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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Investigation into the establishment)
of operations support systems permanent)
performance measures for incumbent local)
exchange telecommunications companies.)

Docket No. 000121-TP

Filed: February 16, 2000

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AT&T'S PETITION TO INTERVENE

COMES NOW AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. (hereinafter "AT&T") and, pursuant to Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, files this Petition to Intervene with the Florida Public Service Commission (hereinafter the "Commission") in the above-referenced docket. AT&T respectfully requests that the Commission grant this petition, designating AT&T as a party of record and affording it all applicable rights under Florida law and the rules and regulations of this Commission.

In support thereof, AT&T respectfully shows as follows:

- 1. Petitioner's full name and principal place of business are:

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- 2. All pleadings, orders, notices and other correspondence with respect to this

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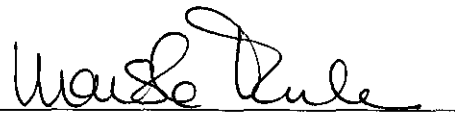
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3. AT&T is a telecommunications company that has been duly certificated by the Commission as an alternative local exchange telecommunications company ("ALEC") and an interexchange company ("IXC") in Florida. As such, AT&T is subject to the rules, regulations and orders of the Commission, and such rules, regulations and orders impact AT&T's ability to provide local exchange telecommunications service and intrastate interexchange telecommunications service.

4. As an ALEC, AT&T must utilize the operations support systems of incumbent local exchange companies in order to provide local exchange service. Accordingly, AT&T's substantial interests will be affected by any action that the Commission takes in this docket regarding establishment of permanent performance measures for incumbent local exchange telecommunications companies.

WHEREFORE, AT&T requests that it be permitted to intervene in this proceeding and that it be accorded full party status.



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