STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION JEFFERSON CITY March 11, 1998

CASE NO: TO-98-115

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Enclosed find certified copy of ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

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STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 11th day of March, 1998.

In the Matter of AT&T Communications of the)
Southwest, Inc.'s Petition for Second Compulsory)
Arbitration Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the) <u>Case No. TO-98-115</u>
Telecommunications Act of 1996 to Establish an)
Interconnection Agreement with Southwestern Bell)
Telephone Company.)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION

On March 4, 1998, AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. and Southwestern Bell Telephone Company filed a signed interconnection agreement to implement the Commission's order of December 23, 1997. The Commission has determined that the Staff should file a Memorandum recommending approval or rejection of the agreement by March 17, 1998.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a Memorandum by March 17, 1998, that recommends approval or rejection of the agreement filed on March 4, 1998, by AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. and Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.
 - 2. That this order shall become effective on March 11, 1998.

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Lumpe, Ch., Crumpton, Drainer and Murray, CC., concur.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Randles, Regulatory Law Judge

ALJ/Secy: Roull-s/Pope
3-10 To-98-115 Date Circulated CASE NO.
Lumpe, Chair
Crumpton, Commissioner
Murray, Commissioner
Commissioner
Drainer, Vice-Chair
3-// Agenda Date
Action taken: 4-0A-5
Action taken: 4-0A Must Vote Not Later Than

STATE OF MISSOURI OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,

Missouri, this <u>11th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 1998.

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge