

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of AT&T Communications of the     )  
Southwest, Inc.'s Proposed Tariff to Establish a     ) **Case No. TT-2002-129, et al.**  
Monthly Instate Connection Fee and Surcharge     )

**ORDER ESTABLISHING PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Issue Date: May 24, 2005

Effective Date: May 24, 2005

On May 23, 2005, AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc., filed a Motion for Protective Order. In its motion, AT&T indicates that a protective order is necessary to facilitate the exchange of highly confidential and proprietary information. AT&T requests that the Commission issue its standard protective order to establish the manner in which such information should be handled.

Upon review of AT&T's motion, the Commission finds that there is a need to protect confidential information and that the request for a protective order is reasonable. Therefore, a protective order should be established.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That the Motion for Protective Order filed by AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc., is granted and the protective order attached to this order (Attachment A) is adopted.

2. That this order shall become effective on May 24, 2005.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 24th day of May, 2005.