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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

AT&T CORP., a New York Corporation; AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MOUNTAIN STATES, INC., a Colorado Corporation,

Claimant,

vs. QWEST CORPORATION, a Colorado Corporation,

Respondent.

Docket No. 04-087-73

# JOINT MOTION TO APPROVE SETTLEMENT AND TERMINATE PROCEEDINGS WITH PREJUDICE

Pursuant to Utah Admin. Code. R746-100-10(F)(5), Complainants AT&T Corp and AT&T Communications of the Mountain States, Inc. (collectively "AT&T") and Respondent Qwest Corporation ("Qwest"), jointly move for the Commission to approve the parties' settlement, dismiss, with prejudice, the above-captioned formal complaint, and terminate the above-captioned proceeding with prejudice. In support, AT&T and Qwest state as follows:

1. On June 14, 2004, AT&T filed its formal complaint in the above-captioned action (the "Complaint").

2. Pursuant to a certain Confidential Settlement Agreement and Release effective July 1, 2005, AT&T and Qwest have agreed to seek dismissal of the Complaint against Qwest with prejudice as to all claims and defenses asserted therein in order to dispose of all issues and controversies in the Complaint.

3. Accordingly, AT&T and Qwest jointly move for approval of the settlement and dismissal of the Complaint with prejudice. Dismissal of the Complaint will serve the public interest by eliminating the need for further litigation and the expenditure of the associated time and resources of the parties and the Commission and will promote the private resolution of disputes.

**WHEREFORE**, for the reasons stated above, AT&T and Qwest jointly request that the Commission approve settlement and dismiss the Complaint with prejudice and terminate the above-captioned proceeding.

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Respectfully submitted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2005.

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