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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 between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and Progress Telecommunications Corporation

Dear Mrs. Bayo:

Please find enclosed for filing and approval, an original and two copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Amendment to Interconnection, Unbundling, Resale, and Collocation Agreement with Progress Telecommunications Corporation.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Kathleen Arant at (850) 222-9380.

Very truly yours,

Marshall M. Criser III
Regulatory Vice President (LA)

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**AMENDMENT
TO THE
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
PROGRESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION. AND
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
DATED MAY 18, 2002**

Pursuant to this Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Progress Telecommunications Corporation, ("Progress"), and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("The Amendment"), Progress 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 18, 2002 ("Interconnection Agreement").

WHEREAS, Progress has changed the name of said business to Progress Telecom Corporation, ("Progress Telecom"), a Florida corporation.

WHEREAS, the Parties desire that the Interconnection Agreement be amended to reflect the correct corporate entity name.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants 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 name of Progress in the Interconnection Agreement is hereby deleted throughout the Interconnection Agreement and replaced with Progress Telecom Corporation ("Progress Telecom").
2. All of the other provisions of the Interconnection Agreement, dated May 18, 2002 shall remain in full force and effect.
3. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to each Public Service Commission 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.

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

Progress Telecommunications Corporation

By: RA Smith

By: E Walker

Name: FRANK R. A. Smith

Name: Elizabeth H. Walker

Title: Assistant Director

Title: VP, Customer Service Delivery

Date: 12/12/2002

Date: 10/24/02

