



STATE OF ALABAMA
ALABAMA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
P.O. BOX 304260
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA 36130-4260

JIM SULLIVAN, PRESIDENT

JAN COOK, ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER

SUSAN D. PARKER, PHD, ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER

WALTER L. THOMAS, JR.

SECRETARY

IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET U-4871

Interconnection Agreement between National Telephone of Alabama, Inc. and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless and GTE Mobilnet of Florence, Alabama Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless pursuant to §251 and §252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

ORDER ON JOINT MOTION

BY THE COMMISSION:

By filing received December 12, 2007, Petitioners National Telephone of Alabama, Inc. and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless and GTE Mobilnet of Florence, Alabama Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless filed for approval of an Interconnection Agreement Pursuant to §251 and §252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Both parties represent that to the best of their knowledge this agreement does not discriminate against any other telecommunications carriers and that this agreement is consistent with the public interest. Since this agreement has been reached through negotiation and no other parties would be adversely affected, the parties assert that this agreement can be approved without the need for a hearing.

Pursuant to §252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, this Commission is charged with approving or rejecting the negotiated interconnection agreement between National Telephone of Alabama, Inc. and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless and GTE Mobilnet of Florence, Alabama Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless within 90 days of its submission. The Act provides that the Commission may only reject such an agreement if it finds that the agreement or any portion thereof discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement, or the implementation of such agreement or portion thereof is not consistent with the public

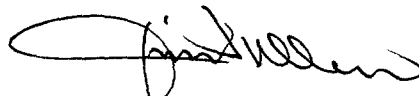
interest, convenience, and necessity. Having reviewed the negotiated interconnection agreement in the manner prescribed by the Telecommunications Act of 1996, we find that the agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity. We further find that the agreement does not discriminate in any manner against any telecommunications carriers who are not parties to the agreement. Accordingly, it appears that the Commission can approve the agreement without the necessity of a hearing.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE COMMISSION, That the Interconnection Agreement between National Telephone of Alabama, Inc. and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless and GTE Mobilnet of Florence, Alabama Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless is hereby approved.

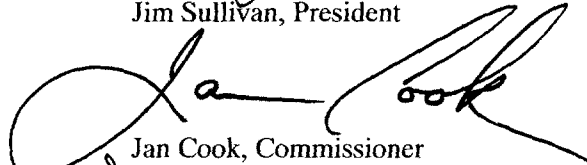
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That this Order shall be effective as of the date hereof.

DATED at Montgomery, Alabama, this 16th day of January, 2008.

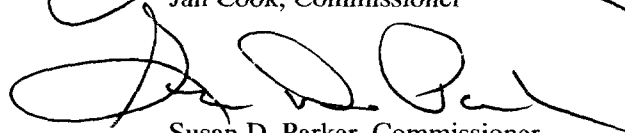
ALABAMA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Jim Sullivan, President

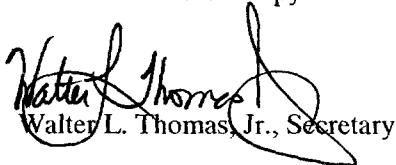


Jan Cook, Commissioner



Susan D. Parker, Commissioner

ATTEST: A True Copy



Walter L. Thomas, Jr., Secretary