

March 6, 2001

Mr. Thomas M. Dorman
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
P. O. Box 615
Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: Petition by AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. and TCG Ohio for Arbitration of Certain Terms and conditions of a proposed Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 252 Docket No. 2000-465

Dear Mr. Dorman:

On February 26, 2001 the hearing was held in the AT&T and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. arbitration case. At the conclusion of the hearing, the parties jointly agreed to a schedule, which provides for each to file post-hearing briefs on April 16 and for the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") to render its decision on May 16. The parties made this agreement with the concurrence of the Commission Staff who were present at the hearing and the Hearing Officer.

The parties understand that the agreed upon decision date extends beyond the statutory timeframe specified in the Telecommunications Act of 1996. The parties assert that they proposed and agree to this schedule and waive any complaint either may have concerning the timing of the Commission's decision under this schedule.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the electronic version of this filing made with the Commission this 6th day of March 2001 is a true and accurate copy of the documents filed herewith in paper form, that the electronic version of the filing has been transmitted to the Commission and that the Commission and AT&T have been notified by electronic mail that the electronic version of this document has been transmitted to the Commission.

I also certify that a copy of the foregoing was served on the individuals on the Service List by mailing a copy thereof, this 6th day of March 2001.

Creighton E. Mershon, Sr.