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Company, LLC  
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BIG RIVER TELEPHONE COMPANY, LLC

SURREBUTTAL TESTIMONY

OF

JOHN JENNINGS

TC-2007-0085

August 27, 2007

STATE OF Missouri )  
 )  
COUNTY OF St. Louis Co ) SS.

BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BIG RIVER TELEPHONE )  
COMPANY, LLC, )  
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Complainant, )  
 )  
V. ) Case No. TC-2007-0085  
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SOUTHWESTERN BELL )  
TELEPHONE, L.P. D/B/A )  
AT&T MISSOURI, )  
 )  
Respondent. )


**AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN JENNINGS**

COMES NOW John Jennings, of lawful age, sound of mind and being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

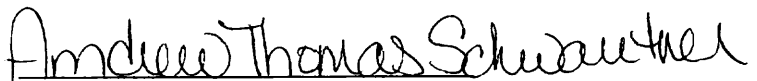
1. My name is John Jennings. I am the Chief Financial Officer for Big River Telephone Company, LLC.

2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my Surrebuttal Testimony in the above-referenced case.

3. I hereby swear and affirm that my statements contained in the attached testimony are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

  
John Jennings

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me, a Notary Public, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2007.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 5/31/2010  
(SEAL)

ANDREW THOMAS SCHWANTNER  
Notary Public - Notary Seal  
STATE OF MISSOURI  
Jefferson County  
Commission #06893876  
My Commission Expires 5 / 31 / 2010

**PRE-FILED SURREBUTTAL TESTIMONY  
OF  
JOHN JENNINGS**

1   **Q.     Please state your name.**

2   A.     John Jennings

3   **Q.     Are you the same John Jennings who submitted direct testimony in this case?**

4   A.     Yes.

5   **Q.     What is the purpose of your surrebuttal testimony?**

6   A.     I am responding to various statements made in rebuttal testimony by AT&T and Staff  
7           witnesses.

8   **Q.     Have you reviewed Ms. Josephson's and Mr. White's testimony regarding your  
9           various conversations and communications with them?**

10  A.     Yes.

11  **Q.     Does their testimony cause you to revise any of your direct testimony?**

12  A.     No. I have accurately described my discussions with AT&T representatives. I  
13           specifically recall the conversations that I describe in my direct testimony. I would note  
14           that both Ms. Josephson and Mr. White appear to misunderstand at least part of my  
15           testimony. At page 3 of my direct, I testify as to what I said to AT&T representatives  
16           during those dispute resolution discussions in June of 2006. As I stated in my direct  
17           testimony, I reminded Mr. Gilmore and Ms. Josephson on that call that we, meaning  
18           Big River, had previously advised AT&T of our concerns. I did not say that I had

1 personally conveyed Big River's concerns during the LWC negotiations and did not  
2 state nor imply, then or in my direct testimony, that I personally raised those concerns  
3 or received those assurances.

4 **Q. Does that conclude your surrebuttal testimony?**

5 A. Yes.