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BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. )  
for Local Exchange Service Throughout Idaho )

Case No. BSI-T-05-0 IDAHO PUBLIC  
UTILITIES COMMISSION

**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE  
RESOLD AND FACILITIES-BASED LOCAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES**

Pursuant to Procedural Order No. 26665 in Case No. GNR-T-96-4<sup>1</sup> and Section 253 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996<sup>2</sup> ("Act"), BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. ("BellSouth Long Distance") respectfully requests that the Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") grant BellSouth Long Distance a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for authority to provide local exchange telecommunications services within the State of Idaho.

*In support of its Application, BellSouth Long Distance submits the following:*

**1. Introduction**

BellSouth Long Distance is requesting authority to provide basic resold and facilities-based local exchange services to business customers throughout Idaho. BellSouth Long Distance proposes to offer a broad variety of facilities-based and resale local exchange services to business customers throughout the State of Idaho in all exchanges not exempt from competition. Facilities-based service will be available through resale and UNE arrangements with the LECs. The Company currently provides resold interexchange long distance service through approval from the Commission granted January 3, 1997.

<sup>1</sup> Title 61 of the Idaho Code §§ 61-526 through -528 and IDAPA 31.01.01.111 (Rule 111).

<sup>2</sup> Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. § 253 (1996).

## II. Description of the Applicant

- (a) BellSouth Long Distance is incorporated in the State of Delaware. The main address of the Company is:

BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.  
400 Perimeter Center Terrace, Suite 400  
Atlanta, Georgia 30346  
Telephone: (770) 352 - 3000  
Facsimile: (678) 443 - 3470  
website: www.bellsouth.com/longdistance

- (b) All correspondence, notices, inquiries and other communications regarding this Application should be addressed to:

Thomas M. Forte  
Consultant to BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.  
Technologies Management, Inc.  
P.O. Box 200  
Winter Park, Florida 32789  
Telephone: (407) 740-8575  
Facsimile: (407) 740-0613  
e-mail: tforte@tminc.com

- (c) The Applicant is a Delaware Corporation. A copy of the Company's Articles of Incorporation is provided in Exhibit A. The Company is authorized by the Idaho Secretary of State to transact business within the State of Idaho. A copy of the Certificate of Good Standing from the Secretary of State is provided in Exhibit B.
- (d) BellSouth Long Distance is a non-dominant telecommunications company that has been providing interexchange long distance telecommunications services to business and residential customers in all 50 states. Additionally, the Company is currently authorized to provide local exchange services in Arkansas, Alabama, California, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri, Mississippi, Montana, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, South Carolina, Pennsylvania, Tennessee and Texas. A sister company, BellSouth BSE of Virginia, Inc., which is managed by the same BellSouth Long Distance management team, is certificated to provide competitive local exchange service in Virginia. BellSouth Long Distance has never been denied authority in any state.

The Company has applications pending in Alaska, Arizona, Colorado, District of Columbia, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Michigan, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

### **III. Exhibits**

In support of this Application, the following exhibits are attached hereto:

- Exhibit A - Articles of Incorporation;
- Exhibit B - Certificate of Good Standing in the State of Idaho;
- Exhibit C - Financial Statements
- Exhibit D - Profiles of Key Management Personnel
- Exhibit E - Proposed service area map (Rule 112(c))
- Exhibit F - Proposed Tariff

### **IV. Financial, Technical and Managerial Qualifications**

BellSouth Long Distance possesses the managerial, technical and financial ability to provide local telecommunications service in the State of Idaho. BellSouth Long Distance has strong financial resources to enable the Company to successfully provide local telecommunications service in the State of Idaho and the management team in place to manage this operation.

#### **IV.A. Financial Qualifications**

- (1) BellSouth Long Distance is financially and otherwise capable and qualified to offer and maintain all of its tariffed services in its territories served through its own and/or through the underlying carrier's facilities. The Company will utilize its current customer service, operations, management, and technical workforce and infrastructure in support of its competitive resold and facilities-based local exchange offerings.
- (2) The costs of Idaho operations will consist of leasing facilities and additional administrative and sales overhead. BellSouth Long Distance is already operating as a local exchange and interexchange provider in a number of states. The incremental administrative and sales costs are not projected to be significant for the Company. No new funds or capital will be required to expand the Company's services in Idaho.

