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In the Matter of the Request of AT&T)
Communications of the Southwest, Inc., to) Case No. TO-99-615
Terminate Carrier of Last Resort Obligation.)

ORDER AND NOTICE

On June 29, 1999, AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. (AT&T), filed a pleading requesting that the Commission terminate its obligation under Section 392.460, RSMo, to be the basic interexchange telecommunications services provider of last resort.

The Commission determines that proper persons should be allowed an opportunity to file an application to intervene. Applications to intervene shall be filed with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission no later than 30 days from the issuance of this order. Copies of the application to intervene should be sent to all parties of record and the Public Counsel. In addition, the Commission's Records Department should send a copy of this order to all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies in Missouri.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Records Department of the Commission shall send notice to all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies in Missouri.

2. That any party wishing to request a hearing or to participate without intervention in this matter shall file an application no later than August 11, 1999, with:

Secretary of the Missouri Public
Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri, 65102

and send copies to:

Paul S. DeFord
Lathrop & Gage, L.C.
2345 Grand Boulevard
Kansas City, Missouri 64108

and

Office of the Public Counsel
Post Office Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

3. That this order shall become effective on July 22, 1999.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of
authority pursuant to 4 CSR
240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995)
and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 12th day of July, 1999.

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