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

Re: Approval of Amendment to the Interconnection, Unbundling, Resale, and Collocation Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and NUI Telecom, 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 NUI Telecom, 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 NUI Telecom, Inc.. The initial agreement between the companies was filed in Docket No. 020615-TP, on June 27, 2002, and will be deemed effective by Operation of Law on September 25, 2002

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 NUI Telecom, 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 October 14, 2002.

Very truly yours,

Marshall Criser III
Regulatory Vice President (KA)

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**AMENDMENT
TO THE
AGREEMENT BETWEEN
NUI TELECOM, INC.
AND
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
DATED MAY 17, 2002**

Pursuant to this Amendment, (the "Amendment"), entered into by and between NUI Telecom, Inc., ("NUI Telecom"), and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated May 17, 2002 ("Agreement").

WHEREAS, BellSouth and NUI Telecom, Inc. entered into the Agreement on May 17, 2002, 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 hereby agree to delete Section 20.1 of General Terms and Conditions and replace with new Section 20.1 as follows:

20.1 Every notice, consent, approval, or other communications required or contemplated by this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be delivered by hand, by overnight courier or by US mail postage prepaid, address to:

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

BellSouth Local Contract Manager
8th Floor
600 North 19th Street
Birmingham, Alabama 35202

and

General Attorney – COU
Suite 4300
675 West Peachtree Street
Atlanta, Georgia 30375

NUI Telecom, Inc.

Richard Boudria
President
550 Route 202-206
Bedminster, New Jersey 07921

or at such other address as the intended recipient previously shall have designated by written notice to the other Party.

2. All of the other provisions of the Agreement, dated May 17, 2002, shall remain in full force and effect.
3. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to 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.

NUI Telecom, Inc.

By: Richard M. Boudria

Name: RICHARD M. BOUDRIA

Title: President & CEO

Date: June 13, 2002

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By: C. W. Boltz

Name: C. W. Boltz

Title: Managing Director

Date: 6-18-02