BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Advance Notice of Merger of AT&T Corp. Changing Name to AT&T Enterprise, Inc.

File No. DN-2024-0273

File No. TN-2024-0272 Tracking Nos. JC-2024-0135

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), through the undersigned counsel, and hereby respectfully submits this Staff Recommendation.

1. On April 1, 2024, AT&T Enterprises, Corp. ("Company") submitted notice to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") that pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-28.011(4), on and effective May 1, 2024, the Company, a New York corporation properly registered and authorized to do business in the state of Missouri as a foreign corporation, will merge with and into AT&T Enterprises, Inc., a Delaware corporation properly registered and authorized to do business in the state of Missouri as a foreign corporation.

2. Further, the Company states that as a result of the internal corporate restructuring the Company will be merged out of existence and AT&T Enterprises, Inc., will be the surviving entity. Along with its notice, the Company submitted a tariff adoption notice and revised title pages reflecting the new name on May 1, 2024. The Company filed all requisite documentation.

3. Rule 20 CSR 4240-28.011(2) provides that any company with a certificate or registration that changes its name shall provide advance notice to the Commission of the name change and lays out the methods and requirements for such notice.

4. Rule 20 CSR 4240-28.011(4) provides that transactions involving the sale, merger, or consolidation of a company with an existing certificate of service authority or registration do not require commission approval. Commission notice, as described in

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sections (2) and (3) above, applies if the transaction results in a name change or cancellation of a company's existing certificate of service authority or registration.

5. In lieu of a Memorandum, Staff herein states that the Company has complied with the rule. No entities intervened to oppose the name change. The Company is not delinquent in any required filings with the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Staff recommends that the Commission recognize the name change from AT&T Enterprises, Corp. to AT&T Enterprises, Inc.; permit the tariff adoption and revised tariff sheets to take effect; and grant such other and further relief as is just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Ron Irving</u>

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 15th day of April, 2024, to all counsel of record.

/s/ Ron Irving