

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

<p>IN RE:</p> <p>OFFICE OF CONSUMER ADVOCATE,</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Complainant,</p> <p>vs.</p> <p>SOUTHWESTERN BELL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC., d/b/a SBC LONG DISTANCE,</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Respondent.</p>	<p>DOCKET NO. FCU-05-38</p>
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ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

(Issued July 1, 2005)

On May 24, 2005, pursuant to Iowa Code §§ 476.3 and 476.103, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a petition for a proceeding to consider a civil penalty for an alleged slamming violation committed by Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc. (SBC).

On June 27, 2005, Consumer Advocate withdrew the petition. As of that date, the Board had not yet granted Consumer Advocate's petition for a proceeding to consider a civil penalty, but had identified the matter as Docket No. FCU-05-38. Because the petition has been withdrawn, the Board will close the docket.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The proceeding identified as Docket No. FCU-05-38 is closed.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 1st day of July, 2005.