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Deborah Taylor Tate, Director

September 16, 2004

Mr. Bryan Antley
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Dear Mr. Antley:

Thank you again for your participation in the Performance Measurement Workshop on September 14, 2004 at the Tennessee Regulatory Authority. I have heard many positive comments and I, personally, benefited a great deal.

As I expressed in closing comments, many of the issues, concerns and problems---although certainly technically complicated in nature----could benefit from simply improved communication. To that end, I am writing to encourage you to accept the offer by Ms. Phillips on behalf of BellSouth, to "send us your four or five top issues" and her further commitment to working toward resolution of them. Please make sure that you identify a specific contact for each issue in order to further streamline this process.

Alternative dispute resolution should be the preferred avenue for resolving disputes in this arena and I remain willing to facilitate additional workshops, informal meetings, and mediations. I look forward to receipt of your correspondence to BellSouth and to the appropriate resolution of these issues for the benefit of Tennessee consumers.

Sincerely,

Deborah Taylor Tate

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