

BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Big River Telephone Company, LLC,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	Case No. TC-2012-0284
)	
SOUTHWESTERN BELL)	
TELEPHONE, L.P. d/b/a)	
AT&T MISSOURI)	
)	
Respondent.)	

BIG RIVER TELEPHONE COMPANY, LLC’S
REQUEST FOR LEAVE

COMES NOW, Big River Telephone Company, LLC (“Big River”) and, for its Request for Leave to File its Objections to AT&T Missouri’s Second Set of Data Requests One Day Out of Time, states as follows:

1. On December 10, 2012, AT&T Missouri served its second set of data requests upon Big River.
2. Counsel for Big River forgot that under the Commission’s Discovery Order that the time to object to the last round of discovery had been reduced to five days.
3. Big River served its objection on the sixth day after receipt of the data requests.
4. Of the thirty-four (34) interrogatories, requests for admissions, and document requests, Big River objected to just four (4).
5. Big River also indicated that it would provide answers subject to the objections.
6. AT&T Missouri has stated that its position is that Big River has waived its objections.
7. Big River did not intend to cause any delay and no prejudice has resulted.

WHEREFORE, Big River Telephone, LLC respectfully prays that the Commission grant its Request for Leave to File Objections One Day Out of Time and for such other and further relief as the Commission deems just and proper.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing document were served to the below-referenced parties by e-mail on December 19, 2012.

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