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Ms. Beth O'Donnell Executive Director Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Re:

Petition of DIECA Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company for Arbitration of Interconnection Agreement Amendment with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 PSC 2004-00259

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

The purpose of this letter is to advise the Commission that the parties have agreed that the interconnection negotiations between BellSouth and Covad commenced on August 20, 2005. Accordingly, the arbitration window pursuant to 47 USC Section 252(b) opens January 1, 2006, and closes January 26, 2006. Enclosed is a copy of the confirmation letter executed by the parties on November 22, 2005. I am authorized by Covad's counsel to file this notification of the extension.

Sincerely,

Dorothy J. Chambers

Enclosure

cc: Parties of Record

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## **BellSouth Interconnection Services**

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## Sent by E-Mail

November 22, 2005

Douglas Carlen, Esq. Assistant General Counsel Covad Communications Company 110 Rio Robles San Jose, CA 95134-1813

Colette Davis Vice President, External Affairs Covad Communications Company 1230 Peachtree Street, NE Suite 1900 Atlanta, GA 30309

Dear Mr. Carlen and Ms. Davis:

This letter confirms that BellSouth and Covad Communications Company ("Covad") have agreed that the interconnection negotiations between BellSouth and Covad commenced on August 20, 2005. Accordingly, the arbitration window pursuant to 47 USC Section 252 (b) opens January 1, 2006, and closes January 26, 2006.

Please call me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Manager - Interconnection Services

cc: Gene Watkins

Agreed to and approved by:

Charles Q. Watkins signed by Jagus Bell w/ permission

Date: Nov. 22, 2005