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February 1, 2006 – **VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

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

Re: Docket No. 050922-TL
Petition for waiver of Rules 25-4.066 and 25-4.067, F.A.C., regarding provision of
basic services as carrier of last resort under certain situations; and petition to
initiate rulemaking to amend Rules 25-4.066 and 25-4.067, F.A.C., by BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing is Verizon Florida Inc.'s Petition to Intervene in the above-referenced
matter. Service has been made as indicated on the Certificate of Service. If there are
any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at 813-483-1256.

Sincerely,

s/ Leigh A. Hyer

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Enclosures

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of Verizon Florida Inc.'s Petition to Intervene in Docket No. 050922-TL were sent via U.S. mail on February 1, 2006 to

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s/ Leigh A. Hyer

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for waiver of Rules 25-4.066 and)
25-4.067, F.A.C., regarding provision of basic)
services as carrier of last resort under certain)
situations; and petition to initiate rulemaking to)
amend Rules 25-4.066 and 25-4.067, F.A.C.,)
by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.)

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Filed: February 1, 2006

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Under Commission Rule 25-22.039, Verizon Florida Inc. (Verizon) asks the Commission to allow Verizon to intervene in this proceeding. Verizon is a telecommunications company as that term is defined in Section 364.02 of the Florida Statutes. As such, its regulated intrastate operations are subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.

Communications in regard to this proceeding should be directed to:

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Verizon is entitled to intervene in this proceeding because its interests as a local exchange telecommunications company, and more particularly, its interests as a carrier of last resort, will be substantially and directly affected by the decision in this docket.

Respectfully submitted on February 1, 2006.

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