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In the Matter of)
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Section 63.71 Application of)
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AT&T Corp. d/b/a AT&T Advanced)
Solutions)
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For Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of)
The Communications Act of 1934, As Amended,)
To Discontinue the Provision of Service)

File No.

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Office of the Secretary

SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION OF AT&T CORP. D/B/A AT&T ADVANCED SOLUTIONS

AT&T Inc. on behalf of its affiliate, AT&T Corp. d/b/a AT&T Advanced Solutions (“AT&T”) applies for authority under Section 214(a) of the Communications Act, as amended (“the Act”), 47 U.S.C. § 214, and Section 63.71 of the Federal Communications Commission’s (“Commission”) rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.71, to discontinue PremierSERVSM Frame Relay service, and PremierSERVSM Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) service in Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Nevada, Ohio, Oklahoma, Texas and Wisconsin.

As required by Section 63.71(a) and (b) of the Commission’s rules, AT&T is providing the following information:

Name and Address of Carrier (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a)(1), (b)(2)):

AT&T Corp. d/b/a AT&T Advanced Solutions
One AT&T Way
Bedminster, NJ 07921

Date of Planned Service Discontinuance (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a)(2), (b)(2)):

AT&T will no longer offer these services to new customers on or after September 30, 2011, subject to Commission approval of this application. Existing customers may retain their services until December 31, 2015 or the expiration of their contract, whichever is later, subject to the terms and conditions of their existing service agreement.

Points of Geographic Areas of Service Affected (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a)(3), b(2)):

These services will be discontinued in Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Nevada, Ohio, Oklahoma, Texas and Wisconsin.

Brief Description of Type of Service Affected (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a)(3), b(2)):

PremierSERVSM Frame Relay Service

PremierSERVSM Frame Relay Service is a public, metropolitan and wide-area data service. It utilizes packet switching technology and digital transmission facilities to provide a data delivery service.

PremierSERVSM Asynchronous Transfer Mode Service

PremierSERVSM Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) Service is a high speed switched transport service that combines disparate applications, from separate locations, using a common network access device and physical network connection.

The AT&T family of companies continues to streamline its product portfolio as result of the acquisition of AT&T Corp. and its subsidiaries by SBC Communications, Inc. The public convenience and necessity will not be impaired by this discontinuance as PremierSERVSM Frame Relay and ATM services are duplicative of other data services offered by other affiliates of AT&T Inc. and numerous competitive services are offered in the marketplace. As a result, AT&T plans to withdraw PremierSERVSM Frame Relay and ATM services.

Brief Description of the Dates and Methods of Notice to All Affected Customers (47 C.F.R.

§63.71(b)(3)):

AT&T notified its customers of its intention to discontinue this service by letter sent via U.S. Mail on July 1, 2011. A copy of the customer notification is attached hereto as Attachment A.

In addition, copies of this Application are being sent, first class U.S. Mail, to the public utilities commission and governor of each state in which discontinuance is proposed and also to the Special Assistant for Telecommunications to the Secretary of Defense, as required by 63.71(a) of the Commission's rules.

Regulatory Classification of Carrier (47 C.F.R. § 63.71(b)(4)):

AT&T offers PremierSERVSM Frame Relay at speeds less than 200 kbs pursuant to dominant carrier regulation. AT&T offers PremierSERVSM Frame Relay and ATM services at speeds above 200 kbs pursuant to non-dominant regulation. For regulatory efficiency and to prevent customer confusion, AT&T provides its consent for the Commission to process this application pursuant to the discontinuance procedures for dominant carriers.

Questions about this application may be addressed to Toni Acton, AT&T Services, Inc., Director - Federal Regulatory, 1120 20th Street N.W., Suite 1000, Washington, D.C. 20036, (202) 457-3039.

Conclusion:

The public convenience and necessity will not be adversely affected by the discontinuance of PremierSERVSM Frame Relay and ATM services because there are replacement services available from AT&T and other carriers in the marketplace. AT&T

respectfully requests that the Commission approve its Section 63.7 1 Application to discontinue these services.

