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Re: Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by AT&T

Tennessee and Wide Voice, LLC ("CLEC")

Docket No. 25-00062

#### Chairman:

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 establishes the CLEC will be providing interconnection to the PSTN on behalf of one or more interconnected VoIP providers.

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 Wide Voice, LLC

Docket No. 25-00062

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE AMENDMENT TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT
NEGOTIATED BETWEEN AT&T TENNESSEE AND WIDE VOICE, LLC

AT&T Tennessee ("AT&T") and Wide Voice, 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 establishes the CLEC will be providing interconnection to the PSTN on behalf of one or more interconnected VoIP providers. 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

By: /s/ Sally Briar

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

, ,	2025, a copy of the foregoing document was served
on the following, via the method indicated	
[ ] Hand [ ] Mail [ ] Facsimile	Wide Voice, LLC Tandy DeCosta Director of Telephony Services
[ ] Overnight	410 South Rampart, Suite 390
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	/s/ Sally Briar
	Sally Briar

Contract Id: 5234311

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## **AMENDMENT**

#### **BETWEEN**

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC D/B/A AT&T KENTUCKY, AT&T LOUISIANA, AT&T MISSISSIPPI, AT&T NORTH CAROLINA, AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA AND AT&T TENNESSEE, SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, LLC D/B/A AT&T OKLAHOMA

**AND** 

WIDE VOICE, LLC

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Signature: j	eSigned - Tandy DeCosta	Signature:	eSigned - Kristen E. Shore
Name:	eSigned - Tandy DeCosta	Name:	eSigned - Kristen E. Shore
	(Print or Type)		(Print or Type)
Title:	Director of Telephony Services (Print or Type)	Title:	AVP- Regulatory (Print or Type)
Date:	11 Aug 2025	Date:	11 Aug 2025

Wide Voice, LLC

BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T KENTUCKY, AT&T LOUISIANA, AT&T MISSISSIPPI, AT&T NORTH CAROLINA, AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA and AT&T TENNESSEE, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, LLC d/b/a AT&T OKLAHOMA by AT&T Services, Inc., its authorized agent

State	Resale OCN	ULEC OCN	CLEC OCN
OKLAHOMA			878H
TENNESSEE			490H

Description	ACNA Code(s)	
ACNA(s)	WVI	

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# AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN WIDE VOICE, LLC AND

# BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC D/B/A AT&T KENTUCKY, AT&T LOUISIANA, AT& MISSISSIPPI, AT&T NORTH CAROLINA, AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA AND AT&T TENNESSE, SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, LLC D/B/A AT&T OKLAHOMA

This Amendment (the "Amendment") amends the Interconnection Agreements by and between BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T KENTUCKY, AT&T LOUISIANA, AT&T MISSISSIPPI, AT&T NORTH CAROLINA, AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA and AT&T TENNESSEE, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, LLC d/b/a AT&T OKLAHOMA ("AT&T") and Wide Voice, LLC ("CLEC"). AT&T and CLEC are hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties" and individually as a "Party".

WHEREAS, AT&T and CLEC are parties to an Interconnection Agreements under Sections 251 and 252 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), as listed in Exhibit A (the "Agreements"); and

WHEREAS, CLEC will be providing interconnection to the PSTN on behalf of one or more interconnected VoIP providers ("IVP") in connection with the 2015 VoIP Number Access Order approved by the FCC in WC Docket No. 13-97; Numbering Policies for Modern Communications. As such, CLEC will be delivering traffic to and receiving traffic from AT&T on behalf of one or more IVPs; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement, pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Act, to include certain provisions relating to WC Docket No. 13-97 approved by the FCC.

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

- 1. The Recitals are incorporated into this Amendment.
- 2. "Interconnected VoIP Provider" or "IVP" as used in this Agreement is an entity as set forth in the Preamble that provides interconnected VoIP service as that term is defined in 47 U.S.C. § 153(57).
- 3. AT&T and CLEC will interconnect, exchange traffic and maintain compensation for traffic originated by or destined for an IVP as if it were traffic to or from CLEC's end users as provided for in the Agreement.
- 4. AT&T-21STATE shall route such IVP traffic destined for CLEC's directly connected end office as defined in the LERG, and CLEC shall be responsible, including financially, for any such traffic. AT&T-21STATE shall not be responsible for any misuse of CLEC's codes by IVP in the LERG.
- 5. By agreeing to exchange traffic pursuant to this Agreement, neither Party waives and each Party expressly reserves its respective advocacy positions regarding the appropriate means of interconnection, traffic exchange and intercarrier compensation for traffic exchanged between the Parties.
- 6. EXCEPT AS MODIFIED HEREIN, ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE UNDERLYING AGREEMENT SHALL REMAIN UNCHANGED AND IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.
- 7. 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.
- 8. This Amendment shall not modify or extend the Effective Date or Term of the underlying Agreement, but rather, shall be coterminous with such Agreement.
- 9. This Amendment shall be filed with and is subject to approval by the State Commission and shall become effective ten (10) days following approval by such Commission ("Amendment Effective Date").

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#### Exhibit A

AT&T ILEC	CLEC Legal Name	Contract Type	Approval Date
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T KENTUCKY	Wide Voice, LLC	Interconnection	05/25/25
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T LOUISIANA	Wide Voice, LLC	Interconnection	06/06/25
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T MISSISSIPPI	Wide Voice, LLC	Interconnection	03/19/25
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T NORTH CAROLINA	Wide Voice, LLC	Interconnection	05/19/25
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, LLC d/b/a AT&T OKLAHOMA	Wide Voice, LLC	Interconnection	04/15/25
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T SOUTH CAROLINA	Wide Voice, LLC	Interconnection	03/13/25
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T TENNESSEE	Wide Voice, LLC	Interconnection	04/20/25