#### STATE OF MICHIGAN

#### BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

At the February 6, 2020 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing, Michigan.

> PRESENT: Hon. Sally A. Talberg, Chairman Hon. Daniel C. Scripps, Commissioner Hon. Tremaine L. Phillips, Commissioner

#### **ORDER**

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

Case No. U-13302 AT&T Michigan and Bullseye Telecom, Inc.

> Application filed January 28, 2020, for approval of a thirteenth amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66

and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

Case No. U-15334 AT&T Michigan and West Telecom Services, LLC

> Application filed January 28, 2020, for approval of a fourth amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66

and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

Case No. U-15344

AT&T Michigan and Sigecom, LLC

Application filed January 28, 2020, for approval of a third amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

Case No. U-15538

AT&T Michigan and Bandwidth.com CLEC, LLC Application filed January 28, 2020, for approval of a second amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

Case No. U-15585

AT&T Michigan and Access One, Inc.

Application filed January 21, 2020, for approval of a third amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

Case No. U-15607

AT&T Michigan and GC Pivotal, LLC, d/b/a Global Capacity Application filed November 6, 2019, and amended application filed January 22, 2020, for approval of a nineteenth amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

Case No. U-18117

AT&T Michigan and ITelecom, Inc., d/b/a Advent Telecom Application filed January 8, 2020, and amended application filed January 15, 2020, for approval of a first amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018; and replaces the Notices section).

Case No. U-18118

AT&T Michigan and U.S. Metrotel, LLC Application filed January 21, 2020, for approval of a first amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

#### 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 <a href="mailto:mpscedockets@michigan.gov">mpscedockets@michigan.gov</a> and to the Michigan Department of the Attorney General - Public Service Division at <a href="mailto:pungp1@michigan.gov">pungp1@michigan.gov</a>. 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
	Daniel C. Scripps, Commissioner
	Tremaine L. Phillips, Commissioner
By its action of February 6, 2020.	
Lisa Felice, Executive Secretary	

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# PROOF OF SERVICE

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County of Ingham	)	

Brianna Brown being duly sworn, deposes and says that on February 6, 2020 A.D. she electronically notified the attached list of this **Commission Order via e-mail transmission**, to the persons as shown on the attached service list (Listserv Distribution List).

Brianna Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February 2020.

Angela P. Sanderson

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As acting in Eaton County

My Commission Expires: May 21, 2024

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