- (3) The Company is providing the year-end 2004 10-K Financial Statements and Annual Report of its parent company, BellSouth Corporation, in Exhibit C, in support of BellSouth Long Distance's financial ability to provide local exchange service.

#### **IV.B. Managerial Qualifications**

- (1) BellSouth Long Distance possesses managerial qualifications to operate a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier within the State of Idaho. Biographical summaries of the managerial experience of the Company are found in Exhibit D.

#### **IV.C. Technical Qualifications**

- (1) BellSouth Long Distance's services will satisfy the minimum standards established by the Commission. The Company will file and maintain tariffs in the same manner and form as required of incumbent local exchange telecommunications companies.
- (2) BellSouth Long Distance has experience operating as a local exchange provider a number of states, as detailed in Item II (d) of this application. As the foregoing illustrates, BellSouth Long Distance possesses considerable telecommunications expertise and is technically qualified to provide local exchange service in Idaho.

#### **V. Customer Service**

BellSouth Long Distance will handle all customer inquiries and complaints at its Customer Resource Center. The Company's Customer Resource Center is staffed 24-hours per day, seven days a week. Customers can reach the Customer Resource Center by dialing (800) 895-2222. The toll-free telephone number will be provided on the Customer bill and in virtually all BellSouth Long Distance mailings. Initially, a third party billing vendor will do all Company billing.

**The contact for resolution of customer complaints with the Commission is:**

Mary Jean Dennis, Director  
BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.  
400 Perimeter Center Terrace, Suite 400  
Atlanta, GA 30346  
Telephone: (770) 352 - 3077  
Facsimile: (678) 587 - 5316  
e-Mail: mary.dennis@bellsouth.com

**VI. Service Description and Anticipated Service Date**

Initially, BellSouth Long Distance proposes to provide competitive resold and facilities-based local exchange services via an interconnection agreement with Qwest Communications ("Qwest"). The Company intends to offer service upon certification, approval of its interconnection agreement and a formal request for service from a prospective customer. BellSouth Long Distance initially proposes to offer local exchange services targeted at large business customers that have a relationship with BellSouth in one the Company's core states of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee.

BellSouth Long Distance seeks authority to provide all manner of resold and facilities-based local exchange as well as switched access services. The Company intends to offer private line, high-speed data services and basic local exchange business services within Idaho. In addition, the Company will provide to its customers access to emergency call services (e.g. 911), directory assistance, operator assisted services, and other ancillary services.

BellSouth Long Distance intends to offer service in the geographic areas currently served by Qwest. The Company will mirror the basic local calling scopes of the incumbent local exchange companies.

## **VII. Public Interest Standard**

Grant of BellSouth Long Distance's Application to provide local exchange services is in the public interest and serves the public convenience and necessity. In enacting the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, the United States Congress determined that it is in the public interest to promote competition in the provision of telecommunications services, including local exchange services. Experience with competition in other telecommunications markets, such as long distance, competitive access, and customer premises equipment, demonstrates the benefits that competition can bring to consumers. Consumers are enjoying increased services, lower prices, higher quality, and greater reliability.

BellSouth Long Distance plans to bring the benefits of competition to Idaho consumers. The Company's proposed services will provide multiple public benefits by increasing the competitive choices available to users in Idaho. Enhanced competition in telecommunications services likely will further stimulate economic development in Idaho. In addition, increased competition will create incentives for all carriers to offer lower prices, more innovative services, and more responsive customer service.

## **VIII. Waivers and Regulatory Compliance**

BellSouth Long Distance has reviewed all of the Commission's rules applicable to competitive local exchange service providers and agrees to comply with those rules except to the extent the rules are explicitly waived for the Company or for all carriers in the same class. Specifically, the Company requests exemption from the following rules:

- (a) Title 41, Chapter 1, Rules 101-103.02 - Guarantee in lieu of deposit: BellSouth Long Distance requests exemption only from that portion of the rule that requires a guarantee form on file with the Commission.

