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January 15, 2008

Ms. Ann Cole, Commission Clerk Office of the Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No.: 080008-OT

In re: Applications for qualified representative status

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed is BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida's Request for Naming of Qualified Representative for John T. Tyler, along with the original Affidavit, which we ask that you file in the captioned *new* docket. .

Sineerely.

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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for qualified representative	) Docket No.: 080008-OT
status for 2008	)
	) Filed: January 15, 2008

## **Request for Naming of Qualified Representative**

Pursuant to Rule 28-106.107, Florida Administrative Code, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida ("AT&T Florida") requests that John T. Tyler, Senior Attorney - Atlanta, be named a qualified representative of AT&T Florida in all docketed and nondocketed matters opened during the next twelve months. AT&T Florida is aware that it can be represented by counsel as defined in Rule 28-106.106, Florida Administrative Code and has chosen otherwise.

Attached hereto is a sworn affidavit setting forth Mr. Tyler's qualifications. Mr. Tyler is located at 675 West Peachtree Street, Suite 4300, Atlanta, Georgia 30375, telephone number (404) 335-0757.

WHEREFORE, AT&T Florida requests that the Florida Public Service Commission grant this request.

Respectfully submitted this 15th day of January, 2008.

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC d/b/a AT&T Florida

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## **AFFIDAVIT**

Undersigned counsel, being first duly sworn, states that:

Undersigned counsel is currently employed by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida, as Senior Attorney-Atlanta, at the address and telephone number below.

Undersigned counsel possesses the necessary qualifications to responsibly represent BellSouth's interests in all docketed and nondocketed matters before the Florida Public Service Commission.

Undersigned counsel is an attorney admitted to practice, and a member in good standing of the Georgia Bar No. 721154; has practiced before other utility regulatory agencies or authorities; has knowledge of the Florida Statutes relative to the Commission's jurisdiction; has knowledge of the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure relating to discovery in an administrative proceeding; has knowledge of the Florida Administrative Code and Florida Statutes relative to the rules of evidence, including the concept of hearsay in an administrative proceeding; has acquired or will acquire knowledge of the factual and legal issues in this matter; and has knowledge of and compliance with the Standards of Conduct for Qualified Representatives contained in Rule 28-106.107 of the Florida Administrative Code.

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State of Georgia County of Fulton

Affirmed and subscribed before me this  $14^{11}$  day of 1400 day, 2008.

Notary Public

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Brenda S. Slaughter Notary Public, Rockdale County, Georgi My Commission Expires July 29, 2010

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