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February 21, 2002

Mrs. Blanca S. Bayo
Director, Division of Commission Clerk and Administrative Services
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

020156-TP

Re: Approval of Amendment to the Interconnection, Unbundling, Resale, and Collocation Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and Orlando Telephone Company, Inc. pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996

Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, BellSouth and Orlando Telephone Company, Inc. are submitting to the Florida Public Service Commission an amendment to their negotiated agreement for the interconnection of their networks, the unbundling of specific network elements offered by BellSouth and the resale of BellSouth's telecommunications services to Orlando Telephone Company, Inc.. The initial agreement between the companies was filed in 010775-TP, on May 23, 2001, and was deemed effective by operation of law on August 21, 2001

Pursuant to section 252(e) of the Act, the Commission is charged with approving or rejecting this amendment to the negotiated agreement between BellSouth and Orlando Telephone Company, Inc. within 90 days of its submission. The Act provides that the Commission may only reject such an agreement if it finds that the agreement or any portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement or the implementation of the agreement or any portion of the agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity. Both parties agree that neither of these reasons exists as to the agreement they have negotiated and therefore, as such this amendment should be deemed effective by operation of law on May 21, 2002.

Very truly yours,

Marshall M. Criser III

Regulatory Vice President

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**AMENDMENT
TO THE
AGREEMENT BETWEEN
ORLANDO TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.
AND
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
DATED APRIL 23, 2001**

Pursuant to this Amendment, (the "Amendment"), Orlando Telephone Company, Inc. ("Orlando Telephone"), and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated April 23, 2001, ("Agreement").

WHEREAS, BellSouth and Orlando Telephone entered into the Agreement on April 23, 2001, and;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual provisions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1. The Parties agree to amend Attachment 3 rates to include a bill and keep arrangement for the following elements:

Dedicated End Office Trunk Port Service-per DS1

Dedicated Tandem Trunk Port Service-per DS1
2. The Parties agree to amend Attachment 3 rates to include a non -bill and keep arrangement for the following element:

Channelization-DS1 to DS0 Channel System
3. The rates and USOCs are as set forth in Exhibit 1 attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.
4. All of the other provisions of the Agreement, dated April 23, 2001, shall remain in full force and effect.
5. BellSouth shall submit this Amendment to the respective state regulatory authorities for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

Orlando Telephone Company, Inc.

By: Jerry Locke
Name: Jerry Locke
Title: Director of Operations
Date: 11-30-01

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By: Greg Follensbee
Name: Greg Follensbee
Title: Senior Director
Date: 12 -01

**Exhibit 1
LOCAL INTERCONNECTION
Florida**

CATEGORY	NOTES	LOCAL INTERCONNECTION	Interim	Zone	BCS	USOC	RATES (\$)					OSS RATES (\$)						
							Nonrecurring		Nonrecurring		Svc Order Submitted Elec per LSR	Svc Order Submitted Monthly per LSR	Incremental Charge - Manual Svc Order vs Electronic-1st	Incremental Charge - Manual Svc Order vs Electronic-Add'l	Incremental Charge - Manual Svc Order vs Electronic-Disc 1st	Incremental Charge - Manual Svc Order vs Electronic-Disc Add'l		
							Rec	First	Add'l	First							Add'l	SOMECC
							Disconnect		Disconnect		Disconnect		Disconnect		Disconnect		Disconnect	
LOCAL INTERCONNECTION (CALL TRANSPORT AND TERMINATION)																		
NOTE "bk" beside a rate indicates that the Parties have agreed to bill and keep on for that element pursuant to the terms of Attachment 3																		
TRUNK CHARGE																		
		Dedicated End Office Trunk Port Service-per DS1**			OH1 OH1MS	TDE1P	0 00bk											
		Dedicated Tandem Trunk Port Service-per DS1**			OH1 OH1MS	TDW1P	0 00bk											
** This rate element is recovered on a per MOU basis and is included in the End Office Switching and Tandem Switching, per MOU rate element																		
LOCAL INTERCONNECTION MID-SPAN MEET																		
NOTE: If Access service ride Mid-Span Meet, one-half the tariffed service Local Channel rate is applicable.																		
MULTIPLEXERS																		
		Channelization - DS1 to DS0 Channel System			OH1 OH1M	SATN1	146 77	101 42	71 62	11 09	10 49							
Notes: If no rate is identified in the contract, the rates, terms and conditions for the specific service or function will be as set forth in applicable BellSouth tariff																		