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Ms. Blanca S. Bayo, Director  
Records and Reporting  
Florida Public Service Commission  
Betty Easley Conference Center, Rm 110  
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Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

RE: Docket no. 970432-TL

Dear Ms. Bayo:

The referenced docket number pertains to the request of BellSouth to have their list of pay phones and owners kept confidential. Prior to their request this information had been forwarded by the PSC to the Department of Revenue. In turn, the DOR had provided this data to all Property Appraisal Departments throughout the State.

This data was used by the Property Appraisers to accurately assess BellSouth and other pay phone companies for their tangible personal property. The data was used in conformity with confidentiality requirements under State Law. This information is critical to the preparation of an accurate and equitable county tax roll.

ACK \_\_\_\_\_ We urge the PSC to deny BellSouth's request to make this  
AFA \_\_\_\_\_ information confidential. It is our opinion that the request was  
APP *Caldwell* made in an effort to deny this data to the Property Appraiser's and  
CAF \_\_\_\_\_ thereby impede their efforts at accurate and full personal property  
assessments on the equipment owned by BellSouth.

CMU *Montano*

CTR \_\_\_\_\_ Sincerely,  
EAG \_\_\_\_\_ *Joel W. Robbins*  
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LIS \_\_\_\_\_ Property Appraiser

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