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Re: Docket No. 050863-TP: dPi Teleconnect, L.L.C. v. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed is the Emergency Joint Motion for Continuance, which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: dPi Teleconnect, L.L.C. v.)	Docket No. 050863-TP
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.	}	
)	Filed: September 28, 2007

EMERGENCY JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida ("AT&T Florida"), and dPi Teleconnect, L.L.C. ("dPi") hereby file their Emergency Joint Motion for Continuance of the hearing currently set to take place October 1, 2007, in the above-captioned proceeding, and state as grounds in support thereof the following:

- 1. The parties are engaged in settlement negotiations and are attempting to resolve the issues in this case, both for Florida and on a regional-wide basis. The parties are hopeful that, as a result of these negotiations, this matter will be amicably resolved, so that there will be no need for a hearing to take place either on October 1, 2007 or at any future time. Although the parties are hopeful that negotiations will move forward promptly, it is not realistic to believe that negotiations can be completed prior to Monday, October 1, 2007, when the instant case is set to be heard.
- 2. For the above reasons, AT&T Florida and dPi jointly request on an emergency basis that the Commission grant a continuance of the hearing currently set for October 1, 2007. The undersigned counsel for AT&T Florida has obtained express consent from counsel for dPi to make this Motion on behalf of both parties, and to present it as a Joint Motion.

WHEREFORE, AT&T Florida and dPi respectfully request the entry of an Order continuing the hearing in the above-styled matter.

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