July 27, 2006

Via Electronic Filing

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: AT&T Inc. and BellSouth Corporation Applications for Approval of Transfer Of Control, WC Docket No. 06-74

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Attached are executed Acknowledgments of Confidentiality for inclusion in the record of the above-referenced proceeding, copies of which are being served upon outside counsel for AT&T, Inc. and BellSouth Corporation by U.S. mail, postage prepaid. Specifically, Acknowledgments of Confidentiality are submitted pursuant to the First and Second Protective Orders¹ for A. Richard Metzger, Jr.; Regina M. Keeney; Stephen J. Berman; Gil M. Strobel; and Ruth E. Holder, of Lawler, Metzger, Milkman & Keeney, LLC, outside counsel to Sprint Nextel Corporation. Additionally, an Acknowledgment of Confidentiality is submitted pursuant to the First Protective Order for Luisa L. Lancetti, Vice President – Government Affairs, Wireless Regulatory, Sprint Nextel Corporation.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gil M. Strobel

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cc: Scott D. Delacourt, Wiley, Rein & Fielding, LLP
    Peter J. Schildkraut, Arnold & Porter LLP
    Gary Remondino, Wireline Competition Bureau, FCC

¹ AT&T Inc. and BellSouth Corporation Applications for Approval of Transfer Of Control, WC Docket No. 06-74, Order, DA 06-1032 (rel. May 12, 2006) (“First Protective Order”); Order, DA 06-1415 (rel. July 7, 2006) (“Second Protective Order”).
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