COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE ELECTRIC AND WATER)
PLANT BOARD OF THE CITY)
OF FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY)
V.) CASE NO. 2004-00297
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.	ý)

COMMISSION STAFF'S NOTICE OF INFORMAL CONFERENCE

Commission Staff requests that The Electric and Water Plant Board of the City of Frankfort, Kentucky ("Plant Board") and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") appear in Conference Room 1 of the Commission's offices on September 21, 2004 for an informal conference at 1:30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time. The purpose of the informal conference is to discuss all pending issues, including the following:

- 1. The rationale and applicability of the secondary service charge;
- 2. The applicability, if any, of BellSouth's General Subscriber Services Tariff Section A.4.2.4. C.1 to this proceeding;
- 3. Whether the Commission's decision in Case No. 2001-00045,¹ an arbitration proceeding involving BellSouth and SouthEast Telephone, Inc., is similar or dissimilar to this proceeding;

¹ Case No. 2001-00045, Petition by SouthEast Telephone, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of a Proposed Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

4. Whether the notion that the Plant Board is a facilities-based carrier

dictates that the secondary service charge appropriately may be assessed to recover

administrative costs associated with updating databases and performing necessary

records changes;

5. BellSouth's specific costs associated with making the necessary records

changes;

6. Whether all facilities-based carriers are charged the secondary service

charge for listings within a BellSouth directory;

7. How other state commissions in the BellSouth region have addressed this

issue; and

8. The Plant Board's arguments against assessment of the secondary

service charge.

Beth O'Donnell

Executive Director

Public Service Commission

P. O. Box 615

Frankfort, KY 40602

DATED: __September 7, 2004_

cc: Parties of Record