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Ms. Blanca Bayo Division of Records and Reporting Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

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RE: AT&T's Letters to Staff Dated June 1, 1999, and July 30, 1999

Dear Ms. Bayo:

AT&T requests confidential treatment of it's letters to Staff dated June 1, 1999, and July 30, 1999. These letters were written in response to Staff's requests for information.

At the same time AT&T was asked to provide the attached information to Staff, BellSouth was also asked to provide similar responses. To date, Staff reports that BellSouth has not provided the information requested. Staff has expressed a desire to obtain BellSouth's version of events prior to BellSouth having knowledge of the facts contained in AT&T's letters.

Accordingly, at the suggestion of Staff, AT&T is requesting confidential treatment of its responses in anticipation of further regulatory proceedings related to this matter.

If you have any questions, please call me at 425-6342.

Sincerely,

Rhonda P. Menitt

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This request for confidentiality was filed by or on behalf of a telecommunications company in an Undocketed matter. No ruling is required unless the material is subject to a request per 119.07, FS. To view the material, you must obtain written authorization from the director of the division that requested it.

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