

STATE OF ILLINOIS
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

ILLINOIS TELEPHONE CORPORATION)	
)	Docket No. 06-0003
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Application for Designation as an Eligible)	
Telecommunications Carrier for Purposes Of)	
Receiving Federal Universal Service Support)	
Pursuant to Section 214(e)(2) of the)	
Telecommunications Act of 1996.)	

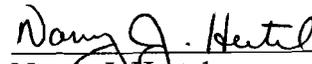
PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE OF AT&T ILLINOIS

Illinois Bell Telephone Company (“AT&T Illinois”), by its attorney, and pursuant to the Rules of Practice of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 83 Ill. Adm. Code, Section 200.200, petitions for leave to intervene and be made a party in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this Petition, AT&T Illinois states the following:

1. AT&T Illinois is a telecommunications carrier providing telecommunications services within the State of Illinois and is designated an Eligible Telecommunication Carrier (“ETC”) in areas it serves.
2. Petitioner seeks certification as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (“ETC”) within certain areas set forth in its Application.
3. AT&T Illinois has a direct and immediate interest in these proceedings.
4. AT&T Illinois accepts the status of the record as it exists today. AT&T Illinois intends to be an active party in this docket.

WHEREFORE, for the above-stated reasons, AT&T Illinois requests that leave to intervene be granted by this Commission and that AT&T Illinois be made a party to these proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,

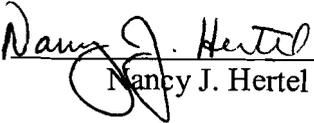


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Nancy J. Hertel, an attorney, hereby certify that copies of the foregoing Petition for Leave to Intervene were served upon the parties via electronic mail on the 12th day of January 2006.



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STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF COOK) SS

VERIFICATION

I, Nancy J. Hertel, state that I am an Attorney for Illinois Bell Telephone Company (“AT&T Illinois”) that I have read the above foregoing Petition for Leave to Intervene and know the contents thereof, and that the same are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

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Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 12th day of January 2006

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