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Missouri Public Service Commission

The Honorable Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street, Suite 100 Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

Re: Case No. TO-2000-667

Dear Judge Roberts:

Enclosed for filing with the Missouri Public Service Commission in the abovereferenced case are an original and eight copies of Motion of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for Additional Time to Respond to MITG's Motion to Declassify.

Please stamp "Filed" on the extra copy and return the copy to me in the enclosed selfaddressed, stamped envelope.

Thank you for bringing this matter to the attention of the Commission.

Very truly yours,

Paul G. Lane

Enclosure

cc: Attorneys of Record

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Investigation into the Effective Ability for Resale of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's Local Plus Service by Interexchange Carriers and Facilities-Based Competitive Local Exchange Companies.

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MOTION OF SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO RESPOND TO MITG'S MOTION TO DECLASSIFY

COMES NOW Southwestern Bell Telephone Company ("Southwestern Bell") and for its Motion for Additional Time to Respond to The Missouri Independent Telephone Group's ("MITG's") Motion to Declassify, states as follows:

1. On November 13, 2000, MITG filed a Motion to Declassify certain information which Southwestern Bell classified as proprietary or highly confidential in responding to discovery requests from MITG.

2. Under the terms of the standard protective order, which the Commission has entered in this case, responses to Motions to Declassify are to be filed within five days after the filing of the Motion. Southwestern Bell seeks an additional period of time since the primary attorney responsible for this matter will be out of the office, on vacation, through the time when a response would be due.

3. Southwestern Bell has contacted Craig Johnson, the attorney for MITG, who has advised that he has no objection to an additional week to respond, so long as the response is filed by November 27, 2000.

4. Southwestern Bell will endeavor to file its response prior to November 27, although the pending holiday may make it necessary to file on that date.

WHEREFORE, for all the foregoing reasons, Southwestern Bell respectfully requests the

Commission to issue its order granting Southwestern Bell until November 27, 2000 to file its

response to the Motion to Declassify.

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Respectfully submitted,

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

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