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Dear Ms. Bayo:

In Re: AT&T Communications of the Southern States, LLC and affiliates
Audit Control Number 05-244-2-1

Enclosed for filing is AT&T Communications of the Southern States, LLC's (AT&T's) Request for Confidential Treatment of information produced to the Staff in conjunction with a Staff audit of AT&T's Regulatory Assessment Fee Forms. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at 850-425-6360 or Sonia Daniels at 404-810-8488.

Sincerely,

Tracy Hatch

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Audit of AT&T Communications) UNDOCKETED
Of the Southern States, LLC's Regulatory)
Assessment Fees by the Staff of the Florida)
Public Service Commission - Audit Control)
Number 05-244-2-1) Filed: March 30, 2006

AT&T OF THE SOUTHERN STATES, LLC'S REQUEST
FOR SPECIFIED CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

AT&T Communication of the Southern States, LLC ("AT&T"), pursuant to Section 364.183, Florida Statutes and Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, files this Request for Confidential Classification and states as follows:

1. The Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission has been engaged in an audit of the Regulatory Assessment Fee Forms submitted by AT&T. In conjunction with the audit, the Staff obtained certain confidential information from AT&T regarding supporting documentation for AT&T's Regulatory Assessment Fee forms.

2. On March 9, 2006, Staff informed AT&T by letter that the audit field work has been completed. Included with the letter was a compilation of the audit workpapers. Portions of the audit workpapers contain information belonging to AT&T that AT&T considers proprietary and confidential.

3. Accordingly, pursuant to Section 364.183, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-22.006(3)(a)(2) and 25-22.006(4), Florida Administrative Code, AT&T makes this request that the information identified in the audit workpapers be classified as proprietary and confidential and exempt from public disclosure.

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4. Section 364.183 provides that information which meets certain criteria is exempt from public under Section 119.07, Florida Statutes.

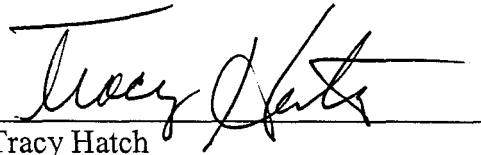
5. Attachment A to this request contains a specific explanation of the proprietary information and identifies the location of the information designated as proprietary and confidential.

6. Attachment B to this request contains one copy of the audit workpapers with the confidential information highlighted.

7. Attachment C to this request contains two copies of the audit workpapers with the confidential information redacted.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing AT&T respectfully requests that, pursuant to Section 364.183, Florida Statutes, the Commission grant AT&T's request that the identified information in the audit workpapers be deemed proprietary confidential business information and be held exempt from public disclosure.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of March, 2006.



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JUSTIFICATION FOR SPECIFIC REQUESTS FOR CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

Section 364.183 provides that confidential proprietary business information is any information that is owned or controlled by a company, is intended to be and is treated by the company as private in that the disclosure of the information would cause harm to the ratepayers or the company's business operations and has not be previously disclosed.

Confidential information includes but is not limited to:

- a) trade secrets
- b) internal auditing controls and reports of internal auditors
- c) security measures, systems, or procedures
- d) information concerning bids or other contractual data
- e) information relating to competitive interests, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of the information
- f) employee personnel information unrelated to compensation, the disclosure of which would impair the competitive business of the provider of information .

Set forth below, pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(4), are the specific descriptions of the information within the audit workpapers for which confidential classification is requested. Except as specifically noted, all of the highlighted information identified below is confidential because it is information revealing AT&T's cost and revenue information involved in calculating Regulatory Assessment Fee payments. This information is kept confidential by AT&T and is not publicly disclosed by the Company. The disclosure of this information would allow competitors a window into the internal

financial operations of AT&T and would harm or impair AT&T's competitive business interests. The proprietary confidential business information is identified as follows:

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