



December 23, 1997

Ms. Daisy Crockron
Chief, Docketing Division
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street, 10th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43266-0573

RE: Confidential / Proprietary
AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc.
PUCO Case No. 96-899-TP-ALT

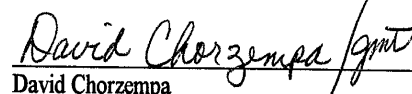
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Dear Ms. Crockron:

Pursuant to O.A.C. 4901-1-24(D)(2) ("Rule 24"), an original and three (3) copies of its unredacted non-public Direct Testimony of James D. Webber is being filed under **SEAL** on behalf of AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc. ("AT&T"). As directed by the Attorney Examiner in the above referenced case at the Prehearing Conference scheduled today, AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc. has served a copy of its unredacted non-public Direct Testimony upon counsel of those parties who either have and/or have not secured a confidentiality agreement with CBT and have directed counsel (within this letter) presenting those parties which do not currently have a secured confidentiality agreement with CBT are put on notice that they cannot disclose this testimony to their client(s) until it has been reviewed by CBT and a public version has been subsequently filed with this Commission. After such time, counsel for those parties which do not have a secured confidentiality agreement may then provide a public version of such testimony to their client(s).

Respectfully submitted,

AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc.


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Enclosures

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