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VIA OVERNIGHT COURIER

Hon. David F. Jones, Chairman
Tennessee Public Utility Commission
502 Deaderick Street
Nashville, TN 37238

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Re: *Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by AT&T Tennessee and ACN Communication Services, LLC ("CLEC")*
Docket No. 22-00060

Dear Chairman Jones:

Enclosed for filing in the referenced docket is the original *Petition for Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by AT&T Tennessee and CLEC*. As required, included with this filing is the \$50 filing fee made payable to the Tennessee Public Utility Commission.

In accordance with Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, the Tennessee Public Utility Commission is charged with approving or rejecting the negotiated Amendment between AT&T Tennessee and CLEC within 90 days of its submission. The Act provides that the Tennessee Public Utility Commission may only reject such an amendment if it finds that the amendment or any portion of the amendment discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the amendment or the implementation of the amendment or any portion of the amendment is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity. CLEC and AT&T Tennessee aver that the Amendment is consistent with the standards for approval.

This Amendment modifies certain provisions related to Operations Support Systems (OSS) and/or Data Connection Security Requirements; change its legal name and update Notice Contact Information.

AT&T Tennessee respectfully requests that the Commission approve the Amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

/s/ Sally Briar

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Enclosures

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
Nashville, Tennessee

In re: *Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by AT&T Tennessee and ACN Communication Services, LLC*

Docket No. 22-00060

**PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE AMENDMENT TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT
NEGOTIATED BETWEEN AT&T TENNESSEE AND ACN COMMUNICATION SERVICES, LLC**

AT&T Tennessee ("AT&T") and ACN Communication Services, LLC ("CLEC") file this request for approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement (the "Agreement") negotiated between the two companies pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "Act"). In support of their request, CLEC and AT&T state the following:

1. CLEC and AT&T have negotiated an agreement for interconnection of their networks, the unbundling of specific network elements offered by AT&T and the resale of AT&T's telecommunications services to CLEC.
2. The parties have recently negotiated an amendment to the Agreement. The amendment modifies certain provisions related to Operations Support Systems (OSS) and/or Data Connection Security Requirements; change its legal name and update Notice Contact Information. A copy of the Amendment is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.
3. Pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CLEC and AT&T are submitting their Agreement to the Tennessee Public Utility Commission for its consideration and approval. In accordance with Section 252(e) of the Act, the Tennessee Public

Utility Commission is charged with approving or rejecting the negotiated Amendment to the Agreement between AT&T and CLEC within 90 days of its submission. The Act provides that the Tennessee Public Utility Commission may only reject such an agreement if it finds that the agreement or any portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement or the implementation of the agreement or any portion of the agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

4. CLEC and AT&T aver that the Agreement is consistent with the standards for approval.

5. Pursuant to 47 USC Section 252(i) and 47 C.F.R. Section 51.809, AT&T shall make available the entire Interconnection Agreement approved pursuant to 47 USC Section 252.

CLEC and AT&T respectfully request that the Tennessee Public Utility Commission approve the Amendment to the Agreement negotiated between the parties.

Respectfully submitted,

AT&T TENNESSEE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 29, 2022, a copy of the foregoing document was served on the following, via the method indicated:

- ☐ Hand
- ☐ Mail
- ☐ Facsimile
- ☐ Overnight
- ☒ Electronic

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AMENDMENT**BETWEEN**

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC D/B/A AT&T ALABAMA, AT&T FLORIDA, AT&T GEORGIA, AT&T KENTUCKY, AT&T LOUISIANA, AT&T MISSISSIPPI, AT&T NORTH CAROLINA, AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA AND AT&T TENNESSEE, ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, LLC D/B/A AT&T ILLINOIS, INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY INCORPORATED D/B/A AT&T INDIANA, MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T MICHIGAN, NEVADA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T NEVADA AND AT&T WHOLESALE, THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T OHIO, PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T CALIFORNIA, SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T ARKANSAS, AT&T KANSAS, AT&T MISSOURI, AT&T OKLAHOMA AND AT&T TEXAS, WISCONSIN BELL, INC. D/B/A AT&T WISCONSIN

