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OCTOBER 18, 2005

RE: **Docket No. 050179-TL** - Petition for realignment of exchange boundaries of St. Johns, St. Augustine, Ponte Vedra Beach, Jacksonville, and Green Cove Springs, and for consolidation of Julington exchange with St. Johns Exchange, by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

Issue 1: Should BellSouth's proposed St. Johns boundary realignment be approved?

<u>Recommendation</u>: Staff recommends that BellSouth's proposed St. Johns boundary realignment be approved with two modifications which were offered by BellSouth. First, customers who would incur a telephone number change would be assigned new numbers, but retain the functionality of their old number for a period of two years. Second, after the two-year period, these customers would receive a reference or intercept message on their old number notifying callers that their number was changed and provide the caller with the new number for an additional one-year period, at no cost to the customer.

with understandings as stated in the motion. APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

<u>Recommendation</u>: Yes. This docket should be closed if no timely protest is filed within 21 days of the issuance of this Order.

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