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June 5, 1992

Mr. Steve C. Tribble Director, Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 101 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Re: Docket No. 910163-TL - Repair Service Investigation

Dear Mr. Tribble:

J. Phillip Carver

**General Attorney** 

Enclosed please find an original and fifteen copies of Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company's Response and Objections to Staff's Sixteenth Request for Production of Documents dated May 1, 1992, and its Notice of Intent to Seek Confidential Treatment, which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

AFA \_\_\_\_\_ A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to APP \_\_\_\_\_indicate that the original was filed and return the copy to me. Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached CAF \_\_\_\_\_Certificate of Service.

Sincerely yours, Phillip Carver (of) Phillip Carver

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket No. 910163-TL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished by United States Mail this  $5^{\text{H}}$  day of fume, 1992, to:

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# BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In re: Petition on behalf of Citizens of the State of Florida to initiate investigation into integrity of Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company's repair service activities and reports. Docket No. 910163-TL

Filed: June 5, 1992

# SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S RESPONSE AND OBJECTIONS TO STAFF'S SIXTEENTH REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO SEEK CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT

COMES NOW BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., d/b/a Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company ("Southern Bell" or "Company") and files, (1) pursuant to Rule 25-22.034, Florida Administrative Code, and Rules 1.280(c) and 1.350, Florida Rules of Civil Procedure, its Response and Objections to the Florida Public Service Commission Staff's ("Staff") Sixteenth Request for Production of Documents dated May 1, 1992, and (2) pursuant to Rule 25-22.006(3)(a), Florida Administrative Code, its Notice of Intent to Seek Confidential Treatment.

#### GENERAL RESPONSES AND OBJECTIONS

1. Southern Bell objects to Staff's definition of "document" or "documents". Staff's definition of these terms is overly broad and is objectionable pursuant to standards adopted in <u>Caribbean Security Systems v. Security Control Systems, Inc.</u>, 486 So.2d 654 (Fla.App. 3rd Dist. 1986).

2. Some of the documents that will be delivered to and reviewed by Staff contain proprietary, confidential business information that should not be publicly disclosed. Thus,

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05859 JUN -5 1992 PSC-RECORDS/REPORTING pursuant to the Commission's Rule on confidentiality, Rule 25-22.006(3)(a), Florida Administrative Code, Southern Bell hereby gives Notice of its Intent to Seek Confidential Treatment of these documents and to seek exemption from § 119.07(1), Florida Statutes. The proprietary documents in question include, but are not limited to, employee information not related to the employee's compensation, duties, qualifications or responsibilities. These documents include the names of current and former employees who have been disciplined for matters addressed in Staff's Sixteenth Request for Production of Documents.

### SPECIFIC RESPONSES

3. Subject to the general objections, each of which is incorporated by reference into the specific responses made herein, Southern Bell responds to the individual numbered request contained in Staff's Sixteenth Request for Production of Documents as follows:

Southern Bell objects to this request to the extent it seeks documents covered by the attorney/client privilege or attorney work product privilege, or both. Such documents consist of notes compiled by the Personnel Department and derived from the privileged internal investigation in order to determine whether any individual should be disciplined and to what extent. In response to Request No. 1, Southern Bell will produce, at a mutually convenient time and place, certain of the responsive materials that it has in its possession, custody, or control,

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which it has not previously furnished to the Staff in conjunction with previous requests.

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Respectfully submitted,

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