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April 20, 2010

VIA UPS GROUND

Michael J. Shortley, III Vice President and Regional General Counsel NA Global Crossing Local Services, Inc. 225 Kenneth Drive Rochester, NY 14623

Re: Interconnection Agreement between AT&T Operations, Inc.¹ ("AT&T") and Global Crossing Local Services, Inc. d/b/a Nations Tel and Interconnection Agreement between AT&T and Global Crossing Telemanagement, Inc. (collectively referred to as "Global Crossing") in the State of Missouri

Dear Mr. Shortley:

This is to acknowledge Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Missouri's receipt, on March 31, 2010, of your March 30, 2010, letter requesting negotiation of a successor interconnection agreement with AT&T Missouri, pursuant to Section 252(a)(1) of the federal Telecommunications Act ("the Act"). Based on AT&T Missouri's receipt of Global Crossing's request, Day 1 of the negotiations window is April 01, 2010. Days 135 and 160 are August 13 and September 07, 2010, respectively.

You also state in your March 30 letter that "Global Crossing is interested, in the context of such negotiations, to explore the possibility of porting, for the State of Missouri, the Global Crossing-BellSouth agreement currently in effect." As you know, however, AT&T/BellSouth Merger Commitment 7.1, is the lone basis on which Global Crossing would be able to request such a port, as the matter is not a duty or requirement imposed by Sections 251/252 of the Act. Accordingly, any communications between AT&T Missouri and Global Crossing regarding the subject of porting will not be "in the context of such negotiations," as your letter suggests, but rather will be separate and apart from our negotiations under the Act. If Global Crossing does wish to request a port of an interconnection agreement, it may do so by completing the Merger Commitment request form for porting located at <u>https://clec.att.com/clec/shell.cfm?section=2621</u>. Fax the completed form to 1-800-404-4548. These instructions were previously provided to Mickey Henry in your organization.

Please address any questions or concerns to Ms. Lynn Allen-Flood, who can be reached at 404-927-1376.

Sincerely,

Notices Manager

¹ Denotes one or more AT&T ILECs Illinois Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Illinois; Indiana Bell Telephone Company Incorporated d/b/a AT&T Indiana; Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Michigan; Nevada Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Nevada and AT&T Wholesale; The Ohio Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Ohio; Pacific Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T California; The Southern New England Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Connecticut and Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Arkansas, AT&T Kansas, AT&T Missouri, AT&T Oklahoma and/or AT&T Texas, and Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Wisconsin as applicable.