

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

January 7, 2013

IN RE:

**PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE AMENDMENT
TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN AT&T TENNESSEE AND US LEC OF
TENNESSEE LLC**

**DOCKET NO.
12-00137**

**ORDER APPROVING AMENDMENT
TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT**

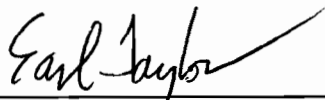
This matter came before Chairman James M. Allison, Director Sara Kyle and Director David F. Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority" or "TRA"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on December 17, 2012. The Directors considered approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement (the "Amendment") negotiated between BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Tennessee and US LEC of Tennessee LLC¹ filed on November 6, 2012.²

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 the Interconnection Agreement* issued on August 24, 2006 in Docket No. 06-00188 and unanimously approved the Amendment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Chairman James M. Allison, Director Sara Kyle and Director David F. Jones concur.

ATTEST:



Earl R. Taylor, Executive Director

¹ A name change to US LEC of Tennessee LLC d/b/a PAETEC Business Services was approved by the Authority, in conjunction with a *pro forma* reorganization, on November 22, 2010 in Docket No. 09-00194.

² The original interconnection agreement was filed and approved in Docket No. 06-00188. Subsequent amendments were filed and approved in Docket Nos. 06-00295, 07-00103 and 08-00107.