

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PETITION OF BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS,	)	CASE NO.
INC. FOR PRESUMPTIVE VALIDITY OF TARIFF	)	2002-00276
FILINGS	)	

O R D E R

On June 6, 2003, the Commission granted BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. s ( BellSouth ) motion for rehearing in this proceeding. BellSouth has indicated its desire to supply information regarding the sufficiency of competitive alternatives in Kentucky.

Accordingly, the Commission HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. Within 30 days of the date of this Order, BellSouth shall file direct testimony containing the following information:

a. The number of access lines served by BellSouth, broken down by residential and business lines.

b. Market share data from January 2003 through June 2003 for each active competitive local exchange carrier ( CLEC ) by month and broken down by residential and business lines. This market share data shall include for each CLEC the number of resold access lines, the number of UNE-P access lines, the number of loops, and the number of ports.

c. The underlying data used to produce the graph in Exhibit 1 of the Petition for Reconsideration.

d. Data and market studies that show wireless service is growing exponentially.

e. Data and market studies that show Voice-over IP ( VoIP ) service is growing exponentially. Include a list of VoIP providers serving Kentucky customers and the number of access lines each serves.

f. Any other information that demonstrates a sufficient level of competition to justify granting the requested exemptions pursuant to KRS 278.512.

2. Within 60 days of the date of this Order, Intervenors may file direct testimony rebutting the data supplied by BellSouth.

3. A public hearing will be convened on October 7, 2003, at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses that filed direct testimony.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 2003.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director