- (b) Title 41, Chapter 1, Rule 502.01 - Service Standards: To the extent that BellSouth Long Distance offers service on a UNE and resold basis from the incumbent local exchange service providers, the Company requests a waiver of the requirement to adopt and pursue a maintenance program for outside plant facilities and equipment.
- (c) Title 41, Chapter 2, Rule 102.03 - Press Release: BellSouth Long Distance requests a waiver of the requirement to send a press release to all newspapers, radio and television stations on the Commission's list. Unlike the incumbent LECs whose customer density in any given area makes press releases practical, the Company does not anticipate sufficient market share to warrant the expense of preparing and coordinating a press release. BellSouth Long Distance maintains a detailed web site that includes information on the Company's services and interstate rates as well as corporate information. Customers will be informed of the Company's web site and will be able to receive all manner of information from that site. In addition, consumers will be informed of any rate increases by bill insert. Therefore, the additional step of notification via press release is unnecessary.
- (d) Local Exchange Directories  
BellSouth Long Distance requests that it not be required to publish local exchange directories. The Company will make arrangements with the incumbent LECs whereby the names of BellSouth Long Distance's customers will be included in the directories published by the incumbent LECs. These directories will be distributed to the Company's customers. This approach is entirely reasonable and will have a direct benefit to the customers of both BellSouth Long Distance and the incumbent LECs since customers will have to refer to only one directory for a universal listing of customer information. It would be an unnecessary burden on the Company to require it to publish and distribute its own directory to all customers located within each exchange area, particularly since the majority of these customers will be customers of the incumbent LECs. It is more efficient for the Company to include its limited customer base in the existing directories of the incumbent LECs.

(e) Title 41, Chapter 2, Rule 105 and 602.01: Customer Notice: BellSouth Long Distance has requested a waiver of the requirement to publish Local Telephone Directories. Rules 105 and 602.01 require that each local exchange company summarize the provisions of Sections 48-1001 et seq., Idaho Code, and summarize the customer disclosure rules in an annual insert in a billing statement mailed to customer or by conspicuous publication in the consumer pages of the local telephone directory. The Company maintains that such information is published in the local telephone directories and therefore does not need to be redistributed by the Company on an annual basis.

(f) **Reporting Requirements**

BellSouth Long Distance further requests waivers of any reporting requirements which, although applicable to incumbent LECs, are not applicable to competitive providers such as BellSouth Long Distance because such requirements: (1) are not consistent with the demands of the competitive market; and (2) they constitute an undue burden on a competitive provider, thereby requiring an inefficient allocation of its limited resources. In addition, the Company reserves the right to seek any regulatory waivers that may be required for the Company to compete effectively in the Idaho local exchange services market.



**IX. Conclusion**

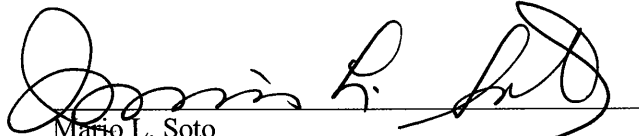
This Application demonstrates that BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. possesses the technical, financial and managerial resources to provide local exchange service in Idaho.

Wherefore, BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. respectfully requests that the Commission:

1. grant BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. authority to operate as a provider of resold and facilities-based basic local exchange telecommunications services in the State of Idaho;
2. grant the waivers requested in this Application; and
3. grant such other relief as it deems necessary and appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

**BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mario L. Soto", written over a horizontal line.

Mario L. Soto  
President  
BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.  
400 Perimeter Center Terrace, Suite 400  
Atlanta, Georgia 30346

