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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
1919 M Street, NW, Room 222  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Federal Communications Commission  
Office of Secretary**

Re: CC Docket No. 97-208, CC Docket No. 97-231,  
CC Docket No. 97-121, CC Docket No. 97-137,  
CC Docket No. 96-98, and RM-9101

Dear Ms. Salas:

This is to inform you that Sid Boren, Randy New, Al Varner, Jim Llewellyn, and the undersigned, all of BellSouth Corporation, and Erwin Krasnow of Verner, Lipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand, met with Commission staff on March 3, 1998. The following Common Carrier Bureau staff members attended some or all of this meeting: Carol Matthey; Melissa Newman; Kenneth Ackerman; Eric J. Bash; Lisa Choi; Tony Dale; Jennifer Fabian; Jordan Goldstein; Ron Kaufman; Bill Kehoe; Michael Kende; Susan Launer; Cyndi Thomas; Joe Welch; and Audrey Wright. Also attending the meeting was JoAnn Lucanik of the Cable Services Bureau.

During the meeting the participants discussed issues related to the showings required to demonstrate that an application met the requirements of either Section 271 (c)(1)(A) (Track A) or Section 271 (c)(1)(B) (Track B) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. They also discussed issues relating to BellSouth's compliance with the requirements of Section 272 of the Act. Finally they discussed issues related to BellSouth's compliance with Checklist item number 3, Section 271 (c)(2)(B)(iii) of the Act. Attachments 1, 2, and 3 formed the basis for our discussion of these topics.

Attachments 4 and 5 are documents prepared in response to earlier Commission staff requests. Representatives of BellSouth explained and gave copies of these documents to Commission staff at the meeting.

Because the Commission is considering one or more of the issues discussed at the meeting in each of the proceedings identified above, we are filing notice of this ex parte meeting in each of those proceedings.

As required by Section 1.1206(a)(2) of the Commission's rules, we are filing with the Commission two copies of this notice in each of the proceedings identified above. Please associate this notification with each of those proceedings.

Sincerely,



Kathleen B. Levitz  
Vice-President  
Federal Regulatory Affairs

Attachments

cc:	Ken Ackerman	Eric Bash	Lisa Choi
	Tony Dale	Jennifer Fabian	Jordan Goldstein
	Ron Kaufman	Bill Kehoe	Michael Kende
	Susan Launer	Joann Lucanik	Carol Matthey
	Melissa Newman	Cyndi Thomas	Joe Welch
		Audrey Wright	

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