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Jeffrey DeRouen
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Kentucky Public Service Commission
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RE: PSC Case No. 2010-00444—Motion to Abate

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Enclosed for filing in this case please find an original and ten copies of a Joint Motion to Abate. I am signing the Motion on behalf of both parties and with permission of Mary K. Keyer of AT&T-Kentucky. Please place your file stamp on the extra copy and return to me via our runner.

If you have any questions concerning this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Douglas F. Brent

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Chris Malish Mary K. Keyer

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## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION RECEIVED

In the meeticu of	APR <b>1 2 2012</b>
In the matter of:	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
NEXUS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	COMiMUSSION
COMPLAINANT,	GAGE NO
v. )	CASE NO. 2010-00444
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. ) D/B/A AT&T KENTUCKY	
DEFENDANT.	

## JOINT MOTION TO ABATE

Pursuant to an agreement between the parties and their joint status report filed in this case on November 14, 2011, Nexus Communications, Inc. and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Kentucky file this joint motion to abate the proceedings regarding the instant matter before the Commission pending a Commission order on the merits in Case Nos. 2010-00023, 2010-00026, and 2010-00029 currently pending before the Commission.

AT&T Kentucky retains the right to move the Commission to lift the abeyance if Nexus does not pay on a timely basis all amounts billed by AT&T Kentucky without withholding amounts it disputes. During the abatement period, the parties also agree to continue settlement discussions in an effort to resolve the dispute without further intervention of the Commission.

WHEREFORE, the parties move the Commission to issue an order placing this case in abeyance pending further notice from the parties that the case should resume before the Commission or that the matter has been resolved.

## Respectfully submitted;

Christopher Malish

Admitted per SCR 3.030(2)

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