

BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a SBC Missouri's
Petition for Compulsory Arbitration of Unresolved Issues
for a Successor Interconnection Agreement to the
Missouri 271 Agreement ("M2A")

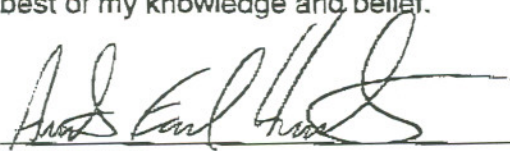
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) Case No. TO-2005-0336
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AFFIDAVIT OF EARL HURTER

STATE OF Illinois)
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COUNTY OF Cook) SS

I, Earl Hurter, of lawful age, being duly sworn, depose and state:

1. My name is Earl Hurter. I am Senior Manager—Central Line Cost Management for MCI.
2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my direct testimony.
3. I hereby swear and affirm that my answers contained in the attached testimony to the questions therein propounded are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



Earl Hurter

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 10th day of May, 2005



Notary Public

