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TRA Hears AT&T Market Regulation Petition

NASHVILLE, Tenn. –

The Tennessee Regulatory Authority (“TRA”) will be holding a Hearing on August 23, 2010 to consider the petition of AT&T Tennessee (“AT&T”) to extend its market regulation to certain rural exchanges in Tennessee. The Hearing is being held for the purpose of receiving public comment regarding the Petition. Each party will present a five minute summary of its position and the parties’ witnesses will be available for questions from TRA Directors.

Under the Market Regulation Act of 2009, a telecommunications service provider meeting the requirements of Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-5-109 may elect to operate under market regulation, which means that the provider is exempt from all TRA regulation that is not preserved in the Act and is not subject to state regulation of retail pricing or operations, except under certain narrow exceptions in the Act. The Petition filed with the TRA is a part of AT&T’s continuing effort to move its customers to market regulation.

The Hearing on AT&T’s Petition is set during the Authority Conference on August 23, 2010 scheduled to begin at 1:00 p.m. in the Hearing Room on the Ground Floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee. Chairman Mary W. Freeman, Director Eddie Roberson, and Director Sara Kyle, the voting panel assigned to this docket, will conduct the hearing. The parties to this docket have agreed that the panel may proceed to deliberate the merits of the Petition, without live testimony, based on the pleadings, pre-filed testimony and documentary evidence filed in the record of this matter. Public comment is welcomed. More information about this docket may be found at <http://www.tn.gov/tra/dockets/1000108.htm>

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