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Ms. Beth O'Donnell Executive Director Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard P. O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602

Re:

Petition by AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC and TCG Ohio, Inc., for Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of a Proposed Interconnection Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 252

PSC 2004-00234

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

This letter is written jointly on behalf of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC, and TCG Ohio, Inc., to request a continuation of the postponement of the filing and hearing dates in their arbitration case. The FCC's issuance of its Interim Rules has impacted some of the issues in the arbitration and continuing to hold the case in abeyance will allow the parties more time to negotiate an agreement and to consider further the impact of the FCC's Interim Rules. The parties will keep the Commission apprised of the status of the negotiations.

The parties appreciate the Commission's consideration of this request for an additional postponement of this arbitration.

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are the original and ten (10) copies of this letter.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Parties of Record

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