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# <u>VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY</u>

Ms. Blanca S. Bayó, Director Division of the Commission Clerk & Administrative Services Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re:

Docket No. 050119/050125-TP

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Verizon Wireless are an original and eight (8) copies of Verizon Wireless's Petition to Intervene in the above referenced consolidated dockets, along with an original and sixteen (16) copies of the Testimony of Marc B. Sterling on behalf of Verizon Wireless. Copies are being served on the parties in this docket pursuant to the attached certificate of service. Please return to me in the enclosed stamped envelope one copy of each of these filings.

If you should have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your consideration in this matter. COM O CTR ECR GCL Charles F. Palmer CFP/dpo Enclosures SCR \_\_\_\_c: All Parties of Record Ms. Laura King Mr. Paul Vickery Felicia Banks, Esq.

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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Petition of TDS Telecom d/b/a	)	
TDS Telecom/Quincy Telephone,	)	
ALLTEL Florida, Inc., Northeast Florida	)	Docket No. 050119-TP
Telephone Company d/b/a/ NEFCOM,	)	
GTC, Inc. d/b/a/ GT Com, Smart City	)	
Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a/ Smart	)	
City Telecom, ITS Telecommunications	)	
Systems, Inc. and Frontier Communications	)	
Of the South, LLC, concerning BellSouth	)	
Telecommunications, Inc.'s Transit Service	)	
Tariff	)	
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Petition and Complaint of AT&T Communications	)	
Of the Southern States, LLC for suspension and	)	Docket No. 050125-TP
Cancellation of Transit Traffic Service Tariff	) .	
No. FL2004-284 filed by BellSouth	)	
Telecommunications, Inc.	)	Filed December 16, 2005

## VERIZON WIRELESS'S PETITION TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to Rules 25-22.039 and 28-106.205 of the Florida Administrative Code, Cellco Partnership d/b/a/ Verizon Wireless ("Verizon Wireless"), through its undersigned counsel, files its Petition to Intervene in this proceeding. In support of its Petition, Verizon Wireless respectfully states as follows:

- The affected agency is the Florida Public Service Commission, 2450 Shumard
   Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850.
  - 2. The name and address of the Petitioner are as follows:

Verizon Wireless Legal & External Affairs Department 1300 I Street, N.W. -- Suite 400 West Washington, DC 20005 3. Copies of all pleadings, notices, and orders in these consolidated dockets should be provided to the following:

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- 4. Verizon Wireless is licensed by the Federal Communications Commission to provide Commercial Mobile Radio Service ("CMRS") in Florida.
- 5. In these consolidated dockets, the Commission will consider BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s ("BellSouth") Transit Traffic Service Tariff. The Commission's actions in these dockets will directly affect Verizon Wireless's substantial interests. By way of example, Verizon Wireless has entered into an interconnection agreement with BellSouth, which agreement and potential renewals may be affected by these dockets. Verizon Wireless's interests are of the type that this consolidated proceeding is designed to protect.
- 6. No other party can adequately represent Verizon Wireless's substantial interests in these proceedings.
- 7. Disputed issues of material fact include, but are not limited to, the scope of the tariff's application and whether the Commission should approve, modify, or deny BellSouth's Transit Traffic Service. Disputed issues of law include, but are not limited to, who is responsible for compensating BellSouth when it provides transit services. Verizon Wireless anticipates that additional disputed issues of material fact and issues of law will be identified during the discovery conducted in these consolidated proceedings.
- 8. Ultimate facts include, but are not limited to, the tariff, if any, that should be approved by the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Verizon Wireless respectfully requests that the Commission enter an Order allowing it to intervene as a full party of record in these consolidated dockets.

This 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 2005.

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