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Re: **2002 ALEC Data Request Response – Business Telecom, Inc.
CONFIDENTIAL CLAIM FOR ACCESS LINE REPORT**

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed are the responses from Business Telecom, Inc. to the Florida 2002 Local Competition Report Data Request. The subject material with the confidential portions is highlighted. The Local Competition Report Data Request and Attachments I, II, and IV contain the Company's responses to questions in which confidentiality is being claimed, as provided for under Chapter 364.183 (1), Florida Statutes.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by returning, date stamped, the extra copy of this cover letter in the stamped self-addressed envelope which is provided for that purpose.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed, please do not hesitate to contact me at (919) 863-7349. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

BUSINESS TELECOM, INC.

Stephanie R. Raiford
Regulatory Manager

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