BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Joint Petition of TDS Telecom d/b/a) TDS Telecom/Quincy Telephone, ALLTEL) Florida, Inc., Northeast Florida Telephone) Company d/b/a NEFCOM, GTC, Inc. d/b/a) GT Com, Smart City Telecommunications,) LLC d/b/a Smart City Telecom, ITS Tele-) communications Systems, Inc. and Frontier) Communications of the South, LLC,) ("Joint Petitioner") objecting to and) requesting suspension of Proposed Transit) Traffic Service Tariff filed by BellSouth) Telecommunications, Inc.)

Docket Nos. 050119-TP and 050125-TP

Filed: February 20, 2006

SMALL LOCAL EXCHANGE COMPANIES' NOTICE OF FILING AFFIDAVIT OF THOMAS MCCABE

TDS Telecom, d/b/a TDS Telecom/Quincy Telephone, Northeast Florida Telephone Company, d/b/a NEFCOM, GTC, Inc. d/b/a GT Com, Smart City Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a Smart City Telecom and Frontier Communications of the South, LLC (the "Small LECs"), by and through their undersigned counsel, hereby give notice of the Affidavit of Thomas McCabe who answered Interrogatory No. 7 to BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s ("BellSouth") First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-17) by hand delivery and electronic mail to Nancy B. White, Esq., c/o Nancy H. Sims, 150 South Monroe Street, Suite 400, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, and all other parties as listed on the attached Certificate of Service.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF LEON

I hereby certify that on this 16th day of February, 2006, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared Thomas McCabe, who is personally known to me, and he acknowledged before me that he provided the answer to Interrogatory Number 7 in response to BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1-17) to TDS Telecom/Quincy Telephone, Northeast Florida Telephone Company d/b/a NEFCOM, GTC, Inc. d/b/a GT Com, Smart City Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a Smart City Telecom and Frontier Communications of the South, LLC ("Small LECs") in Docket Nos. 050119-TP and 050125-TP, and that the response is true and correct based on his personal knowledge.

THOMAS MCCABE

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal in the State and County aforesaid as of this $1\ddot{d}^{th}$ day of February, 2006.

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