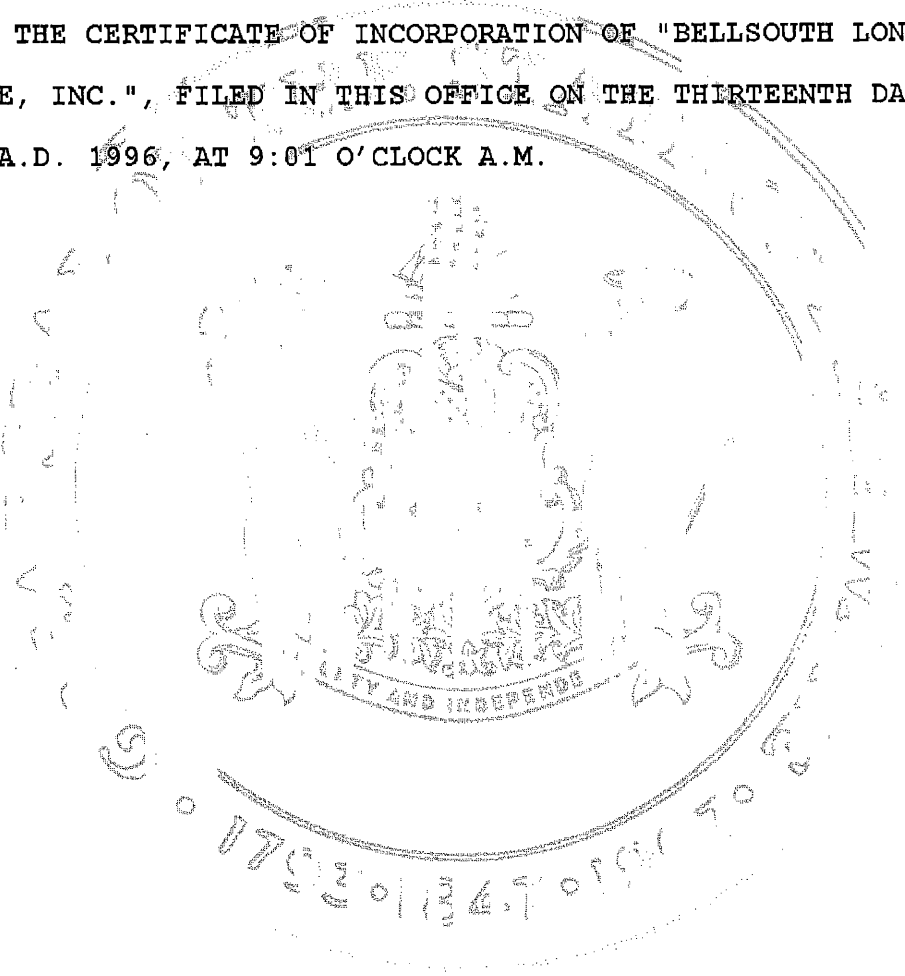
**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**

Exhibit A

Articles of Incorporation

State of Delaware  
Office of the Secretary of State PAGE 1

I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF "BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 1996, AT 9:01 O'CLOCK A.M.



*Edward J. Freel*

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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**CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC.**

1.

The name of the corporation is BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.

2.

The address of the initial registered office of the corporation in the State of Delaware shall be 1013 Centre Road, City of Wilmington, County of New Castle, Delaware 19805-1297; and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at such address is The Prentice-Hall Corporation System, Inc.

3.

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the General Corporation Law of Delaware.

4.

The aggregate number of shares of stock which the corporation shall have authority to issue is One Thousand (1,000) shares of Common Stock, which shall have no par value. Said shares of Common Stock may be issued by the corporation for such consideration as shall be fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors of the corporation.

5.

The corporation shall have perpetual duration.

6.

The name and address of the Incorporator is Jim O. Llewellyn, 1800 Campanile, 1155 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309-3610.

7.

The initial Board of Directors of the Corporation shall consist of one (1) member, whose name and address is as follows:

William F. Reddersen  
Suite 1903  
1155 Peachtree Street, N.E.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30309-3610

8.

Whenever a compromise or arrangement is proposed between this corporation and its creditors or any class of them and/or between this corporation and its stockholders or any class of them, any court of equitable jurisdiction within the State of Delaware may, on the application in a summary way of this corporation or of any creditor or stockholder thereof or on the application of any receiver or receivers appointed for this corporation under the provisions of §291 of Title 8 of the Delaware Code or on the application of trustees in dissolution or of any receiver or receivers appointed for this corporation under the provisions of §279 of Title 8 of the Delaware Code order a meeting of the creditors or class of creditors, and/or of the stockholders or class of stockholders of this corporation, as the case may be, to be summoned in such manner as the said court directs. If a majority in number representing three fourths in value of the creditors or class of creditors, and/or of the stockholders or class of stockholders of this corporation, as the case may be, agree to an compromise or arrangement and to any reorganization of this corporation as consequence of such compromise or arrangement, the said compromise or arrangement and the said reorganization shall, if sanctioned by the court to which the said

application has been made, be binding on all the creditors or class of creditors, and/or on all the stockholders or class of stockholders, of this corporation, as the case may be, and also on this corporation.

9.

