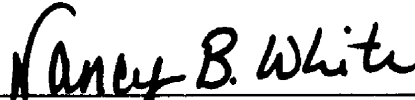
1. On May 31, 2001, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. filed its direct testimony of D. Daonne Caldwell. Attached to that testimony is Exhibit DDC-1 which contains cost studies that include vendor-specific pricing information and confidential business information that is considered proprietary to BellSouth.

2. On May 31, 2001 filed its direct testimony of Cynthia K. Cox. Attached to that testimony is Exhibit CKC-4 (Affidavit of Victor Wakeling). Exhibits VW-5, VW-6, VW-7, VW-8, and VW-10 of Victor Wakeling's affidavit contain customer specific information that is considered proprietary to BellSouth. This information is being provided to the Commission as a result of Order No. PSC- 97-1459-FOF-TL, requiring BellSouth to file its entire 271 case at the Commission. In addition, this information is provided to the Commission pursuant to Order No. PSC-01-1033-PCO-TL.

3. Because this information contains proprietary information, BellSouth is now filing this Notice of Intent to Request Specified Confidential Classification pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(3)(a), Florida Administrative Code, in order to allow the Commission to take possession of the testimony without delay. The original of this notice has been filed with the Division of Records and Reporting, and a copy has been served on all parties of record.

Respectfully submitted this 31st day of May, 2001.

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