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Mrs. Blanca S. Bayó
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Re: Docket No. 960786-TL

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed are an original and 15 copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Motion for Extension of Duration of Order Nos. PSC-97-1396-CFO-TL and PSC-97-1397-CFO-TL Granting Confidential Classification. Please file this document in the captioned matter.

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

Sincerely,

J. Phillip Carver (kr)

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Consideration of BellSouth)	
Telecommunications)	Docket No. 960786-TL
Inc.'s entry into interLATA services)	
pursuant to Section 271 of the Federal)	Filed: May 5, 1999
Telecommunications Act of 1996)	
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BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC'S
 MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF DURATION
 OF ORDER NOS. PSC-97-1396-CFO-TL and PSC-97-1397-CFO-TL
GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL CLASSIFICATION

COMES NOW, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., ("BellSouth"), pursuant to Rule 25-22.006, Florida Administrative Code, and files its Motion for Extension of Duration of Order Granting Confidential Classification, and states as grounds in support thereof the following:

1. On September 10, 1997, BellSouth filed Requests for Confidential Classification for Late-Filed Deposition Exhibits 2, 3 and 4 of Alphonso Varner, Document No. 09165-97, and referenced Document No. 08416-97; and Late-Filed Deposition Exhibits Nos. 2, 9, 12, 13, 17 and 20 of Keith Milner, Document No. 09168-97, and referenced Document Nos. 08802-97 and 08482-97. This information contains customer-specific proprietary information.

2. On September 11, 1997, BellSouth filed Requests for Confidential Classification for Late-Filed Deposition Exhibits 5, 6 and 8 of Gloria Calhoun, Document No. 09261-97, and referenced Document Nos. 08839-97, 08863-97, and 08884-97; for Late-Filed Deposition Exhibits 9, 10, 13, 14, 16, 29 and Late-Filed Hearing Exhibit 40 of Robert Scheye, Document No. 09264-97, and referenced Document Nos. 08523-97, 08757-97, 08917-97, and 09067-97;

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and Late-Filed Deposition Exhibits 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of William Stacy, Document No. 09267-97, and referenced Document Nos. 08521-97 and 08614-97. This information also contains customer-specific proprietary information.

2. By Order Nos. PSC-97-1396-CFO-TL and PSC 97-1397-CFO-TL, issued November 5, 1997, the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") granted BellSouth's Requests for Confidential Classification.

3. The information requested remains in the possession of Staff.

4. The reasons BellSouth asserted in support of confidential treatment in its original motions continue to pertain. Specifically, there is still a need to protect customer specific proprietary business information, and information which is not subject to public disclosure.

5. For the reasons set forth above, and in the original Requests for Confidential Classification filed on September 10 and 11, 1997, BellSouth hereby requests that this Commission enter an Order extending the period of confidential classification for an additional 18 months, or for any longer period of time that the documents remain within the possession of Staff.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above, BellSouth respectfully requests the entry of an Order extending the period of confidential classification as described above.

Respectfully submitted this 5th day of May, 1999.

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