COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PETITION OF AT&T OF THE SOUTH) CENTRAL STATES, INC. FOR REDUCED) CASE NO. 90-431 REGULATION OF INTRASTATE OPERATIONS)

ORDER

On December 28, 1990, the Commission received a petition from AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. ("AT&T") requesting that the Commission modify its regulation of AT&T and other interexchange carriers. AmeriCall Systems of Louisville and MCI Communications Corporation requested and were granted intervention. On February 11, 1991, the Commission entered an Order holding this proceeding in abeyance until Administrative Case No. 323¹ was finalized because of its potential impact on this proceeding.

The Commission has now determined that intraLATA competition is in the public interest and has by Order granted permanent deviations to the non-dominant interexchange carriers for certain requirements.² Moreover, the 1992 General Assembly enacted Senate Bill 323 which empowers the Commission to grant statutory exemptions to services or products meeting certain criteria.

² Id., May 6, 1991 Order at 55-58.

Administrative Case No. 323, An Inquiry Into IntraLATA Toll Competition, An Appropriate Compensation Scheme for Completion of IntraLATA Calls by Interexchange Carriers, and WATS Jurisdictionality.

The Commission, having considered these recent events and being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that AT&T's petition shall be and hereby is dismissed without prejudice. AT&T may refile its petition providing information and discussing all factors required by Senate Bill 323.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 16th day of April, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Vice Chairman Commissione

ATTEST:

Executive Director, Acting