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August 31, 2009

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

Re: <u>Docket No. 090246-TP</u>: Notice of Adoption of Existing Interconnection Agreement between BellSouthTelecommunications, Inc. and Cbeyond Communications, Inc. by Clective Florida, LLC

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed is BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida's Third Notice of Filing Additional Documentation in Support of its Objection and Petition to Cancel Clective's CLEC Certificate No. 8736, which we ask that you file in the captioned docket.

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

Sincerely,

Manuel A. Gurdian

CC:

All parties of record Jerry Hendrix Gregory R. Follensbee E. Earl Edenfield, Jr.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket No. 090246-TP

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via (*) Electronic Mail, (**) Facsimile and First Class U.S. Mail this 31st day of August, 2009 to the following:

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Notice of Adoption of Existing Interconnection)	Docket No. 090246-TP
Agreement between BellSouth)	
Telecommunications, Inc. and Cbeyond)	
Communications, Inc. by Clective Florida, LLC	<u> </u>	Filed: August 31, 2009

AT&T FLORIDA'S THIRD NOTICE OF FILING ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION IN SUPPORT OF ITS OBJECTION AND PETITION TO CANCEL CLECTIVE TELECOM FLORIDA, LLC'S CLEC CERTIFICATE NO. 8736

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida hereby files the attached documentation in support of its Objection and Petition to Cancel Clective Telecom Florida, LLC's ("Clective") CLEC Certificate No. 8736. The document attached as Exhibit "E" is portion of a transcript from a proceeding before the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio in Case No. 08-690-TP-CSS on August 5, 2009 in which Global Naps, Inc. witness, Jeffrey Noack a/k/a Joseph Nichols testified regarding his relationship with Clective.

- On pages 166-167, Mr. Noack testified that he had never been employed by Clective.
 - Q. Have you ever been employed by a competitive local exchange carrier called Clective that operates in Florida and Georgia?"
 - A. No. I
 - Q. You've never been employed by them?
 - A. No.
- 2. On page 169, Mr. Noack testified regarding Clective's CLEC Application where he is listed as "Joseph Nichols."

¹ This contradicts Clective's answer to question no. 18 on the CLEC Application filed on August 13, 2008 with the Commission in Docket No. 080545 that Mr. Nichols was an employee of "the company that would indicate sufficient technical experiences."

- Q. Okay. This reference to Joseph Nichols indicates that he worked for RBOC for 26 years as a network engineer and served in a regulatory capacity responsible for CLECs and is currently serving as Director of Carrier Interconnection for Clective Georgia, Inc., with 35 years of experience; correct?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Is that person, Joseph Nichols, you?
- A. I was referred to as that, yes.
- O. I'm sorry?
- A. Yes.
- O. That is you?
- A. (Witness nods head.)
- On page 173, Mr. Noack testified that he did not agree with the statements in Brad Mondschein's February 19, 2009 correspondence to AT&T Florida regarding Mr. Noack's status with Cleetive.
 - Q. Have you actually been retained by Clective?
 - A. No.
 - Q. So go to Paragraph 3 in that letter, and it states that, "Mr. Noack has been retained by Clective as a consultant relating to network architecture and interconnection issues," and that he has been associated with Clective for "three years as an independent contractor," and at the same time he do you agree with those two statements?"
 - A. No.
- 4. On page 186, Mr. Noack admits consulting under the name "Joseph Nichols." Mr. Noack denies authorizing Clective to file documents with the Florida Public Service Commission under his alias "Joseph Nichols or otherwise" and that he

was not aware that Clective had done so prior to the documents being presented to him under cross-examination by an AT&T Ohio attorney.

- Q. And did you, in fact, consult with them under the alias Joseph Nichols?
- A. Yes.
- Q. Did you authorize them to represent you on any papers filed with the Telecom Commission either under the name Joseph Nichols or otherwise?
- A. No.
- Q. Were you aware, prior to receiving this document today, that they had done so?
- A. No, sir.
- 5. On page 187, Mr. Noack admits that he sent emails to BellSouth representatives on behalf of Clective using the alias Joseph Nichols.
 - Q. Did you send e-mails to BellSouth employees on behalf of Clective using the alias Joseph Nichols?
 - A. Yes.

Respectfully submitted this 31st day of August, 2009.