AND**ACN COMMUNICATION SERVICES, LLC**

Signature: eSigned - Dave StevanovskiSignature: eSigned - Kristen E. ShoreName: eSigned - Dave Stevanovski
(Print or Type)Name: eSigned - Kristen E. Shore
(Print or Type)Title: President
(Print or Type)Title: AVP- Regulatory
(Print or Type)Date: 04 May 2022Date: 04 May 2022**ACN Communication Services, LLC**

BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T ALABAMA, AT&T FLORIDA, AT&T GEORGIA, AT&T KENTUCKY, AT&T LOUISIANA, AT&T MISSISSIPPI, AT&T NORTH CAROLINA, AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA and AT&T TENNESSEE, Illinois Bell Telephone Company, LLC d/b/a AT&T ILLINOIS, Indiana Bell Telephone Company Incorporated d/b/a AT&T INDIANA, Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T MICHIGAN, Nevada Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T NEVADA and AT&T Wholesale, The Ohio Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T OHIO, Pacific Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T CALIFORNIA, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T ARKANSAS, AT&T KANSAS, AT&T MISSOURI, AT&T OKLAHOMA and AT&T TEXAS, Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN by AT&T Services, Inc., its authorized agent

**AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
ACN COMMUNICATION SERVICES, LLC
AND**

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC D/B/A AT&T ALABAMA, AT&T FLORIDA, AT&T GEORGIA, AT&T KENTUCKY, AT&T LOUISIANA, AT&T NORTH CAROLINA, AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA AND AT&T TENNESSEE, ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T ILLINOIS, INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY INCORPORATED D/B/A AT&T INDIANA, MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T MICHIGAN, NEVADA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T NEVADA AND AT&T WHOLESALE, THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T OHIO, PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T CALIFORNIA, SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T ARKANSAS, AT&T KANSAS, AT&T MISSOURI, AT&T OKLAHOMA AND AT&T TEXAS, WISCONSIN BELL, INC. D/B/A AT&T WISCONSIN

This Amendment (the "Amendment") amends the Agreements by and between AT&T and CLEC as shown in the attached Exhibit A.

WHEREAS, AT&T and CLEC are Parties to the Agreements as shown in the attached Exhibit A.

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to modify certain provisions related to Operations Support Systems (OSS) and/or Data Connection Security Requirements; and

WHEREAS, CLEC has changed its legal name and wishes to reflect that name change as set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual agreements set forth herein, the Parties agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

1. The Amendment is composed of the foregoing recitals, the terms and conditions, contained within, all of which are hereby incorporated within this Amendment by this reference and constitute a part of this Amendment.
2. The Agreements are hereby amended to reflect the corrected CLEC name as shown in Exhibit A.
3. For the States of Illinois, Indiana, Nevada, Ohio and Wisconsin, the Parties agree to replace Section 9.1 from the OSS Resale & UNE Appendix with the following language:

9.0 Data Connection Security Requirements

9.1 CLEC agrees to comply with AT&T data connection security procedures as set forth on the AT&T CLEC Online website as they may change from time to time, including but not limited to procedures on joint security requirements, information security, user identification and authentication, network monitoring, and software integrity. To the extent there is a conflict between this Amendment's Section 9 and the Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) Operations Support Systems (OSS) Procedures, the CLEC OSS Interconnection Procedures shall govern.

9.1.1 CLEC agrees that the interconnection of CLEC data facilities with AT&T data facilities for access to OSS will be in compliance with AT&T's "Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) Operations Support System Interconnection Procedures" document, which is revised from time to time and posted to the AT&T CLEC Online website.

4. For the States of Arkansas, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas, the Parties agree to replace Section 9.1 from Attachment 27: Access to Operations Support Systems (OSS) with the following language:

9.0 Data Connection Security Requirements

9.1 CLEC agrees to comply with AT&T data connection security procedures as set forth on the AT&T CLEC Online website as they may change from time to time, including but not limited to procedures on joint security requirements, information security, user identification and authentication, network monitoring, and

software integrity. To the extent there is a conflict between this Amendment's Section 9 and the Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) Operations Support Systems (OSS) Procedures, the CLEC OSS Interconnection Procedures shall govern.

9.1.1 CLEC agrees that the interconnection of CLEC data facilities with AT&T data facilities for access to OSS will be in compliance with AT&T's "Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) Operations Support System Interconnection Procedures" document, which is revised from time to time and posted to the AT&T CLEC Online website.

