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RE: Transition of Supra's customers' telephone service

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 2(d)(1) of the Stipulation and Settlement By and Between the Office of Public Counsel and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., approved by the Florida Public Service Commission on August 13, 2001, by Order PSC-01-1643-AS-TL in Docket No. 991378-TL, BellSouth hereby declares a service emergency as of October 22, 2002, due to the transition of Supra's customers to other service providers. Attachment A lists the exchanges impacted as a result of this transition.

In addition, BellSouth requests the Commission to grant a waiver of Commission Rule 25-4.073 (1)(d) due to the extremely high volume of calls associated with Supra customers transitioning their service. Unlike the service guarantee plan addressed above, answer time is reported to the Commission on a statewide basis. Therefore, BellSouth's waiver should be statewide.

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BellSouth is making public service announcements to inform customers of the fact that indefinite commitments for installation and repair services are being made within the service emergency geographic area as well as a delay in business office answer times. We will advise when the service emergency is concluded.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me.

inderely. Marshall M. Criser III

Attachment

Cc: Lila A. Jabor, Chairman J. Terry Deason Braulio L. Baez Michael A. Palecki Rudolph Bradley Walter D'Haeseleer Harold McLean Beverlee DeMello Jack Shreve Charles Beck Scott Mulcahy Wayne Tubaugh

## ATTACHMENT A

## October 22, 2002 BellSouth Exchanges Impacted by Transition of Supra's Customers

Archer Baldwin Belle Glade Boca Raton **Boynton Beach** Bronson Brooksville Bunnell Cantonment Chiefland Chipley Cocoa Cocoa Beach **Coral Springs Cross City** Daytona Beach DeBary **Deerfield Beach** DeLand **DeLeon Springs Delray Beach** Dunnellon East Orange Eau Gallie Fernandina Beach **Flagler Beach** Fort Pierce Ft. Lauderdale Gainesville Geneva Graceville Green Cove Springs **Gulf Breeze** Havana Hawthorne Hobe Sound Hollywood Homestead

**Jacksonville** Jacksonville Beach Jensen Beach Jupiter Keys **Keystone Heights** Lake City Lynn Haven Maxville Melbourne Miami Micanopy Middleburg Milton Ravine New Smyrna Beach Newberry North Dade Oak Hill Old Town **Orange Park** Orlando Oviedo Pace Pahokee Palatka Palm Coast Panama City Pensacola Perrine Pierson Pomona Park **Pompano Beach** Ponte Vedra Beach Port St. Lucie Sanford Sebastian St. Augustine Stuart

Sunny Hills Titusville Trenton Vero Beach Weekiwachee Springs Welaka West Palm Beach Yankeetown Yulee