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October 6, 2006

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Attention: Mary K. Keyer
Post Office Box 32410
Louisville, Kentucky 40232

Express Connection, LLC
Attention: Ms. Bobby Swager
3403 Nolensville Road
Nashville, TN 37211

Re: Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
and Express Connection, LLC, Pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 - PSC Reference No. 00125

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that Commission Staff has completed its review of your agreement submitted on September 27, 2006, and has concluded that it is 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 agreement will be maintained in this office and, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 252, shall be effective on December 26, 2006.

If you have not already done so, the Commission requests that BellSouth submit the subject agreement 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.

Sincerely yours,


David S. Sanford
General Counsel

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cc: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Birmingham, Alabama 35203