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October 31, 2005

Mrs. Blanca S. Bayó
Division of the Commission Clerk and
Administrative Services
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Request for Specified Confidential Classification (BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. Flow-through Tariff)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed are an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.'s Request for Specified Confidential Classification for its proprietary worksheet associated with tariff filings being submitted today with the Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcements, which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

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

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Enclosure

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Request for Specified Confidential Classification)	
(BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. Flow-through Tariff))	
)	Filed: October 31, 2005

BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC.'S REQUEST FOR SPECIFIED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. ("BSLD"), pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, and Section 364.183, Florida Statutes, hereby files its Request for Specified Confidential Classification.

- 1. On October 31, 2005, BSLD filed flow-through tariff revisions in conjunction with Docket No. 030961-T1, Order No. PSC-03-1469-FOF-TL and Florida Statute §364.163(2) with the Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcements. Information provided in BSLD's associated worksheet is considered proprietary, confidential business information and should not be disclosed.
- 2. Pursuant to Rule 25-22.06(3)(a), BSLD hereby files this Request for Specified Confidential Classification because the information contained in BSLD's worksheet includes confidential business information utilized by BSLD to conduct business. A more specific description of this information is contained in Attachment A. Public disclosure of this information would cause competitive harm to BSLD and provide competitors with an unfair advantage. The information discussed in the Request for Specified Confidential Classification is valuable and BSLD strives to keep it secret. Therefore, such information should be classified as confidential business information.

3. Attachment A to BSLD's Request for Confidential Classification contains an

explanation of the proprietary information along with a list that identifies the location of the

information designated by BSLD as confidential.

4. Attachment B to BSLD's Request for Confidential Classification is redacted

copies of the document containing the confidential information.

5. Attachment C to BSLD's Request for Confidential Classification is a highlighted

copy of the document containing the confidential information.

6. The information discussed in this Request for Specified Confidential

Classification is valuable, BSLD treats this information as confidential in all requests, and this

information has not been generally disclosed.

7. The original of this Request was filed today with the Division of the Commission

Clerk and Administrative Services.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, BSLD respectfully requests that, pursuant to

Section 364.183, Florida Statutes, the Commission enter an order declaring the information

described above to be confidential, proprietary business information that is not subject to public

disclosure.

Respectfully submitted this 31st day of October, 2005.

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Explanation of Proprietary Information

- 1. This information contains a breakdown of the estimated minutes of switched access traffic, broken down by specific originating or terminating local exchange company, used by the Company. This traffic pattern information is proprietary to BellSouth Long Distance and disclosure would impair the competitive business and cause harm to BellSouth Long Distance. Consequently, this information should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183(3)(e). Florida Statutes and is exempt from the Open Records Act.
- 2. This information contains a breakdown of the intrastate switched access savings the Company is expected to realize, by local exchange company rate element and by BellSouth Long Distance line of business. This information could be used to derive the Company's traffic patterns and other competitive information. Traffic pattern information is proprietary to BellSouth Long Distance and disclosure would impair the competitive business and cause harm to BellSouth Long Distance. Consequently, this information should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183(3)(e). Florida Statutes and is exempt from the Open Records Act.
- 3. This information reflects the total dollar amounts of BellSouth Long Distance's intrastate switched access charge reductions. This information is proprietary to the Company as it shows a breakdown by segment of the Company's lines of business and disclosure would impair the competitive business and cause harm to BellSouth Long Distance. Consequently, this information should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183(3)(e). Florida Statutes and is exempt from the Open Records Act.

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- 4. This information contains a breakdown of the estimated number of plan subscribers and estimated number of minutes of use associated with BellSouth Long Distance's intrastate switched access charge reduction flow-through. This information shows subscription and usage levels for various BellSouth Long Distance calling plans and disclosure would impair the competitive business and cause harm to BellSouth Long Distance. Consequently, this information should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183(3)(e). Florida Statutes and is exempt from the Open Records Act.
- 5. This information contains the estimated results of BellSouth Long Distance's intrastate switched access charge reduction flow-through. This information could be used to derive the subscription and usage levels for various BellSouth Long Distance calling plans and disclosure would impair the competitive business and cause harm to BellSouth Long Distance. Consequently, this information should be classified as proprietary, confidential business information pursuant to Section 364.183(3)(e). Florida Statutes and is exempt from the Open Records Act.

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WORKSHEET

Location	Reason
All MOUs listed in section entitled "Calculation of \$ Savings and % Reduction", in column entitled "Estimated MOUs".	1
All dollar amounts listed in section entitled "Calculation of \$ Savings and % Reduction", in columns entitled "Switched Access Savings, "Residential", "Business (Core and Complex/Wholesale)", and the sub-total to the right of the section.	2
All dollar amounts listed in section entitled "Flow Through View", the subtotal to the right of this section, and the section entitled "IXC Summary Information Required Per Commission Order."	3
All estimated subscriber counts and estimated minutes of use in section entitled "Savings Spread – Specific Rate Elements" in columns entitled "Estimated EOP Subs" and "Estimated MOU".	4
All dollar amounts listed in the section entitled "Savings Spread – Specific Rate Elements" in the two columns entitled "Estimated Rate Reduction" and the amount shown as "Sub–Total Planned" directly below these columns.	5

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