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**DATE:** August 22, 2011  
**TO:** Ann Cole, Commission Clerk, Office of Commission Clerk  
**FROM:** Ray E. Kennedy, Economic Analyst, Division of Regulatory Analysis  
**RE:** Docket No. 110013-TP: AT&T's Response to Question Set 1 Regarding Sprint's Proposal to Provide Relay Services in Florida

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Please place the attached information in the file for Docket No. 110013-TP, Request for submission of proposals for relay service, beginning in June 2012, for the deaf, hard of hearing, deaf/blind, or speech impaired, and other implementation matters in compliance with the Florida Telecommunications Access System Act of 1991.

Included in the attachment are staff's letter and e-mail to AT&T, and AT&T's response, which includes a verification certificate from Liberty Mutual Insurance Company.

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August 4, 2011

Via U.S. Post, FAX: 214-745-4802  
and Email: [sidney.minnick.jr@att.com](mailto:sidney.minnick.jr@att.com)

Mr. Sidney Minnick  
Senior Marketing Manager, Customer Information Services  
AT&T Services, Inc.  
311 S. Akard St., Room 21-21  
Dallas, TX 75202

**Re: Docket No. 110013-TP – Question Set 1 Regarding AT&T's Proposal to Provide Relay Services in Florida**

Dear Mr. Minnick:

In order to complete the evaluation of AT&T's proposal in Docket No. 110013-TP, staff at the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC) needs a written response to the following:

**Check List Item 70 – Bid Security Deposit RFP Reference C-7**

It is not clear that AT&T's bid security deposit, in the form of a bond, is valid through at least October 28, 2011. Please explain how the bond is valid through at least October 28, 2011.

Please provide a written response to me no later than August 11, 2011. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 850-413-6584.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Ray Kennedy in black ink.

Ray Kennedy  
Division of Regulatory Analysis

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Re: Docket No. 110013-TP - Question Set 1 Regarding AT&T's Proposal to Provide Relay Services in Florida

Dear Mr. Minnick:

In order to complete the evaluation of AT&T's proposal in Docket No. 110013-TP, staff at the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC) needs a written response to the following:

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Sincerely,

Ray Kennedy  
Division of Regulatory Analysis

## Ray Kennedy

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**From:** Ray Kennedy  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 04, 2011 1:28 PM  
**To:** 'sidney.minnick.jr@att.com'  
**Cc:** 'MINNICK JR., SIDNEY A (ATTSI)'  
**Subject:** Docket No. 110013-TP - Question Set 1 Regarding AT&T's Proposal to Provide Relay Services in Florida

**Attachments:** AT&T 2011 proposal questions.pdf



AT&T 2011  
posal questions.

Good Afternoon Mr. Minnick,

The questions and instructions for filing the response are in the attached file.

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August 8, 2011 DIVISION OF  
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RE: Docket No. 110013-TP – Response to Question Regarding Bid Bond for AT&T’s Proposal to Provide Relay Services in Florida

Dear Mr. Kennedy,

Attached is a Verification Certificate acknowledging and certifying that the Bid Bond submitted remains in effect through at least October 28, 2011.

I am also sending a copy to you via UPS tonight. Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

Sincerely,

Sidney Minnick  
Sr. Marketing Manager  
Customer Information Services

Attachments

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VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the Bid Bond for Telecommunications Relay Service System in Florida;  
Bid Due Date of July 6, 2011, issued by Liberty Mutual Insurance Company on June 24, 2011, as  
Surety, in the current amount of Five Hundred Thousand and NO/100 Dollars (\$500,000.00) on behalf  
of AT&T Corp. as Principal, and in favor of Florida Telecommunications Relay, Inc., as Obligee,  
covers a term which began on the 6th day of July, 2011, and remains in effect per the terms of the RFP,  
through at least October 28, 2011.

Signed, sealed and dated this 8th day of August, 2011,

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

Surety,  
By: Heidi A. Notheisen  
Heidi A. Notheisen, Attorney-In-Fact  
FL Lic #P040504



ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY SURETY


STATE OF Missouri }  
City of St. Louis } ss.

On this 8th day of August, 2011, before me personally appeared Heidi A. Notheisen, known to me to be the Attorney-in-Fact of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

\_\_\_\_\_, the corporation that executed the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office in the aforesaid County, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

My Commission Expires: 01/18/2013  
(Seal)

  
Sandra L. Ham  
Notary Public in the State of Missouri  
County of St. Louis

SANDRA L. HAM  
Notary Public-Notary Seal  
STATE OF MISSOURI  
St. Louis County  
My Commission Expires on: Jan. 18, 2013  
Commision #09450177

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS NOT VALID UNLESS IT IS PRINTED ON RED BACKGROUND.

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This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY  
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (the "Company"), a Massachusetts stock insurance company, pursuant to and by authority of the By-law and Authorization hereinafter set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint PAMELA A. BEELMAN, HEIDI A. NOTHEISEN, DEBRA C. SCHNEIDER, KAREN L. ROIDER, JOANN R. FRANK, SANDRA L. HAM, CYNTHIA L. CHOREN, ALL OF THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS, STATE OF MISSOURI

each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations in the penal sum not exceeding FIFTY MILLION AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$ 50,000,000.00 ) each, and the execution of such undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the Company as if they had been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Company in their own proper persons.

That this power is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-law and Authorization:

ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

By the following Instrument the chairman or the president has authorized the officer or other official named therein to appoint attorneys-in-fact:

Pursuant to Article XIII, Section 5 of the By-Laws, David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, is hereby authorized to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

That the By-law and the Authorization set forth above are true copies thereof and are now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Company and the corporate seal of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company has been affixed thereto in Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania this day of 15th day of July 2011



LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

By David M. Carey  
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA ss  
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 15th day of July 2011, before me, a Notary Public, personally came David M. Carey, to me known, and acknowledged that he is an Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company; that he knows the seal of said corporation; and that he executed the above Power of Attorney and affixed the corporate seal of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company thereto with the authority and at the direction of said corporation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



Notarial Seal  
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public  
Plymouth Twp., Montgomery County  
My Commission Expires Mar. 28, 2013  
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By Teresa Pastella  
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy, is in full force and effect on the date of this certificate; and I do further certify that the officer or official who executed the said power of attorney is an Assistant Secretary specially authorized by the chairman or the president to appoint attorneys-in-fact as provided in Article XIII, Section 5 of the By-laws of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company.

This certificate and the above power of attorney may be signed by facsimile or mechanically reproduced signatures under and by authority of the following vote of the board of directors of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company at a meeting duly called and held on the 12th day of March, 1980.

VOTED that the facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seal of the said company, this 8th day of August, 2011.



By Gregory W. Davenport  
Gregory W. Davenport, Assistant Secretary

Not valid for mortgage, note, loan, letter of credit, bank deposit, currency rate, interest rate or residual value guarantees.

To confirm the validity of this Power of Attorney call 1-810-832-8240 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day