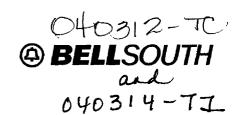
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Subject: Cancellation of Pay Telephone and Operator Service Provider Certificates for BellSouth Public Communications, Inc.

Dear Mrs. Bayó:

In accordance with Rule 25-24.514(2), Florida Administrative Code, this letter is to request that the Florida Pay Telephone Certificate no. 4287 and the Operator Service Provider Certificate No. 4788 issued to BellSouth Public Communications, Inc. (company nos. TF790 & TI572 respectively) be cancelled effective April 1, 2004. BellSouth Public Communications, Inc. (BSPC) has discontinued providing pay telephone service and operator services in the state of Florida. All BSPC pay telephones have been removed or sold as of March 31, 2004.

BSPC will submit a final Regulatory Assessment Fee (RAF) payment for the 1st quarter of 2004 on or before May 15, 2004.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Yoursytruly,

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