

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Sprint Communications Company, L.P., Sprint)	
Spectrum, L.P., Nextel West Corp., and NPCR,)	
Inc.,)	
)	
Complainants,)	
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v.)	<u>Case No. TC-2008-0182</u>
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)	
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company,)	
d/b/a AT&T Missouri,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER APPOINTING MEDIATOR

Issue Date: January 22, 2008

Effective Date: January 22, 2008

On November 28, 2007, Sprint Communications Company, L.P., Sprint Spectrum, L.P., Nextel West Corp., and NPCR, Inc., filed a complaint against Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri. On January 4, 2008, AT&T Missouri requested mediation, to which Sprint consented on January 17. Therefore, as permitted by Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.125, the Commission will stay all other proceedings in this matter while the parties mediate.

Pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.125(2), the Commission hereby appoints Morris Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, as Mediator. The assigned mediator shall convene an initial conference to discuss a procedural schedule, and each party should be prepared to present its position informally to the Mediator at the initial conference. **No materials utilized for mediation shall be filed under this case number**

to ensure the impartiality of the Presiding Officer and the Commission should mediation fail to resolve the dispute.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. This case is stayed pending the outcome of mediation, which shall be conducted by Morris Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge.
2. This order shall become effective on January 22, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', is written over a faint, circular official seal.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority under
Section 386.240, RSMo, 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 22nd day of January, 2008.