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February 20, 2007

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

Connect Communications, LLC
Attention: John Weiner
5002 Hickory Boulevard
Hickory, North Carolina 28601

Re: Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
and Connect Communications, LLC, Pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the
Telecommunications Act of 1996 - PSC Reference No. 00623

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that Commission Staff has completed its review of your agreement submitted on February 14, 2007, 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 May 15, 2007.

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,

Robert A. Amato for
Beth O'Donnell
Executive Director

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cc: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Birmingham, Alabama 35203