AT&T FLORIDA

E. EARL EDENFIELD JR.

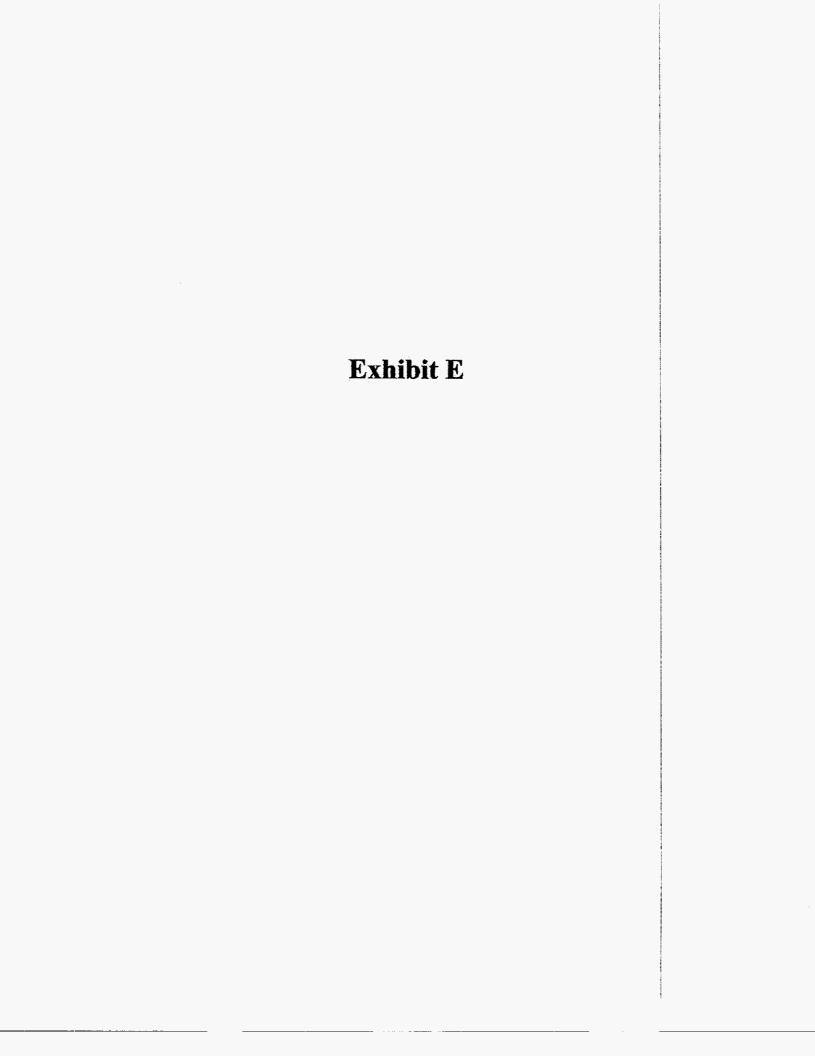
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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the : Complaint of AT&T Ohio, :

Complainant,

: Case No. 08-690-TP-CSS

v.

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Global NAPs Ohio, Inc.,

,

Respondent. :

PROCEEDINGS

Before Jay S. Agranoff, Hearing Examiner, at the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, Room 11-G, Columbus, Ohio, called at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 5, 2009.

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1	CROSS-EXAMINATION
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- 2 By Ms. Fenlon:
- 3 Q. Good morning again.
- 4 A. Good morning.
- 5 Q. Sorry to jump in there too early. Let's
- 6 go right into your testimony. At Lines 3 and 4 of your
- 7 testimony, at Page 1 you state that you are Director of
- 8 Network Operations of Global NAPs, and I believe that
- 9 you --
- 10 A. Sorry.
- 11 Q. -- just stated that you were Director of
- 12 Net --
- 13 A. That's correct, Network Operations.
- 14 Q. -- Network operations? Okay. Have you
- ever been employed by Global NAPs Ohio, Inc.?
- A. Not to my knowledge. Global NAPs, Inc. is
- 17 the entity that I believe I'm employed by.
- 18 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: Mr. Noack, can
- 19 you speak up a little? It's hard to hear you.
- 20 A. Sorry. I believe that I'm employed by
- 21 Global NAPs, Inc.
- 22 Q. To your knowledge, you're not or have
- 23 never worked for Global NAPs Ohio; correct?
- A. I -- correct.
- Q. Have you ever been employed by a

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1 competitive local exchange carrier called Clective that
2 operates in Florida and Georgia?
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- A. No.
- Q. You've never been employed by them?
- 5 A. No.
- 6 Q. In Clective's application for
- 7 certification that was submitted before the Florida
- 8 Public Service Commission in August of 2008 you were
- 9 identified not as Jeffrey Noack but as Joseph Nichols.
- 10 Were you not working for Clective, if you were listed
- 11 as --

