COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

| APPLICATION OF BELLSOUTH |) |
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| TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC FOR | , |
| DECLARATORY ORDER REGARDING |) CASE NO. |
| INTERCONNECTION WITH CENTRAL |) 2015-00227 |
| KENTUCKY NETWORK FOR 911/E911 | 1 |
| SERVICES TO PUBLIC SAFETY | , |
| ANSWERING POINTS | , |
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ORDER

On July 8, 2015, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 19, BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Kentucky ("AT&T Kentucky") filed a petition for a declaratory order to determine the obligations of AT&T Kentucky and Central Kentucky 911 Network ("CKN") regarding interconnection and routing of traffic for the provision of 911 service to Public Safety Answering Points ("PSAP"). AT&T Kentucky requests that the Commission declare that CKN: (1) is a utility as defined in KRS 278.010(3)(e); (2) must obtain a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to KRS 278.020; and (3) must request and enter into an interconnection agreement with AT&T Kentucky under 47 U.S.C. § 252.

The Commission notes that, although AT&T Kentucky requests Commission action that, if granted, will directly and materially impact CKN, AT&T Kentucky included no certificate or other proof that CKN was served with a copy of the petition. Due to the potential impact on CKN, the Commission will require AT&T Kentucky to serve a copy of the petition on CKN in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 19(3), with proof of service filed with the Commission. Further, because the issues raised in the petition

could have statewide implications for 911 services, the Commission will also require AT&T Kentucky to serve a copy of the petition on the Kentucky Commercial Radio Service ("CMRS") Board, and all incumbent local exchange carriers in Kentucky, with proof of service filed with the Commission.

807 KAR 5:001, Section 19(4), provides that a response to a petition for a declaratory order may be filed within 21 days of the filing of the petition with the Commission, with a reply due 14 days thereafter. However, because of our decision to require AT&T Kentucky to serve the petition on those entities named above, responses to the petition and replies thereto may be filed with the Commission by the dates set forth below. The Commission will consider the merits of any response filed, but the person filing the response will not be considered a party to the case unless a motion to intervene is filed and granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. AT&T Kentucky shall serve a copy of the petition for declaratory order on CKN, the CMRS Board, and all incumbent local exchange carriers in Kentucky no later than August 5, 2015, with proof of service filed with the Commission.
- 2. Responses to the petition for declaratory order, if any, shall be filed no later than August 26, 2015.
 - 3. Motions to Intervene shall be filed no later than August 26, 2015.
- 4. Replies to responses, if any, shall be filed no later than September 9, 2015.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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