

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    )                Docket No. 07-SWBT-574-IAT  
of Interconnection Agreement Under the           )                Telecom - LEC  
Telecommunications Act of 1996 With DIECA       )  
Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad                 )  
Communications Company.                            )

**ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION**

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 January 3, 2007, Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Kansas ("SWBT") filed an application for a modification of an interconnection agreement with DIECA Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company ("Covad") under the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

2. Approval of the modification is sought under the terms of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, Section 252(e). The parties believe that the modification is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity and does not discriminate against any carrier not a party to the agreement. The parties contend that there are no outstanding issues between them that need the assistance of mediation or arbitration.

3. This modification adds an appendix concerning Coordinated Hot Cut matters. The modification is the result of negotiation and compromise and Commission Staff finds that it does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement.

4. Both SWBT and Covad are registered with the Kansas Secretary of State's office and are currently listed as "active and in good standing."

5. Both SWBT and Covad are current with their KUSF assessments and Commission fees.

6. The Commission finds and concludes that the application for approval of a modification to its interconnection agreement between SWBT and Covad should be approved.

**IT IS, THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED THAT:**

A. Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P.'s application for approval of a modification to its interconnection agreement with DIECA Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company 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. 2005 Supp. 77-529(a)(1).

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

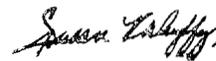
**BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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

Dated: JAN 19 2007

**ORDER MAILED**

**JAN 19 2007**

 Executive Director

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Susan Duffy  
Executive Director

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