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September 18, 2003

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2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

**Re: Undocketed Matter:
Year 2003 Local Competition Report Data Request – ILEC**

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Request for Specified Confidential Classification for BellSouth's Responses to Item No. 6 which contains confidential information. Please file this Request in the captioned matter.

A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return a copy to me.

Sincerely,



Nancy B. White (CA)

Enclosures

cc: All Parties of Record
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Roberta S. Bass

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

2003 Local Competition Report – Data Request (ILEC)
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**BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S REQUEST FOR
SPECIFIED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") hereby files, pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, this Request For Specified Confidential Classification and states the following:

1. In a letter dated June 16, 2003, the Florida Public Service Commission (the "Commission") requested that BellSouth provide Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier ("ILEC") data for the 2003 report on local competition.

2. On August 28, 2003, along with a Notice of Intent, BellSouth provided its responses to Item No. 6 which contains competitive information, as well as confidential and proprietary business information that is considered confidential and proprietary to BellSouth.

3. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.06(3)(a), BellSouth is now filing a Request for Specified Confidential Classification for its responses to Staff's ILEC Data Request, Item No. 6 because said responses contain competitive business information that is considered confidential and proprietary to BellSouth. A more specific description of this information is contained in Attachment A.

4. BellSouth has treated and intends to continue to treat the information for which confidential classification is sought as private, and this information has not been generally disclosed.

5. Appended hereto as Attachment B are two copies of the requested documents with the confidential information deleted.

6. Appended hereto as Attachment C is a sealed envelope containing one copy of the documents including the material which is confidential and proprietary.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, BellSouth moves the Commission to enter an order declaring the information described above to be confidential, proprietary business information that is not subject to public disclosure.

Respectfully submitted this 18th day of September, 2003.

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.



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ATTACHMENT A

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**REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION OF STAFF'S ILEC
DATA REQUEST, ITEM NO. 6 FILED AUGUST 28, 2003**

Explanation of Proprietary Information

1. The information provided constitutes proprietary confidential business information because it contains BellSouth's information relating to BellSouth's competitive interests. Disclosure of this data would cause competitive harm to BellSouth. Consequently, this information should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183, Florida Statutes and is exempt from the Open Records Act.

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Item No. 6

Location

Entire document provided on CD

Reason

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