Respectfully submitted,

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July 18, 2011

ATTACHMENT A



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July 1, 2011

CUSTOMER NAME
ADDRESS
CITY, STATE ZIP

Important Notice Regarding the Change in Service & Discontinuance of PremierSERVSM Frame Relay and Asynchronous Mode Transport (ATM) Services provided by AT&T Corp. (d/b/a AT&T Advanced Solutions)

Dear AT&T Business Customer,

AT&T values your business, and we would like to update you on some important changes underway for AT&T Advanced Solutions Frame Relay and ATM Services. Effective on or about September 30, 2011, pending regulatory approval, the following AT&T Advanced Solutions interstate services will no longer be available to *new* customers in Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Nevada, Ohio, Oklahoma, Texas, and Wisconsin:

- PremierSERVSM Frame Relay Service
- PremierSERVSM Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) Service

As a *current* AT&T customer with interstate AT&T Advanced Solutions Frame Relay or ATM Services, you may retain your existing service(s) and continue to conduct moves, additions and administrative changes until December 31, 2014 or the expiration of your contract term, whichever is later, subject to the terms of your existing AT&T Advanced Solutions Agreement or AT&T Business Services Agreement (BSA). Effective September 30, 2011, Early Termination Fees will no longer apply for these AT&T Advanced Solutions Frame Relay and ATM Services.

We plan to discontinue the AT&T Advanced Solutions PremierSERV Frame Relay and PremierSERV ATM Services for existing customers on December 31, 2015. For customers with AT&T Advanced Solutions PremierSERV Frame Relay or PremierSERV ATM Services, AT&T will support one extension of your existing contract past its current term for 12 months, provided the extension is signed on or before June 30, 2013 and the extended term expires no later than June 30, 2014. Upon expiration of your contract, we will continue to provide the service on a month-to-month basis, until the service is discontinued (currently planned for December 31, 2015). AT&T Advanced Solutions PremierSERV Frame Relay and PremierSERV ATM Services are governed by the terms of the AT&T Advanced Solutions Advanced Telecommunications Services and Wholesale DSL Transport Terms and Conditions and the AT&T Corp. Tariff F.C.C. No. 1. which can be found at www.att.com/servicepublications.

AT&T is ready to provide **AT&T VPN Services as a replacement solution today!** AT&T VPN is our premier Multi-Protocol Label Switching (MPLS) network-based service delivered via the world-class AT&T Global Network, with nearly \$1 Billion invested to expand our network reach, enhance performance and deliver new service capabilities.



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With AT&T VPN, you will benefit from:

- Access to our reliable worldwide network, backed by service level agreements (SLAs) for on-time provisioning, site availability and performance (latency, data delivery, and jitter).
- Service capabilities, including integrated VoIP service, higher speed Ethernet, integrated 3G Mobility access, access to hosted servers and storage, MultiLink PPP, multiple Class of Service (CoS) options, and native mode Multicast support, to mention a few.
- Extensive Support from dedicated customer care and technical marketing teams, including access to a powerful suite of online monitoring and management tools via our AT&T BusinessDirect® portal.

Your business is important to us. We want to ensure that you are obtaining the most suitable services for your needs. Please contact your Account Manager or other members of your Sales Team if you have any questions. If you do not know your Account Manager please refer to the customer service number on your invoice. Thank you for choosing AT&T.

Sincerely,

Bob Schaefer
Lead Product Marketing Manager
AT&T Packet Services

AT&T is required by the FCC to provide the following statement:

The FCC will normally authorize this proposed discontinuance of service (or reduction or impairment) unless it is shown that customers would be unable to receive service or a reasonable substitute from another carrier or that the public convenience and necessity is otherwise adversely affected. If you wish to object, you should file your comments as soon as possible, but no later than 30 days after the Commission releases public notice of the proposed discontinuance. Address them to the Federal Communications Commission, Wireline Competition Bureau, Competition Policy Division, Washington, DC 20554, and include in your comments a reference to the section 63.71 Application of **AT&T Corp., d/b/a AT&T Advanced Solutions**. Comments should include specific information about the impact of this proposed discontinuation (or reduction or impairment) upon you or your company, including any inability to acquire reasonable substitute service.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do certify that I have, on this 18th day of July 2011, served a copy of the foregoing Section 63.71 Application by U.S. Mail postage prepaid to the following:

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