

STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of the joint requests for Commission)
approval of interconnection agreements and)
amendments.)
_____)

At the May 3, 2016 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing,
Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. Sally A. Talberg, Chairman
Hon. Norman J. Saari, Commissioner

ORDER

The following parties have filed joint applications for approval of interconnection agreements
or amendments to an interconnection agreement:

Case No. U-12627	AT&T Michigan and EarthLink Business, LLC Application filed April 8, 2016, for approval of a thirteenth amendment to the interconnection agreement (implements changes resulting from the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking issued November 18, 2011, FCC 11-161, and as amended December 23, 2011, FCC 11-189).
Case No. U-16760	AT&T Michigan and US Xchange of Michigan, LLC, d/b/a EarthLink Business I Application filed April 8, 2016, for approval of a ninth amendment to the interconnection agreement (implements changes resulting from the FCC's Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking issued November 18, 2011, FCC 11-161, and as amended December 23, 2011, FCC 11-189).
Case No. U-18063	AT&T Michigan and AirNorth Communications, Inc. Application filed March 31, 2016, for approval of an interconnection agreement.

47 USC 252(e)(2) and (3) provides in part:

- (2) The State commission may only reject
 - (A) an agreement (or any portion thereof) adopted by negotiation under subsection (a) of this section if it finds that--
 - (i) the agreement (or portion thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement; or
 - (ii) the implementation of such agreement or portion is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity; . . .
- (3) Notwithstanding paragraph (2), but subject to section 253 of this title, nothing in this section shall prohibit a State commission from establishing or enforcing other requirements of State law in its review of an agreement, including requiring compliance with intrastate telecommunications service quality standards or requirements.

After reviewing the applications, the Commission finds that they should be approved. The Commission finds that the agreements and amendments are consistent with federal and state law and are in the public interest. Under 47 USC 252(i) and MCL 484.2359(2), the services provided under the agreements shall be made available to other telecommunications carriers upon the same terms and conditions.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- A. The interconnection agreements and amendments listed above are approved.
- B. Approval of the interconnection agreements and amendments does not alter the duty of the parties to comply with relevant federal and state law and past and future Commission orders and rules.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

Any party aggrieved by this order may file an action in the appropriate federal District Court under 47 USC 252(e)(6). To comply with the requirement to notify the Commission of an appeal, appellants shall send required notices to both the Commission's Executive Secretary and to the Commission's Legal Counsel. Electronic notifications should be sent to the Executive Secretary at mpscedockets@michigan.gov and to the Michigan Department of the Attorney General - Public Service Division at pungp1@michigan.gov. In lieu of electronic submissions, paper copies of such notifications may be sent to the Executive Secretary and the Attorney General - Public Service Division at 7109 W. Saginaw Hwy., Lansing, MI 48917.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Sally A. Talberg, Chairman

Norman J. Saari, Commissioner

By its action of May 3, 2016.

Mary Jo Kunkle, Executive Secretary

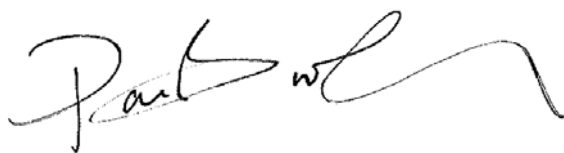
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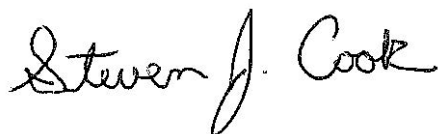
County of Ingham)

Paige Bialke being duly sworn, deposes and says that on May 3, 2016 A.D. she served a copy of the attached Commission order by first class mail, postage prepaid, or by inter-departmental mail, to the persons as shown on the attached service list.



Paige Bialke

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 3rd day of May 2016



Steven J. Cook
Notary Public, Ingham County, Michigan
As acting in Eaton County
My Commission Expires: April 30, 2018

Service List U-12627 et al

AT&T Michigan
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Mark R. Ortlieb
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