For the management of the business and for the conduct of the affairs of the corporation, and in further definition, limitation, and regulation of the powers of the corporation and of its directors and of its stockholders or any class thereof, as the case may be, it is further provided that:

1. The management of the business and the conduct of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in its Board of Directors. The number of directors which shall constitute the whole Board of Directors shall be fixed by, or in the manner provided in, the Bylaws. The phrase "whole Board" and the phrase "total number of directors" shall be deemed to have the same meaning, to wit, the total number of directors which the corporation would have if there were no vacancies. No election of directors need be by written ballot;

2. After the original or other Bylaws of the corporation have been adopted, amended, or repealed, as the case may be, in accordance with the provisions of §109 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, and, after the corporation has received any payment for any of its stock, the power to adopt, amend, or repeal the Bylaws of the corporation may be exercised by the Board of Directors of the corporation; and,

3. Whenever the corporation shall be authorized to issue only one class of stock, each outstanding share shall entitle the holder thereof to notice of, and the right to vote at, any meeting of stockholders. Whenever the corporation shall be authorized to issue more than one class of stock, no outstanding share of any class of stock which is denied voting power under

the provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation shall entitle the holder thereof to the right to vote at any meeting of stockholders except as the provisions of paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of §242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware shall otherwise require; provided, that no share of any such class which is otherwise denied voting power shall entitle the holder thereof to vote upon the increase or decrease in the number of authorized shares of said class.

10.

The personal liability of the directors of the corporation is hereby eliminated to the fullest extent permitted by the provisions of paragraph (7) of subsection (b) of §102 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as the same may be amended and supplemented.

11.

The corporation shall, to the fullest extent permitted by the provisions of §145 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as the same may be amended and supplemented, indemnify any and all persons whom it shall have power to indemnify under said section from and against any and all of the expenses, liabilities, or other matters referred to in or covered by said section, and the indemnification provided for herein shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those indemnified may be entitled under any Bylaw, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise, both as to action in his official capacity and as to action in another capacity while holding such office, and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee, or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, and administrators of such a person.

12.

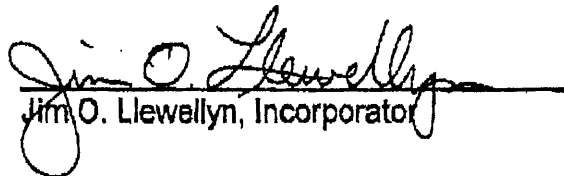
Any action that is required or permitted to be taken at a meeting of the shareholders may be taken without a meeting if the action is taken by

persons who would be entitled to vote at a meeting shares having voting power to cast not less than the minimum number (or numbers, in the case of voting by groups) of votes that would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting at which all shareholders entitled to vote were present and voted. The action must be evidenced by one or more written consents describing the action taken, signed by shareholders entitled to take action without a meeting and delivered to the corporation for inclusion in the minutes or filing with the corporate records.

13.

From time to time any of the provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation may be amended, altered, or repealed, and other provisions authorized by the laws of the State of Delaware at the time in force may be added or inserted in the manner and at the time prescribed by said laws, and all rights at any time conferred upon the stockholders of the corporation by this Certificate of Incorporation are granted subject to the provisions of this Article.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Incorporation this 13th day of March, 1996.

  
Jim O. Llewellyn, Incorporator



**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**

Exhibit B

Certificate of Good Standing in the State of Idaho

# State of Idaho

Office of the Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

OF

BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC.

File Number C-116277

I, BEN YSURSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that I am the custodian of the corporation records of this State.

I FURTHER CERTIFY That the records of this office show that the above-named corporation was incorporated under the laws of DELAWARE and filed to transact business in Idaho on 29 Aug 1996.

I FURTHER CERTIFY That the corporation is in goodstanding on the records of this office.

Dated: 27 May 2005



*Ben Yursa*

SECRETARY OF STATE

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**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**

Exhibit C

Financial Statements

The Company is providing the year-end 2004 10-K Financial Statements and Annual Report of its parent company, BellSouth Corporation in support of BellSouth Long Distance's financial ability to provide local exchange service.

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**FOR BELLSOUTH 2004**

**ANNUAL REPORT**

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**EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**FORM 10-K**

**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**

Exhibit D

Profiles of Key Management Personnel

**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**  
**DESCRIPTION OF SENIOR MANAGEMENT**

**Mario L. Soto, President**

Mario Soto is President of BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. Mr. Soto has over thirty years experience in the telecommunications industry. He has worked for Southern Bell Telephone Company, AT&T Corporation and different affiliates within BellSouth Corporation. Mr. Soto has held various positions in Engineering, Pricing, Market Management, Product Management and Regulatory within BellSouth and AT&T.

