## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## In the Matter of:

| THE RESALE AGREEMENT NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND US PHONE, INC.   | )<br>)<br>)      | CASE NO. 98-285   |
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| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH<br>TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND<br>ALLIANCE NETWORK, INC.                         | )<br>)<br>)      | CASE NO. 98-243   |
| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH<br>TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND<br>UNICOM COMMUNICATIONS, LLC                     | )<br>)<br>)      | CASE NO. 98-048   |
| THE RESALE AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH<br>TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND<br>USA QUICK PHONE, INC.<br>F/K/A VAST-TEL                 | )<br>)<br>)<br>) | CASE NO. 98-251   |
| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH<br>TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND<br>NETWORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION                  | )<br>)<br>)      | CASE NO. 98-094   |
| THE RESALE AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH<br>TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND<br>TRUSTED NET MEDIA HOLDINGS, LLC                         | )<br>)<br>)      | CASE NO. 98-531   |
| THE RESALE AGREEMENT NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND UNITY ACQUISITION COMPANY, INC. D/B/A UNITY COMMUNICATIONS, INC. | )<br>)<br>)<br>) | CASE NO. 2000-059 |

| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH<br>TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND<br>ESSEX COMMUNICATIONS, INC.<br>D/B/A eLEC COMMUNICATIONS, INC. | ) CASE NO. 2000-203<br>)<br>)<br>) |
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| THE PAGING AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY BELLSOUTH<br>TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND<br>TSR WIRELESS, LLC  | ) CASE NO. 2000-202<br>)<br>)      |
| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY GTE SOUTH<br>INCORPORATED AND TSR WIRELESS LLC   | ) CASE NO. 2000-190<br>)           |
| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY GTE SOUTH<br>INCORPORATED AND WOOD'S<br>PERFORMANCE CENTER, INC.<br>D/B/A CELLPAGE                         | ) CASE NO. 2000-200<br>)<br>)<br>) |
| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY GTE SOUTH<br>INCORPORATED AND GABRIEL<br>COMMUNICATIONS OF KENTUCKY, INC.                                  | ) CASE NO. 2000-205<br>)<br>)      |
| THE RESALE AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY GTE SOUTH<br>INCORPORATED AND SURETEL, INC.   | ) CASE NO. 2000-175<br>)           |
| THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT<br>NEGOTIATED BY CINCINNATI BELL<br>TELEPHONE COMPANY AND GABRIEL<br>COMMUNICATIONS OF KENTUCKY, INC.                       | ) CASE NO. 2000-183<br>)           |

## ORDER

The Commission has reviewed and, for purposes of this Order, has consolidated the captioned cases in which the above-referenced negotiated inter-carrier agreements and amendments to agreements (collectively, "Agreements") have been filed within the previous 90 days. The Agreements were negotiated pursuant to the

Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. Sections 251 and 252. The Commission finds that no portion of any such Agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to it. The Commission also finds that the implementation of the Agreements is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

Signatories to these agreements must comply with all relevant Commission mandates for serving in this Commonwealth.

The Commission, having been otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

- 1. The Agreements are approved.
- 2. Each telecommunications carrier that is signatory to an Agreement approved by this Order shall, if it has not already done so, file its tariff prior to providing service, giving 30 days' notice to the Commission.
- 3. Each telecommunications carrier that is party to an agreement enumerated in this Order shall comply with all Commission regulations and orders as directed.
- 4. Within 10 days of the date of this Order, each incumbent local exchange carrier who is party to an agreement approved herein shall file with the Commission a true and complete copy of such agreement or agreements in Microsoft® Word 97 format on 3.5-inch high-density diskette.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2000.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director