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Re: Brandenburg Telephone Company, Complainant v. BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc., Defendant
PSC 2006-00447

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., d/b/a AT&T Kentucky requests that the Commission strike and delete from the record and from the file in this case the settlement letter from Brandenburg's counsel, John Selent, to the undersigned counsel dated April 23, 2007.

AT&T Kentucky notified Mr. Selent before, and Mr. Selent and Commission Staff during, the Informal Conference held on March 21, 2007, that AT&T Kentucky considered settlement negotiations and discussions between the parties to be confidential and we did not think it appropriate to discuss such information during the Informal Conference. Mr. Selent's copying the Commission on his purported settlement proposal to AT&T Kentucky is a blatant disregard of the confidentiality of such settlement discussions. Mr. Selent's letter contains confidential information that should not be placed in the Commission file or in the public record. In light of these previous discussions, and the fact that the letter contained a purportedly proposed settlement, it was inappropriate for Mr. Selent to send a copy of this letter to the Commission.

Mr. Selent's letter contains confidential information and should not be included as a part of the file in this case nor should it be subject to public disclosure. AT&T Kentucky requests the Commission remove and destroy Mr. Selent's April 23, 2007 letter and all copies of it from the Commission's files.

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The original and ten (10) copies of this letter are enclosed for filing.

Sincerely,


Mary K. Keyer

cc: Parties of Record

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE -- KPSC 2006-00447

It is hereby certified that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on the following individuals by U.S. mail, this 30th day of April, 2007.

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