

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

January 2, 2008

IN RE:

BELLSOUTH'S PETITION TO ESTABLISH GENERIC
DOCKET TO CONSIDER AMENDMENTS TO
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENTS RESULTING
FROM CHANGES OF LAW

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DOCKET NO.
04-00381

ORDER GRANTING PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

This matter came before the Hearing Officer to consider the *Petition for Reconsideration* ("Petition") filed by the Competitive Carriers of the South, Inc. ("CompSouth"). On November 28, 2007, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority" or "TRA") issued its *Order* memorializing the decisions of the Authority in this docket. On December 13, 2007, CompSouth filed its *Petition* seeking reconsideration of the Authority's decision regarding Issue No. 14.

At a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on December 27, 2007, the panel assigned to this docket, Chairman Eddie Roberson, Director Sara Kyle and Director Ron Jones,¹ by a 2 to 1 vote, appointed General Counsel or his designee to serve as Hearing Officer to consider the request for reconsideration and, if granted, to prepare the matter for the panel to hear the request on the merits.

After reviewing the *Petition*, the Hearing Officer hereby grants the *Petition* and sets January 15, 2008 as the date by which AT&T must file a response to the merits of the Petition.

¹ Director Jones did not vote with the majority.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

The Petition for Reconsideration is hereby granted, the merits of which the Authority will determine at a later date.

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Gary Hotvedt
Hearing Officer