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Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

010973-TL

Re: Docket No. ~~010974-TL~~  
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Petition  
for Emergency Temporary Rule Waiver

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed please find the original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Notification of Tentative Settlement which we ask that you file in the above referenced matter.

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*  
Nancy B. White (KA)

Enclosure

cc: All parties of record  
Marshall M. Criser III  
R. Douglas Lackey

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

**DOCKET NO. 010973-TP**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing has been served this 6<sup>th</sup>  
day of August, 2001, by U. S. Mail to:

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Administrative Procedures Committee  
Room 120 Holland Building  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1300

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition by BellSouth Tele- )  
communications, Inc., for Emergency )  
Temporary Waiver of Rules 25-4.066(2) )  
and (3); 25-4.070(3)(a), (3)(b), and (5); ) Docket No. 010973-TP  
25-4.073(1)(a), (1)(c) and (1)(d); )  
25-4.0770(2); 25-4.040(5); and 25-4.111, )  
Florida Administrative Code ) Filed: August 6, 2001  
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**NOTIFICATION OF TENTATIVE SETTLEMENT**

Now comes BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and advises the Florida Public Service Commission that BellSouth and the Communication Workers of America ("CWA") reached a tentative settlement on a new bargaining agreement late the evening of August 4, 2001. The Agreement must be ratified by the CWA in order to become final. Approximately 60 to 90 days is required for this process. If ratified, the temporary waiver granted by the Commission will be moot. If not ratified, the possibility of a work stoppage exists. BellSouth will keep the Commission apprised of the ratification process.

Respectfully submitted this \_\_\_ day of August, 2001.

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

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