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RE: Case No. 2003-00379 – Responses to BellSouth's Data Requests

Dear Mr. Dorman:

Enclosed please find four copies of documents being filed in the referenced case. Enclosed are US LEC of Tennessee, Inc.'s objections and responses to two sets of data requests from BellSouth, including a confidential exhibit (single copy enclosed), and a petition for confidential treatment. Please indicate receipt of this filing by your office by placing a file stamp on the extra copy of this letter and returning to me via the enclosed, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Sincerely yours,

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