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November 17, 2005

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Attention: Ms. Dorothy Chambers Post Office Box 32410 Louisville, Kentucky 40232

Business Telecom, Inc. Attention: Regulatory Department 7037 Old Madison Pike, Suite 400 Huntsville, AL 35806

> Re: Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Business Telecom, Inc., Pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 - PSC Reference No. 00056

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that Commission Staff has completed its review of both of your agreements submitted on November 14, 2005, and has concluded that they are in compliance with federal and state law and with previous Commission orders. Accordingly, it is unnecessary for Staff to refer this matter for formal Commission action. The agreements will be maintained in this office and, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 252, shall be effective on February 12, 2006.

If you have not already done so, the Commission requests that BellSouth submit the subject agreements in Microsoft Word Format (*.doc*) or Portable Document Format (*.pdf*) on either a CD or 3.5-inch high-density diskette.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Jim Stevens at Extension 238.

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cc: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Birmingham, Alabama 35203

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