VOTE SHEET

JULY 24, 2001

RE: DOCKET NO. 991378-TL - Initiation of show cause proceedings against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for violation of service standards.

<u>ISSUE 1</u>: Should the Commission approve the Stipulation and Settlement By and Between the Office of Public Counsel and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (Stipulation and Settlement) to resolve the apparent violations of service standards Rules 25-4.0185(3)(a), and 25-4.073(1)(d), Florida Administrative Code, during the years 1996 through 1999? <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Yes. The Commission should approve the Stipulation and Settlement in its entirety. The Stipulation and Settlement should become effective on the day following the vote of the Commission approving the Stipulation and Settlement.

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<u>ISSUE 2</u>: Should this docket be closed? <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Yes. If the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issue 1, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of the Final Order.

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