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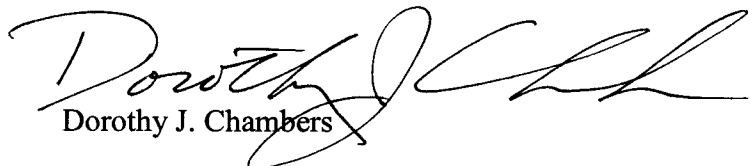
Re: Petition to Establish Generic Docket to Consider Amendments
to Interconnection Agreements Resulting from Changes of Law
KPSC 2004-00427

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

SouthEast Telephone's Post-Hearing Brief of November 22, 2005 argues not only that this Commission should set rates for Section 271 elements, an argument which has been rejected by both the FCC and the courts,¹ but also advocates, without any record support, that this Commission set specific port rates.² Even if the issue of setting of such rates were properly before this Commission (which it is not), SouthEast provides no evidentiary support for these specific rates. SouthEast's failure to cite to record evidence is not surprising since there is no record evidence to support its arguments. Accordingly, BellSouth urges the Commission disregard SouthEast Telephone's improper argument in this regard.

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Very truly yours,



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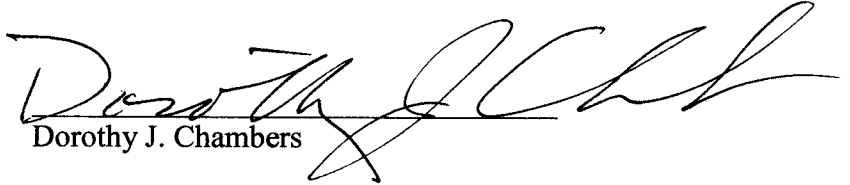
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¹See, BellSouth's Post-Hearing Brief at 15

²See, SouthEast Telephone's brief at pgs. 13-15.

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