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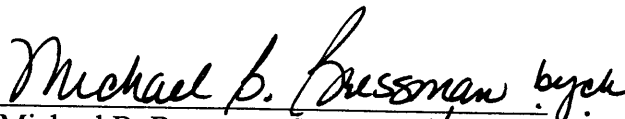
Re: *Approval of Interconnection Agreement Between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and BlueStar Networks, Inc.*  
Docket No. 00-00202

Dear Mr. Waddell:

On May 23, 2000, at the parties' request, the Authority deferred taking any action with respect to approving an interconnection agreement submitted by BellSouth and BlueStar. Because of questions raised by the Staff with respect to the interconnection agreement and because of ongoing settlement negotiations by the parties with regard to issues in the parties' arbitration proceeding (Docket No. 99-00945), the parties are agreeable to extending the 90-day review period for the interconnection agreement until July 11, 2000. If approved by the Authority, this agreed extension would allow additional time for the parties to work to resolve questions raised by the Staff regarding the interconnection agreement.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



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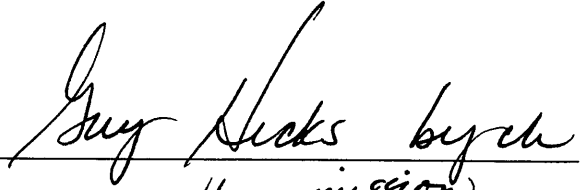
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