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DATE: June 4, 2003
TO: All Parties and Interested Persons
FROM: Linda H. Dodson, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel
RE: **Docket No. 030103-TP** - Complaint of MCIMetro Access Transmission Services, LLC and MCI WORLDCOM Communications, Inc. Against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for alleged breach of interconnection agreements with respect to rates charged for certain high-capacity circuits.

BY ELECTRONIC MAIL

An issue identification meeting was held in the above-referenced docket on June 4, 2003. There were a number of issues that were identified to be addressed in the proceeding for this docket. However, parties reached an impasse on one issue. Therefore, the Prehearing Officer will be accepting briefs on that issue, which is identified as:

Are the claims by MCI for breach of the 1997 Agreement and/or the MFS Agreement barred by the doctrines of laches, waiver, and/or estoppel?

Parties should file briefs on whether the above-referenced issue should be included in the list of issues for purposes of hearing, by the close of June 13, 2003. The Prehearing Officer has determined that briefs shall be limited to 15 pages.

Should you have any questions, please contact Linda Dodson at (850) 413-6216 or John Muskovac at (850) 413-6552.

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cc: Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services.

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