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The Honorable Charles Terreni
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Re: Docket No. 2009-326-C (State Universal Service Support of Basic Local Service Included in a Bundled Service Offering or Contract Offering)

Dear Mr. Terreni:

As set forth in its letter dated August 14, 2009, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T South Carolina does not take a position on the issue in this docket and is participating solely in order to protect its rights and interests as a current and future contributor into the State USF. AT&T South Carolina, therefore, is not submitting Direct Testimony in this Docket.

Sincerely,

Patrick Turner

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cc All Parties of Record

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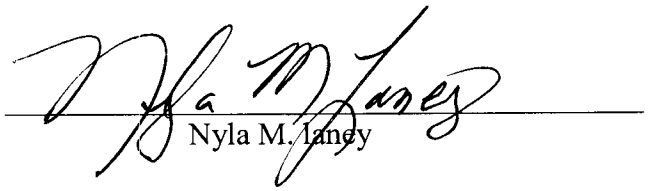

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