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Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (hereinafter BellSouth) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, is sent to you for publication in compliance with Section 61.49 of the Commission's rules and the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

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With this filing, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. proposes to recover the cost associated with special construction necessary to provide DS1 Alternate Serving Wire Center Diversity service from the customer's location at FAA New Air Traffic Control tower, Cherokee Road, to the Sebastian Main Central Office. This requires placement of a facility for which the Telephone Company had not planned to install. To meet the customer's requirement, special construction is required to place 4,170 feet of buried fiber cable between the customer's location and the Sebastian Main Central Office.

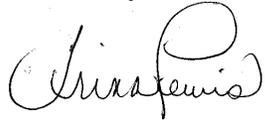
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All official pleadings and related material concerning this filing may be directed to Mr. Richard Sbaratta, General Attorney, BellSouth Corporation, Suite 4300, 675 West Peachtree Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30375 or faxed to Mr. Richard M. Sbaratta at (404) 614-4054.

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Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Trina Lewis". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Trina Lewis