

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of SBC )  
Advanced Solutions, Inc., for Approval of )  
Merger into AT&T Corp. )

Case No. TM-2009-0044

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.050(3)(A), and for its motion states:

1. On August 13, 2008, SBC Advanced Solutions, Inc., d/b/a AT&T Advanced Solutions, and AT&T Corp (jointly referred to as "AT&T") filed a joint application for authority to merge and for a waiver of Commission rule 4 CSR 240-3.525(2)(G) regarding customer notice of the merger.

2. On August 19, 2008, the Commission directed its Staff to file a recommendation regarding the legal and factual matters involved in the application no later than September 5, 2008.

3. On August 19, 2008, Commission Staff sent multiple data requests to AT&T to learn more about various legal and factual matters involved in the transaction. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.090 responses by AT&T are due by September 9, 2008. Upon receipt, Staff will require time to evaluate the responses before formulating an opinion.

4. When an act is required or allowed to be done by order or rule of the Commission at or within a specified time, the Commission, at its discretion, may order the period enlarged before the expiration of the period originally prescribed by a previous order. 4 CSR 240-2.050(3)(A).

WHEREFORE, pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.050(3)(A), the Staff requests an extension to October 3, 2008, to file its recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

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