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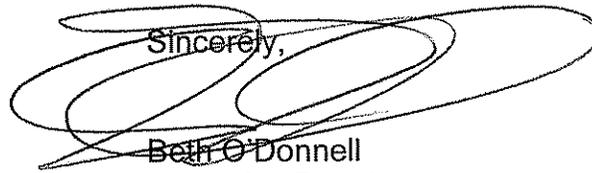
RE: AT&T and BellSouth Joint Petition for Confidential Treatment  
Case No. 2006-00136

Gentlemen:

The Commission has reviewed your petition filed May 5, 2006, to protect as confidential the responses and documents produced by AT&T and BellSouth to Request Nos. 1(a), 11, 23, 25, 30 and 37 of the Attorney General's Initial Data Request. A review of the information has determined that it is entitled to the protection requested on the grounds relied upon in the petition, and it will be withheld from public inspection.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, you are required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7(9)(a), to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

Sincerely,



Beth O'Donnell  
Executive Director

cc: Parties of Record