

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of NuVox)
Communications of Missouri, Inc., for an)
Investigation into the Wire Centers that AT&T)
Missouri Asserts are Non-Impaired Under the)
TRRO.)

Case No. TO-2006-0360

ORDER DIRECTING FILING
REGARDING PROCEDURAL PROCESS

Issue Date: August 9, 2006

Effective Date: August 9, 2006

During the prehearing conference held in this matter on June 14, 2006, there was much discussion regarding the procedural process this matter should follow. The competitive local exchange carriers are requesting that this matter be resolved in a single phase. AT&T Missouri requests that this matter be resolved using two phases; the first phase to determine the methodology and the second to check the results.

Although this matter was discussed at length during the prehearing conference, the Commission will require the parties to file briefs in support of the relative positions. Those parties not taking a position on this issue will be required to file a statement to that effect.

The judge in this matter informed the parties that AT&T would first file a pleading with the CLECs responding. However, in light of the fact that both parties are well aware of the issues, and in the interest of time, the Commission will require simultaneous filings.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. All parties taking a position on the issue of whether this matter should be bifurcated or whether it should proceed in a single phase shall file no later than August 19, 2006, a brief in support of thereof.
2. Any party not taking a position on the issue of whether this matter should proceed in one or two phases shall file no later than August 19, 2006, a statement to that effect.
3. This order shall become effective no later than August 9, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Kennard L. Jones, Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 9th day of August, 2006.