5. For the States of California and Michigan, the Parties agree to replace Section 8.1 from Attachment 9: Access to Operations Support System and Related Functions of the Agreement with the following language:

8. Data Connection Security Requirements

8.1 CLEC agrees to comply with AT&T data connection security procedures as set forth on the AT&T CLEC Online website as they may change from time to time, including but not limited to procedures on joint security requirements, information security, user identification and authentication, network monitoring, and software integrity. To the extent there is a conflict between this Amendment's Section 8 and the Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) Operations Support Systems (OSS) Procedures, the CLEC OSS Interconnection Procedures shall govern.

8.1.1 CLEC agrees that the interconnection of CLEC data facilities with AT&T data facilities for access to OSS will be in compliance with AT&T's "Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) Operations Support System Interconnection Procedures" document, which is revised from time to time and posted to the AT&T CLEC Online website.

6. The Parties agree to replace Section N from the Agreements with the following language:

N. Notices

N.1 Notices given by CLEC to AT&T under this Agreement shall be in writing (unless specifically provided otherwise herein), and unless otherwise expressly required by this Agreement to be delivered to another representative or point of contact, shall be pursuant to at least one of the following methods:

N.1.1 delivered by electronic mail (email).

N.1.2 delivered by facsimile.

N.2 Notices given by AT&T to the CLEC under this Agreement shall be in writing (unless specifically provided otherwise herein), and unless otherwise expressly required by this Agreement to be delivered to another representative or point of contact, shall be pursuant to at least one of the following methods:

N.2.1 delivered by electronic mail (email) provided CLEC has provided such information in Section N.4 below.

N.2.2 delivered by facsimile provided CLEC has provided such information in Section N.4 below.

N.3 Notices will be deemed given as of the earliest of:

N.3.1 the date of actual receipt.

N.3.2 notice by email shall be effective on the date it is officially recorded as delivered by delivery receipt and in the absence of such record of delivery, it shall be presumed to have been delivered on the date sent.

N.3.3 on the date set forth on the confirmation produced by the sending facsimile machine when delivered by facsimile prior to 5:00 p.m. in the recipient's time zone, but the next Business Day when delivered by facsimile at 5:00 p.m. or later in the recipient's time zone.

N.4 Notices will be addressed to the Parties as follows:

NOTICE CONTACT	CLEC CONTACT
NAME/TITLE	John Dunne Carrier Relations Specialist
STREET ADDRESS	1000 Progress Place
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE	Concord, NC 28025
PHONE NUMBER*	(704) 260-3000
FACSIMILE NUMBER	N/A
EMAIL ADDRESS	legalnotices@acninc.com

	AT&T CONTACT
NAME/TITLE	Contract Management ATTN: Notices Manager
FACSIMILE NUMBER	(214) 712-5792
EMAIL ADDRESS	The current email address as provided on AT&T's CLEC Online website

*Informational only and not to be considered as an official notice vehicle under this Section.

N.5 Either Party may unilaterally change its designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number for the receipt of Notices by giving written Notice to the other Party in compliance with this Section N. Unless explicitly stated otherwise, any change to the designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number will replace such information currently on file. Any Notice to change the designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number for the receipt of Notices shall be deemed effective ten (10) calendar days following receipt by the other Party.

N.6 In addition, CLEC agrees that it is responsible for providing AT&T with CLEC's OCN and ACNA numbers for the states in which CLEC is authorized to do business and in which CLEC is requesting that this Agreement apply. In the event that CLEC wants to change and/or add to the OCN and/or ACNA information in the CLEC Profile, CLEC shall send written notice to AT&T to be received at least thirty (30) days prior to the change and/or addition in accordance with this Section N. notice provision; CLEC shall also update its CLEC Profile through the applicable form and/or web-based interface.

N.6.1 CLEC may not order services under a new account and/or subsequent state certification, established in accordance with this Section until thirty (30) days after all information specified in this Section is received from CLEC.

N.6.2 CLEC may be able to place orders for certain services in AT&T without having properly updated the CLEC Profile; however, at any time during the term of this Agreement without additional notice AT&T may at its discretion eliminate such functionality. At such time, if CLEC has not properly updated its CLEC Profile, ordering capabilities will cease, and CLEC will not be able to place orders until thirty (30) days after CLEC has properly updated its CLEC Profile.

