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Hon. Mary K. Keyer
AT&T Kentucky
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Dear Mary,

When we last spoke at the Kentucky Public Service Commission on September 11, 2008, AT&T made it clear they were not opposed to provisioning commingled elements for SouthEast Telephone, and that they only needed to develop a process. AT&T also stated that an interim solution would take about eight (8) weeks and a permanent solution could take as long as a year. October 30th will have been seven (7) weeks since the informal conference. Add the two (2) weeks before the conference that the AT&T team were working on the process and it would bring us past the two (2) months AT&T stated it would take for an interim solution.

Since this conference, Wally Justice from SouthEast Telephone has sent e-mails weekly to Cathy Crosswhite from AT&T requesting an update on when this interim solution would be in place. Mr. Justice has not received any kind of response. Last week on October 23, 2008, the estimated eight (8) week window for the interim solution ended. It has now been almost seven (7) weeks since the Informal Conference and SouthEast has yet to receive any update from AT&T. As expressed at the Informal Conference, AT&T was ordered to begin providing commingled elements on December 12, 2007 and SouthEast then signed the conforming amendment on May 9, 2008. It is not unreasonable to expect periodic updates development of the commingling process. SouthEast respectfully requests AT&T to provide SouthEast with an update stating when the interim solution for ordering commingled elements will be in place.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact me at your convenience. We look forward to receiving your response.

Sincerely,



Beth Bowersock
In House Counsel
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cc: Kentucky Public Service Commission
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