

THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners: Brian J. Moline, Chair
 Robert E. Krehbiel
 Michael C. Moffet

In the Matter of the Application of)
Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. for)
Approval of the Interconnection Agreement) Docket No. 06-SWBT-379-IAT
Under the Telecommunications Act of 1996,)
with McLeodUSA Telecommunications)
Services, Inc.)

ORDER

NOW, the above-captioned matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having examined its files and records, and being duly advised in the premises, the Commission finds and concludes as follows:

1. On October 12, 2005, Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a SBC Kansas (SWBT) filed for approval of an interconnection agreement between it and McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. (McLeodUSA). The Agreement received Commission approval on October 26, 2005.

2. The modification proposed by SWBT's November 15, 2005, application amends the Agreement to supersede certain intervening law, reciprocal compensation, interconnection, and trunking terms through December 31, 2005. The Commission has previously approved this amendment in Docket No. 02-SWBT-421-IAT.

3. Both companies hold forth that there are no outstanding issues between them that need the assistance of mediation or arbitration. The parties seek Commission authority as required by the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

4. SWBT believes approval of the modification is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity. SWBT indicates the Agreement, with the proposed modifications, and the attachments incorporated therein are an integrated package and are the result of negotiation and compromise.

5. The Commission finds and concludes that the modification of the Interconnection Agreement between McLeodUSA and SWBT should be granted. The implementation of the modification is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity and does not, on its face, discriminate against any telecommunications provider not a party to the agreement.

IT IS, THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED THAT:

A. The November 15, 2005 application of Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a SBC Kansas to modify the interconnection agreement with McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. is hereby approved.

B. The parties have fifteen days, plus three days if service of this order is by mail, from the date this order was served in which to petition the Commission for reconsideration of any issue or issues decided herein. K.S.A. 66-118; K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 77-529(a)(1).

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and the parties for the purpose of issuing such further order, or orders, as it may deem necessary.

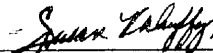
BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Moline, Chr.; Krehbiel, Com.; Moffet, Com.

Dated: DEC 07 2005

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Susan K. Duffy
Executive Director

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