OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company,)
	Complainant,)
V.) <u>Case No. IC-2008-0285</u>
AT&T Corporation)
	Respondent.)

ORDER MODIFYING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: October 9, 2008 Effective Date: October 9, 2008

On October 8, 2008, Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company filed a motion asking the Commission to modify the procedural schedule for this case. NE Rural explains that the modification is needed to allow the parties additional time to negotiate before filing testimony. The motion represents that the other parties, AT&T Corporation, the Office of the Public Counsel, and the Staff of the Commission, agree to the proposed modification of the procedural schedule. Since all parties accept the proposed modification to the procedural schedule, the Commission will grant NE Rural's motion.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The following modified procedural schedule is established:

Direct Testimony – Northeast - October 29, 2008

Rebuttal Testimony – AT&T - December 1, 2008¹

Rebuttal Testimony – Staff (OPC) - December 29, 2008

Surrebuttal Testimony – Northeast Cross-Surrebuttal Testimony - AT&T And Staff (OPC)

January 15, 2009

List of Issues, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, Order of Opening

January 20, 2009²

Statements of Position - January 23, 2009³

Hearing - January 28-30, 2009, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

2. The hearing will be held at the Commission's office at the Governor Office Building, Room 310, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri. This building meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you need additional accommodations to participate in this hearing, please call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.

¹ The motion calls for rebuttal testimony to be filed on November 28, but that is the day after Thanksgiving and state offices will be closed. Therefore, the filing date has been moved to the following Monday.

² The motion calls for the list of issues to be filed on January 18. That is a Sunday. Monday the 19th is Martin Luther King Holiday. Therefore, the filing date has been moved to Tuesday, January 20.

³ Because the filing date for the list of issues was moved to January 20, this date was moved back a day to January 23.

3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 9th day of October, 2008.