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AUGUST 31, 1999

RE: DOCKET NO. 971140-TP - Motions of AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc., and MCI Telecommunications Corporation and MCI Metro Access Transmission Services, Inc., to compel BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to comply with Order PSC-96-1579-FOF-TP and to set non-recurring charges for combinations of network elements with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., pursuant to their agreement.

Issue 1: What amendments, if any, are necessary to address combinations that recreate a BST retail service?

Recommendation: On a going-forward basis, as it relates to the interconnection agreements of AT&T-BST and MCI-BST, the prices for UNE combinations, whether or not they are in existence, or whether or not they recreate an existing retail service, should be determined based on the same pricing standard for UNE combinations that do not recreate a retail service. Therefore, staff recommends that the Commission order the parties to incorporate the language proposed by staff in Attachments A and B to their August 19, 1999 memorandum.

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

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DISSENTING

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Issue 2: What amendments, if any, are necessary to incorporate the non-recurring charges for certain loop and port combinations?

Recommendation: The non-recurring charges approved by the Commission and shown in Table II on page 68 of Order PSC-98-0810-FOF-TP should be incorporated in the MCI-BST and AT&T-BST agreements. Accordingly, staff recommends that the Commission order the parties to incorporate the language proposed by staff in Attachments A and B to their memorandum.

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Issue 3: What further actions are necessary to incorporate the Commission's other decisions in Order PSC-98-0810-FOF-TP?

Recommendation: No further actions are needed.

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Issue 4: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: No. The parties should be required to submit a final arbitration agreement consistent with the Commission's decisions herein for approval within 30 days of issuance of the Commission's order. This docket should remain open pending Commission approval of the final arbitration agreement in accordance with Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

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