N.7 AT&T communicates official information to CLECs via its Accessible Letter, or other applicable, notification processes. These processes involve electronic transmission and/or posting to the AT&T CLEC Online website, inclusive of a variety of subjects including declaration of a force majeure, changes on business processes and policies, and other product/service-related notices not requiring an amendment to this Agreement.

7. This Amendment shall be deemed to revise the terms and provisions of the Agreement only to the extent necessary to give effect to the terms and provisions of this Amendment. In the event of a conflict between the terms and provisions of this Amendment and the terms and provisions of the Agreement (including all incorporated or accompanying Appendices, Addenda, and Exhibits to the Agreement), this Amendment shall govern, provided, however, that the fact that a term or

provision appears in this Amendment but not in the Agreement, or in the Agreement but not in this Amendment, shall not be interpreted as, or deemed grounds for finding, a conflict for purposes of this Amendment.

8. In entering into this Amendment, neither Party waives, and each Party expressly reserves, any rights, remedies or arguments it may have at law or under the intervening law or regulatory change provisions in the underlying Agreement (including intervening law rights asserted by either Party via written notice predating this Amendment) with respect to any orders, decisions, legislation or proceedings and any remands thereof, which the Parties have not yet fully incorporated into this Agreement or which may be the subject of further review.
9. This Amendment shall not modify or extend the Effective Date or Term of the underlying Agreement, but rather, shall be coterminous with such Agreement.
10. EXCEPT AS MODIFIED HEREIN, ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE UNDERLYING AGREEMENT SHALL REMAIN UNCHANGED AND IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.
11. Signatures by all Parties to this Amendment are required to effectuate this Amendment. This Amendment may be executed in counterparts. Each counterpart shall be considered an original and such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same instrument.
12. For Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Missouri, Nevada, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas: This Amendment shall be filed with and is subject to approval by the applicable state Commission and shall become effective ten (10) days following approval by such Commission. For Arkansas: This Amendment shall be filed with the Arkansas Public Service Commission and shall become effective upon filing. For Ohio: Based on the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Rules, the Amendment is effective upon filing and is deemed approved by operation of law on the 91st day after filing. For California: Pursuant to Resolution ALJ 257, this filing will become effective, absent rejection of the Advice Letter by the Commission, upon thirty (30) days after the filing date of the Advice Letter to which this Amendment is appended. For Wisconsin: Pursuant to Wisconsin Statute § 196.40, this Amendment shall become effective ten (10) days after the mailing date of the final order approving this Amendment.

Exhibit A

AT&T ILEC ("AT&T")	CLEC Previous Name with State Utilities Commission	CLEC Corrected Legal Name with State Utilities Commission	Contract Type	Effective Date
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T ALABAMA	ACN Communications Services, LLC	ACN Communication Services, LLC	251/252 Interconnection Agreement	1/17/2004
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T ARKANSAS	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	4/3/2006
Pacific Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T CALIFORNIA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	1/26/2003
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T FLORIDA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	6/11/2003
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T GEORGIA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	6/11/2003
Illinois Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T ILLINOIS	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	10/8/2003
Indiana Bell Telephone Company Incorporated d/b/a AT&T INDIANA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	12/28/2005
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T KANSAS	ACN Communications Services, LLC	ACN Communication Services, LLC	251/252 Interconnection Agreement	10/24/2005
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T KENTUCKY	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	1/17/2004

AT&T ILEC ("AT&T")	CLEC Previous Name with State Utilities Commission	CLEC Corrected Legal Name with State Utilities Commission	Contract Type	Effective Date
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T LOUISIANA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	1/17/2004
Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T MICHIGAN	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	12/16/2002
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T MISSISSIPPI	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Resale Agreement	11/16/2005
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T MISSOURI	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	8/22/2005
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T NORTH CAROLINA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	6/11/2003
Nevada Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T NEVADA and AT&T Wholesale	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	3/11/2004
The Ohio Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T OHIO	ACN Communication Services, Inc.	ACN Communication Services, LLC	251/252 Interconnection Agreement	11/12/2002
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T OKLAHOMA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	12/28/2009
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	1/17/2004
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T TENNESSEE	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	6/11/2003

AT&T ILEC ("AT&T")	CLEC Previous Name with State Utilities Commission	CLEC Corrected Legal Name with State Utilities Commission	Contract Type	Effective Date
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T TEXAS	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	9/22/2005
Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN	ACN Communication Services, LLC		251/252 Interconnection Agreement	2/19/2004