

August 6, 2001

Mr. Thomas M. Dorman  
Executive Director  
Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Boulevard  
P. O. Box 615  
Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: Investigation Concerning the Propriety of InterLATA Services by BellSouth  
Telecommunications, Inc. Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996  
PSC 2001-105

Dear Mr. Dorman:

Enclosed for filing in this case are a paper copy and a CD-ROM containing BellSouth's Responses to the Data Requests of AT&T, SECCA, WorldCom and Sprint. Please note that several of BellSouth's Responses reference a response filed in BellSouth's 271 Case in another state. Accordingly, the responses from the other states are contained on a separate CD, the label on which is highlighted in blue.

The attachments to BellSouth's Response to AT&T's Production of Documents, Item 79, contain confidential, commercial, or proprietary information and, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, enclosed is BellSouth's Confidentiality Petition. A copy of the proprietary information is provided to the Commission and a redacted version is provided for the public record. The proprietary information will be provided to parties of records upon execution of a non-disclosure agreement. Any party wanting a copy of the proprietary material should sign and return the non-disclosure agreement which is forwarded to all parties with this filing.

With regard to today's filing, BellSouth points out a few things that might help to avoid confusion. Since the attachments to Responses to certain Requests (AT&T Production of Documents Items 56 and 60 and WorldCom Item 31) are voluminous, a paper copy of those attachments is not provided; however, the attachments are on the CD. Although the Response to WorldCom Item 11 indicates the attachments are proprietary, BellSouth does not request proprietary treatment. Therefore, the requested information relative to that item is provided for the public record and to the parties.

Sincerely,

Creighton E. Mershon, Sr.

Enclosures  
cc: Parties of Record  
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**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the electronic version of this filing made with the Commission this 6th day of August 2001 is a true and accurate copy of the documents filed herewith in paper form, that the electronic version of the filing has been transmitted to the Commission and that the Commission and parties of record have been notified by electronic mail that the electronic version of this document has been transmitted to the Commission.

I also certify that a copy of the foregoing was served on the individuals on the Service List by mailing a CD-ROM containing the filing, this 6th day of August 2001.

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