COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC FOR DECLARATORY ORDER REGARDING INTERCONNECTION WITH CENTRAL KENTUCKY NETWORK FOR 911/E911 SERVICES TO PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS

CASE NO. 2015-00227

ORDER

On August 8, 2016, BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Kentucky ("AT&T Kentucky") filed a motion with the Commission requesting that the Commission hold this proceeding in abeyance in order to allow AT&T Kentucky, Central Kentucky 911 ("CKN") and other interested parties an opportunity to reach a resolution in this case. As grounds for its motion, AT&T Kentucky states that, based upon the filed testimony and responses to discovery, it believes that the case can be resolved without a decision by the Commission. AT&T Kentucky states that in order to confirm the possibility of a resolution, it is necessary to test the proposed solutions with a few county public safety answering points. AT&T Kentucky proposes that the case be held in abeyance for 120 days, and proposes to file status reports 60 days and 90 days after an abeyance order is entered to keep the Commission apprised of events and the likelihood of resolving this case. CKN has notified the Commission that it does not oppose this motion. The Commission finds that AT&T Kentucky has provided sufficient grounds to support its motion. The Commission encourages the parties to resolve this case, or at least as many issues as they can, prior to further proceedings before the Commission.

Based on the foregoing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. This case is held in abeyance for 120 days from the date of this Order.

2. Within 60 days of the date of this Order, AT&T Kentucky shall file a status report with the Commission apprising the Commission of the status of the proposed resolution.

3. Within 90 days of the date of this Order, the AT&T Kentucky shall file a second status report with the Commission apprising the Commission of the status of the proposed resolution.

5. Within 120 days of the date of this Order, AT&T Kentucky shall file a final status report, and if no resolution has been reached the Commission shall issue an amended procedural schedule to be followed by the parties.

By the Commission

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