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Hon. Sara Kyle, Chairman  
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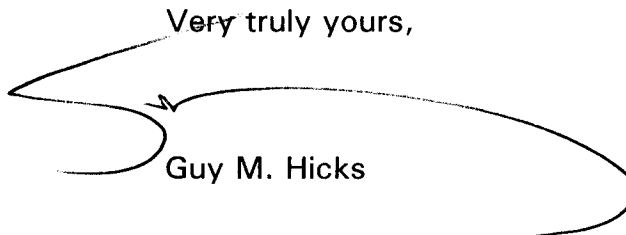
Re: *Petition of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC for Arbitration of Certain Terms And Conditions of Proposed Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Concerning Interconnection and Resale Under the Telecommunications Act of 1996*  
Docket No. 05-00231

Dear Chairman Kyle:

Enclosed are the original and four paper copies of the *Joint Motion for Postponement of Hearing* in the referenced matter.

A copy is being provided to counsel of record.

Very truly yours,



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**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
Nashville, Tennessee**

In Re:        *Petition of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC for Arbitration of Certain Terms And Conditions of Proposed Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Concerning Interconnection and Resale Under the Telecommunications Act of 1996*

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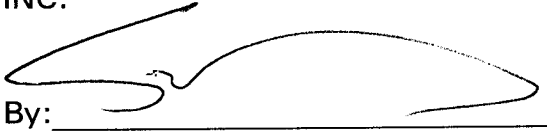
**JOINT MOTION FOR POSTPONEMENT OF HEARING**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services ("Verizon Access") jointly move for the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority") to postpone the hearing in this arbitration proceeding currently scheduled to commence on July 12, 2006. The parties request the postponement because they have reached agreement on the resolution of all outstanding issues and are in the process of putting their interconnection agreement in final form. The parties' expectation is that a hearing will not be necessary once the interconnection agreement is finalized; any and all necessary corporate approvals have been obtained; and the interconnection agreement has been submitted to and approved by the Authority.

WHEREFORE, BellSouth and Verizon Access respectfully request that their joint motion be granted.

Respectfully submitted the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2006.

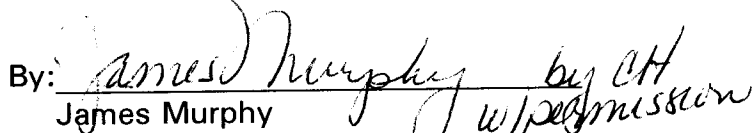
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