

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PETITION OF CRICKET COMMUNICATIONS,	)	
INC. FOR ARBITRATION OF RATES, TERMS	)	CASE NO.
AND CONDITIONS OF INTERCONNECTION	)	2010-00131
WITH BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS,	)	
INC. D/B/A AT&T KENTUCKY	)	

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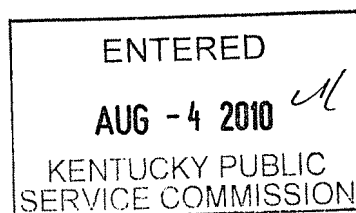
On July 26, 2010, Cricket Communications, Inc. ("Cricket") and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Kentucky ("AT&T Kentucky") submitted a joint motion to hold the proceeding in abeyance until September 16, 2010 pending the conclusion of settlement negotiations. This is the third joint motion for abeyance filed by the parties. Previous requests for abeyance were granted by the Commission by Orders dated June 29, 2010 and July 19, 2010. In the current motion, the parties state that they expect to have an agreement in principle by August 10, 2010 and will then need approximately four to six weeks to document that agreement. The parties state that, on or before September 16, 2010, they will inform the Commission that they have either settled their differences and this docket can be concluded or that an Order outlining a decision on the threshold issues needs to be issued by the Commission.

Having reviewed the joint motion, the Commission finds that the parties have pled good cause in support of their request and the motion should be granted.

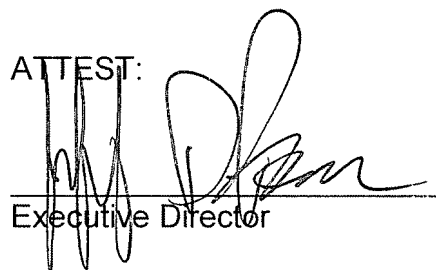
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The parties' third joint motion to hold proceedings in abeyance until September 16, 2010 to conclude their settlement negotiations is granted.
2. On or before September 16, 2010, the parties shall submit a written report to the Commission which shall include an overview of the terms of the settlement agreement or a request for the Commission's decision on the threshold issues.

By the Commission



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