

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Southwestern)
Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri,)
for Review and Reversal of North American) **File No. IO-2009-0451**
Number Plan Thousands-Block Pooling)
Administrator's Decision to Withhold Numbering)
Resources)

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, ESTABLISHING TIME FOR FILING REQUESTS TO INTERVENE, ESTABLISHING TIME FOR FILING RECOMMENDATIONS, AND GRANTING MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT

Issue Date: July 2, 2009

Effective Date: July 2, 2009

This order directs that notice of this case be sent to all certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications companies in the state of Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator. The order also establishes dates for the filing of requests to intervene, for the filing of recommendations, and granting the motion for expedited treatment.

On June 30, 2009, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri, filed an application under 47 C.F.R. 52.15(g)(3)(iv) requesting that the Commission review and reverse a decision of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc., to withhold certain numbering resources from AT&T Missouri in the form of one block of 1,000 numbers from which 700 consecutive numbers may be drawn, such that the numbers are within (1) the 314 NPA; (2) the St. Louis rate center (STLSMO01DSA); (3) an NXX other than 923; and (4) the XXXX range of 6000 through 6699 to service the needs of HealthLink, Inc. in St. Louis, Missouri. AT&T Missouri indicated that if the requested numbering

resources were not available, they request numbering resources within the XXXX blocks of 2XXX, 5XXX, or 8XXX, and that those numbers conform to the remaining numbering resource needs set forth in items (1) through (3) above. The numbering resources are required in order to meet HealthLink's relocation needs for suitable numbering resources at its new address.

AT&T Missouri has requested expedited treatment and has requested the Commission act on the request within thirty (30) business days. AT&T Missouri noted that although HealthLink's relocation plans call for number activation by November 6, 2009, HealthLink would like to know as far in advance as possible the outcome of this request in order to timely file a new request with NANPA if necessary.

The Commission concludes that good cause has been shown pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.080(16). The Commission finds that proper persons should be allowed to file a request for intervention or a motion for hearing. Therefore, the Commission will set a time for interventions as directed below. The Commission will also direct its Data Center to send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications company in Missouri. In addition, the Data Center shall send a copy of this order to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

The Commission will also direct its Staff to file a recommendation and will establish a date by which any other party wishing to respond must file a recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri's Motion for Expedited Treatment, is granted.

2. The Data Center shall send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications company in Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

3. Any party wishing to intervene or to request a hearing shall do so by filing an appropriate pleading no later than July 13, 2009, with:

Colleen M. Dale, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

and send copies to:

Robert J. Gryzmala
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company
d/b/a AT&T Missouri
One AT&T Center, Room 3516
St. Louis, Missouri 63101

and:

Office of the Public Counsel
Post Office Box 2230
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

4. The Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation regarding Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri's application no later than July 13, 2009.

5. Any other party that wishes to file a recommendation regarding Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri's application shall do so no later than July 13, 2009.

6. This order shall become effective on July 1, 2009.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 2nd day of July, 2009.