Mr. Soto attended the University of Florida where he earned a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering Degree in 1970 and obtained a Master of Electrical Engineering Degree in 1971. He also earned a Master of Business Administration Degree from Georgia State University in 1980.

**Hamilton E. (Bob) Gray, Network Vice President**

Mr. Gray, Network Vice President, is responsible for managing the planning, engineering, installation and operation of the BellSouth Long Distance network. He is also responsible for the BellSouth Long Distance telecommunications fraud management group.

Mr. Gray was assigned to the BellSouth Long Distance project in August of 1995. Prior to his current assignment, he was Director - Alternate Network Technical Planning for BellSouth Europe in Brussels, Belgium where he was responsible for network development in support of BellSouth's competitive business ventures throughout the European continent in 1994 and 1995. Before his international assignment, he was Operations Manager - Network Fundamental Planning for BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BST") responsible for switching and transmission network planning for BST's nine state territory from 1988-1994. Mr. Gray also served a one-year special assignment in Washington, DC representing BellSouth on President Reagan's White House Staff in 1987. Mr. Gray began his career with BellSouth in June of 1972.

Mr. Gray holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from Louisiana State University and a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Alabama.

**Harris R. Anthony, General Counsel**

Mr. Anthony, General Counsel, arrived at BellSouth Long Distance in early 2000 but has worked in BellSouth's Legal Department since 1977. He began his career with BellSouth as a labor attorney, then was BST's General Counsel in Georgia and later, BST's General Counsel in Florida. He returned to Atlanta in 1994, where he assumed responsibility for BellSouth's Commercial Attorneys.

Mr. Anthony graduated Magna Cum Laude from Colgate University and went on to earn his Juris Doctorate from Duke University School of Law.

**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**  
**DESCRIPTION OF SENIOR MANAGEMENT**  
**(Continued)**

**William D. Schneider, Secretary**

William Schneider, Secretary, has been part of the BellSouth Long Distance team since 2003. Prior to joining BellSouth Long Distance, Mr. Schneider held several positions of increasing responsibility within the BellSouth Finance organization including Controller, BellSouth Technology Group; Controller, BellSouth Affiliated Services Corporation; Manager, Regulatory Accounting; Assistant Manager, External Reporting and Corporate Books Manager at BellSouth Corporation. Mr. Schneider worked at Deloitte & Touche prior to joining BellSouth.

Mr. Schneider holds Master of Accountancy and BBA degrees from the University of Georgia and is a Certified Public Accountant.

**Mike Reagan, Chief Information Officer**

Mike Reagan, Chief Information Officer, was part of the BellSouth Long Distance Information Technology ("IT") organization from 1996 to 2001. Prior to joining BellSouth, Mr. Reagan held a number of positions with Sprint and MCI. In all, Mr. Reagan has been in telecommunications for 19 years and has held positions in network engineering, sales support, product development and information technology.

As CIO, Mr. Reagan is responsible for all IT planning and strategy, architecture, application development, application support, operations and project management for BellSouth Long Distance. Mr. Reagan has a Bachelor's Degree in Electrical Engineering and Mathematics from Geneva College in Pennsylvania.

**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**

Exhibit E

Proposed Service Area Map

The Company seeks statewide authority to offer its services.



**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC**

Exhibit F

Proposed Tariff

**BellSouth Long Distance, Inc.**  
400 Perimeter Center Terrace, Suite 400  
Atlanta, GA 30346

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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES TARIFF

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IDAHO  
LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES TARIFF  
OF  
**BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC.**

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and rates applicable to the provision of local exchange telecommunications services provided by BellSouth Long Distance, Inc. with principal offices at 400 Perimeter Center, Suite 400, Atlanta, Georgia 30346 for services furnished within the State of Idaho. This tariff is on file with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at the Company's principal place of business.

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Issued: July x, 2005

Effective: August y, 2005

Issued by:

Director, Business Implementation & Compliance  
400 Perimeter Center Terrace, Suite 400  
Atlanta, GA 30346

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