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Dale Hardy Roberts  
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
P.O. Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Re: Case No. TO-2000-667

Dear Judge Roberts:

Attached for filing with the Commission is the original and eight (8) copies of AT&T Communications of the Southwest Inc.'s Notice of Withdrawal in the above-referenced case.

I thank you in advance for bringing this matter to the attention of the Commission.

Sincerely,

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Attachment

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Investigation into the )  
Effective Availability for Resale of South- )  
western Bell Telephone Company's Local Plus )  
Service by Interexchange Companies and )  
Facilities-Based Competitive Local Exchange )  
Companies )

Missouri Public  
Service Commission

Case No. TO-2000-667

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

COMES NOW AT&T Communications of the Southwest Incorporated ("AT&T") and hereby withdraws as a party to the above-captioned proceeding. AT&T is withdrawing at this time due to the present unavailability of its subject matter experts and the consequent restriction in its ability to thoroughly and properly address the issues presented in this matter. AT&T requests that it be permitted to remain on the service list but to otherwise not further participate in this case.

WHEREFORE, AT&T hereby withdraws from further participation in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE BY MAIL**

A true and correct copy of the foregoing in Docket TO-2000-667 was served upon the parties identified on the following service list on this 19<sup>th</sup> Day of October, 2000 by either hand delivery or placing same in a postage paid envelope and depositing in the U.S. Mail.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Kevin Zarling (ja)", is written over a horizontal line.

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