

**AMENDMENT
TO THE
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
NUSTAR TELEPHONE CO., INC. AND
BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
DATED JULY 2, 1999**

Pursuant to this Agreement, (the "Amendment") NuStar Telephone Co., Inc. and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated July 2, 1999 ("Interconnection Agreement").

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1. NuStar Telephone Co., Inc. has changed the name of said business to NuStar Telephone Co., Inc. d/b/a Televia Communications, a Georgia corporation. The Interconnection Agreement is hereby amended to reflect the name change.

2. Section 20 of the General Terms and Conditions is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with a new Section 20 as follows:

20. Notices

20.1 Every notice, consent, approval, or other communications required or contemplated by this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be delivered in person or given by postage prepaid mail, address to:

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

CLEC Account Team
9 th Floor
600 North 19 th Street
Birmingham, Alabama 35203

and

General Attorney - COU
Suite 4300
675 W. Peachtree St.
Atlanta, GA 30375

**NuStar Telephone Co., Inc.
d/b/a Televia Communications**

Joseph Macaluso
945 Windy Hill Rd.
Smyrna, GA 30080
Phone: 770-200-9225

Fax: 770-200-9248

3. All of the other provisions of the Interconnection Agreement shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

4. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to each Public Service Commission for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

**NuStar Telephone Co., Inc. d/b/a
Televia Communications**

By: _____ Signature on File

Name: _____ Joseph Macaluso

Title: _____ President

Date: _____ January 31, 2000

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By: _____ Signature on File

Name: _____ Jerry Hendrix

Title: _____ Senior Director

Date: _____ February 1, 2000