

STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of the joint requests for Commission)
approval of interconnection agreements and)
amendments.)
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At the August 12, 2008 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing,
Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. Orjiakor N. Isiogu, Chairman
Hon. Monica Martinez, Commissioner
Hon. Steven A. Transeth, Commissioner

ORDER

The following parties have filed joint applications for approval of interconnection agreements
and amendments:

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| Case No. U-12954 | AT&T Michigan and Buckeye Telesystem, Inc.
Application filed June 24, 2008 and amended application filed
July 21, 2008 for approval of a tenth amendment to an intercon-
nection agreement (replaces existing performance measures and
adds a new Performance Remedy Plan Appendix). |
| Case No. U-15219 | AT&T Michigan and Climax Telephone Company
Application filed July 25, 2008 for approval of a fourth amendment
to an interconnection agreement (establishes and clarifies rates for
DS1 loops, DS1 Transport, and DS1 EELs). |
| Case No. U-15314 | AT&T Michigan and Bright House Networks Information Services
(Michigan), LLC
Application filed July 25, 2008 for approval of a ninth amendment to
an interconnection agreement (revises definition of “business lines”). |

47 USC 252(e)(2) and (3) provide in part:

- (2) The State commission may only reject
 - (A) an agreement (or any portion thereof) adopted by negotiation under subsection (a) of this section if it finds that--
 - (i) the agreement (or portion thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement; or
 - (ii) the implementation of such agreement or portion is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity;
 - ...
- (3) Notwithstanding paragraph (2), but subject to section 253 of this title, nothing in this section shall prohibit a State commission from establishing or enforcing other requirements of State law in its review of an agreement, including requiring compliance with intrastate telecommunications service quality standards or requirements.

After reviewing the applications, agreements, and amendments, the Commission finds that it should approve the applications. The Commission finds that the agreements and amendments are consistent with federal and state law and are in the public interest. Under 47 USC 252(i) and MCL 484.2359(2), the services provided under the agreements shall be made available to other telecommunications carriers upon the same terms and conditions.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- A. The interconnection agreements and amendments listed above are approved.
- B. Approval of the interconnection agreements and amendments does not alter the duty of the parties to comply with relevant federal and state law and past and future Commission orders and rules.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

Any party aggrieved by this order may file an action in the appropriate federal District Court pursuant to 47 USC 252(e)(6).

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Orjiakor N. Isiogu, Chairman

Monica Martinez, Commissioner

Steven A. Transeth, Commissioner

By its action of August 12, 2008.

Mary Jo Kunkle, Executive Secretary

P R O O F O F S E R V I C E

STATE OF MICHIGAN)

Case No. U-12954

County of Ingham)

April M. Arman being duly sworn, deposes and says that on August 12, 2008 A.D. she served a copy of the attached Commission order by first class mail, postage prepaid, or by inter-departmental mail to the persons as shown on the attached service list.

April M. Arman

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 12th day of August 2008

Sharron A. Allen
Notary Public, Ingham County, MI
My Commission Expires August 16, 2011

SERVICE LIST FOR DOCKET # U - 12954-
DATE OF PREPARATION: 08/12/2008

CASE #

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