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- MR. DAVIDOW: Objection.
- 13 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: I don't know
- 14 what that sound is.
- 15 (Discussion off the record.)
- 16 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: Your
- 17 objection, Mr. Davidow?
- 18 MR. DAVIDOW: Assumes facts not in
- 19 evidence.
- MS. FENLON: Your Honor, if I may approach
- 21 the witness?
- 22 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: Certainly.
- 23 MR. DAVIDOW: Do you have a copy for me?
- MS. FENLON: Yes.
- 25 Q. I hand you to you what's been marked as

Page 169 subcategory Technical Capabilities, with a number of 1 people listed under there? Do you see that? 2 MR. DAVIDOW: I'm not testifying. 3 MS. FENLON: You were saying you didn't 4 see it. Do you have that page? 5 MR. DAVIDOW: I have a page. Do you see that? 7 0. 8 A. Yes. 9 Okay. This reference to Joseph Nichols 0. indicates that he worked for RBOC for 26 years as a 10 network engineer and served in a regulatory capacity 11 responsible for CLECs and is currently serving as 12 Director of Carrier Interconnection for Clective 13 Georgia, Inc., with 35 years of experience; correct? 14 15 Α. Yes. Okay. Is that person, Joseph Nichols, 16 0. 17 you? I was referred to as that, yes. 18 Α. 19 Q. I'm sorry? 20 Α. Yes. 21 That is you? Q. 22 Α. (Witness nods head.) 23 I now hand to you --Q. 24 May I approach the witness? MS. FENLON: 25 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF:

- 1 alias with the State Commission and not reveal his true
- 2 identity to that State Commission.
- 3 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: I'll allow the
- 4 line of questioning for the time being.
- 5 Q. Mr. Noack, did you get an opportunity to
- 6 review this statement before the letter was sent to the
- 7 AT&T attorney?
- 8 A. No.
 - Q. Have you been actually retained by
- 10 Clective?

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- 11 A. No.
- 12 Q. So go to Paragraph 3 in that letter, and
- 13 | it states that, "Mr. Noack has been retained by
- 14 | Clective as a consultant relating to network
- 15 | architecture and interconnection issues, " and that he
- 16 / has been associated with Clective for "three years as
- 17 | an independent contractor, " and at the same time he --
- 18 do you agree with those two statements?
- 19 A. No.
- Q. If you go back to Cross Exhibit No. 1, the
- 21 Florida application, the very last page that we were
- 22 looking at earlier where your name appears -- where
- 23 your alias Joseph Nichols appears?
- 24 A. Yes.
- 25 Q. Under the subheading of Management

Excuse

Page 186 Clective Telecom Florida? 1 2 It was what I thought was an innocent relationship. I simply tried to help a friend. 3 And did you, in fact, consult with them 0. 4 5 under the alias Joseph Nichols? Α. Yes. 6 7 Did you authorize them to represent you on 0. any papers filed with the Telecom Commission either 8 under the name Joseph Nichols or otherwise? 9 Α. No. 10 Were you aware, prior to receiving this 11 0. 12 document today, that they had done so? No. sir. 13 Α. Were you ever paid anything by --14 0. A. No, sir. 15 This was essentially a non-remunerative 16 0. 17 relationship? MR. BINNIG: I'll object. That's a 18 19 leading question. I was not paid. I was helping --2.0 Α.

answer, he was not paid. That was asked and answered,

HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: Wait.

MR. DAVIDOW: I think I already have my

me. Rephrase the question.

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I believe.

- 1 Q. Do you see any way that the assistance you
- 2 provided Clective could have affected in any fashion
- 3 the testimony that you've given in this case?
- A. No, sir.
- 5 Q. I have no further questions.
- 6 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: Anything on
- 7 recross?
- 8 RECROSS-EXAMINATION
- 9 By Ms. Fenlon:
- 10 Q. Did you send e-mails to BellSouth
- 11 | employees on behalf of Clective using the alias Joseph
- 12 Nichols?
- 13 A. Yes.
- 14. Q. That's it.
- 15 HEARING EXAMINER AGRANOFF: Thank you. I
- 16 have some questions.
- 17 EXAMINATION
- 18 By Hearing Examiner Agranoff:
- 19 Q. Have you ever made any other appearances
- 20 or signed any other documents using the alias Joseph
- 21 Nichols?
- 22 A. No, sir.
- Q. I think you were describing the ordering
- 24 process between Global NAPs Ohio and AT&T. You
- 25 indicated that the trunks that have been provisioned