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Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director  
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2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
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Re: Docket No. 990649-TP – Investigation into Pricing of Unbundled  
Network Elements

Dear Ms. Bayó,

Enclosed for filing on behalf of MCI WorldCom, Inc. and its operating subsidiaries and AT&T Communications of the Southern States are an original and fifteen copies of their Joint Motion to Accept Proposed Expedited Hearing Schedule.

By copy of this letter, this document has been provided to the parties on the attached service list.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Donna Canzano McNulty

Enclosures

**BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In re: Investigation into ) Docket No. 990649-TP  
Pricing of Unbundled Network Elements )  
\_\_\_\_\_ ) Filed: June 18, 2001

**JOINT MOTION OF WORLDCOM AND AT&T TO ACCEPT PROPOSED  
EXPEDITED HEARING SCHEDULE**

MCI WorldCom, Inc., and its operating subsidiaries, (collectively "WorldCom") and AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. (AT&T) hereby file, pursuant to Rule 28-106.204, Florida Rules of Administrative Procedure, their Joint Motion to Accept Proposed Expedited Hearing Schedule and state the following:

1. By Order No. PSC-01-1181-FOF-TP, issued on May 25, 2001, the Commission directed BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) to refile its cost model incorporating revisions as specified in the order, and to refile proposals addressing network reliability and security concerns pertaining to access to subloop elements.

2. In December, 1998, the Competitive Carriers Association, of which WorldCom and AT&T are members, requested a generic proceeding to address UNE pricing for BellSouth.

3. Because this proceeding has taken a considerable amount of time for various reasons and because time is an important factor in the telecommunications market, WorldCom and AT&T respectfully request that the Commission accept their joint proposal for an expedited hearing schedule as follows:

Sept. 25	BellSouth files direct testimony, exhibits, and all inputs, and cost model run;
Nov. 30	ALECs file rebuttal testimony, exhibits and cost model run, if applicable;
Dec. 20	BellSouth files rebuttal testimony and exhibits;
Dec. 20	Prehearing Statements;
Jan. 10-11	Hearing;
Jan. 31	Briefs;
Feb. 21	Staff recommendation;
March 5	Agenda; and
March 25	Order.

WHEREFORE, WorldCom and AT&T respectfully request that the Commission establish the expedited hearing schedule proposed by the Joint Movants in the BellSouth portion of this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted this 19<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2001.

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