

BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Access Rates Charged)
by Competitive Local Exchange)
Telecommunications Companies in the)
State of Missouri)

Case No. TR-2001-65

**MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT
OF AT&T'S MOTION TO SUSPEND
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE PENDING RESOLUTION OF
DISPUTE OVER ACCESS TO COST STUDIES**

COMES NOW Sprint Communications, L.P. ("Sprint") pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.080(16) and for its Motion for Expedited Treatment of AT&T's Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule Pending Resolution of Dispute Over Access to Cost Studies, states as follows:

1. Sprint requests that the Commission act on AT&T's Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule by **June 25, 2002**.

2. Direct testimony in this case is due July 1, 2002. AT&T seeks to suspend this date until the Commission makes a determination on AT&T's May 3rd motion seeking a modification to the Commission's standard protective order. Sprint supports AT&T's motion to suspend and believes that the Commission must decide AT&T's motion to modify the protective order before direct testimony can be filed. Otherwise, some parties will not be able to file direct testimony because they do not have access to any relevant information, whereas other parties will file direct without complete access to all of the relevant information. If the Commission *subsequently* decides to grant access to all the relevant information as requested by AT&T, then the direct testimony which will by then be on file, would be incomplete. Consequently, the parties would more than likely have to re-file and/or supplement their direct testimony. Such a procedure will

confuse the record and undoubtedly create advantages for some parties and disadvantage for others.

3. This pleading was filed as soon as it could have been inasmuch as Sprint was served with AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc., TCG St. Louis, Inc. and TCG Kansas City, Inc.'s Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule Pending Resolution of Dispute Over Access to Cost Studies on June 17, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,
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