

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

October 8, 2008

IN RE:

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE AMENDMENT
TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
D/B/A AT&T TENNESSEE AND BUSINESS TELECOM, INC.

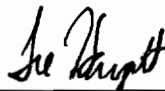
DOCKET NO.
08-00166

ORDER APPROVING AMENDMENT
TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

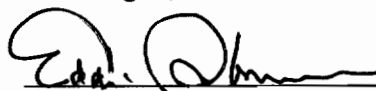
This matter came before Chairman Tre Hargett, Director Eddie Roberson and Director Mary W. Freeman of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on October 6, 2008 to consider the Petition for approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement negotiated between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Tennessee¹ and Business Telecom, Inc. filed on September 5, 2008.²

Based upon a review of the amendment, the record in this matter, and the standards for review set forth in 47 U.S.C. § 252, the Directors made findings consistent with those in the *Order Approving Interconnection Agreement* issued on July 3, 2003 in Docket No. 03-00277 and unanimously granted the Petition.

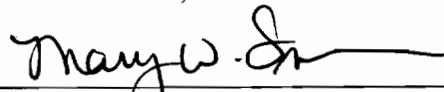
IT IS SO ORDERED.



Tre Hargett, Chairman



Eddie Roberson, Director



Mary W. Freeman, Director

¹ The original interconnection agreement and subsequent amendments were filed with the name BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. A name change to BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Tennessee was approved by the Authority on January 23, 2007 in Docket No. 07-00001.

² The original interconnection agreement was filed and approved in Docket No. 03-00277. Subsequent amendments were filed and approved in Docket Nos. 04-00065, 04-00295, 05-00131, 05-00318 and 06-00008.