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Hon. Ron Jones, Chairman  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37238

Re: *Joint Filing of AT&T Inc. and BellSouth Corporation together with its  
Certificated Tennessee Subsidiaries regarding Change of Control of the  
Operating Authority of BellSouth Corporation's Tennessee Subsidiaries*  
Docket No. 06-00093

Dear Chairman Jones:

Wednesday, the Kentucky Public Service Commission held its hearing on the pending merger of AT&T and BellSouth. The hearing was concluded in one day.

The schedule established by the TRA in this matter reserves time during the week of June 26 for a hearing on this matter in Tennessee. The Joint Petitioners believe, based on the time required for the Kentucky hearing, that the TRA will be able to hear all of the live testimony and cross, as well as argument, in no more than one and a half days, if it indeed wants to hold a formal hearing in this docket. BellSouth and AT&T propose that the TRA plan to use Wednesday and Thursday, June 28 and 29, for the Tennessee hearing. Using these days will avoid any conflict with the one-day hearing that has been set by the Commission in Mississippi on Tuesday, June 27, and will also provide ample time to conclude the hearing in advance of the holiday weekend.

A copy of this letter is being provided to counsel of record.

Very truly yours,



Guy M. Hicks  
BellSouth

cc: Richard Collier, Hearing Officer  
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