

**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

**In the Matter of the Application of Southwestern)
Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Kansas)
for an Order Confirming Relinquishment of its)
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier)
Designation in Specified Areas, and Notice) Docket No. 17-SWBT-158-MIS
Pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 66-2006(d) of)
Intent to Cease Participation in the Kansas)
Lifeline Service Program.)**

MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE*

COMES NOW Bruce A. Ney, an attorney in good standing, licensed to practice law in the State of Kansas, and pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 116, hereby moves the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) to permit Mark A. Keffer of AT&T Services, Inc., in Atlanta, Georgia to appear and participate as counsel for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Kansas (AT&T) in this proceeding. In support of this Motion, the following is submitted:

1. The undersigned attorney is a member in good standing of the Kansas bar and, in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 116(b), the undersigned attorney will sign all pleadings and other papers which are filed before the Commission. The undersigned attorney will be actively engaged in the case and will be present for all appearances, to the extent required by the Commission.

2. Mark Keffer is not a Kansas resident, but is a licensed attorney in good standing in West Virginia and Virginia. He has never been suspended, disbarred or resigned as a result of

a disciplinary charge, investigation, or proceeding from the practice of law in any jurisdiction, nor are any such disciplinary proceedings pending.

3. Pursuant to Kansas rules, attached is the verified application of Mark A. Keffer in support of this Motion.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned moves for the admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Mark A. Keffer as counsel for AT&T Kansas in the above-captioned proceeding and request an Order from the Commission granting this Motion.

Respectfully submitted,



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VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS)
)
COUNTY OF SHAWNEE) ss:

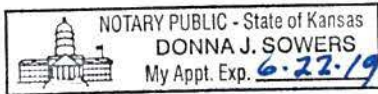
Bruce A. Ney, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon his oath states:

That he is an attorney for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Kansas, that he has read the above and foregoing Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice*, and upon information and belief, states that the matters therein appearing are true and correct.



Bruce A. Ney

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 8th day of January, 2019.





Notary Public

My Commission expires 6.22.19

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VERIFIED PETITION OF MARK A. KEFFER

In accordance with Kansas Supreme Court Rule 116, Mark A. Keffer provides the following information to supplement the Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* filed with the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) with the motion accompanying this verified petition.

1. Mark A. Keffer represents Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Kansas (AT&T) in the above-captioned matter.

2. The contact information for the Kansas attorney of record is:

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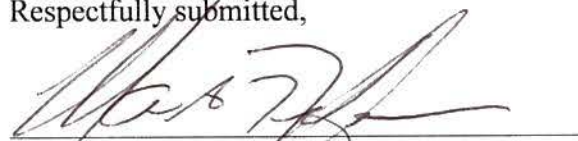
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4. Mark A. Keffer is not a Kansas resident, but a licensed attorney in good standing in West Virginia and Virginia. Mark A. Keffer's West Virginia bar number is 1988 and he was admitted on January 9, 1980; his Virginia bar number is 27355 and he was admitted in 1987.

5. Mark A. Keffer is not currently the subject of a disciplinary action or investigation in any jurisdiction and has never been suspended, disbarred or resigned as a result of a disciplinary charge, investigation, or proceeding from the practice of law in any jurisdiction, nor are any such disciplinary proceedings pending.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned respectfully moves for the admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Mark A. Keffer as counsel for AT&T in the above-captioned proceeding and for all other relief so entitled.

Respectfully submitted,



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Mark A. Keffer, being duly sworn, says that the facts and allegations contained in the attached "Verified Petition of Mark A. Keffer" are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



Mark A. Keffer

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 8th day of January, 2019.





Notary Public

My Commission expires 6-22-19

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* and Verified Petition of Mark A. Keffer was electronically served on this 8th day of January 2019 to:

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