

United States Court of Appeals
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

No. 01-3496

Charter Communications, Inc.,
a corporation,

Appellee,

v.

Southwestern Bell Telephone
Company, a corporation,

Appellant.

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* Appeal from the United States
* District Court for the Eastern
* District of Missouri.
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Submitted: January 17, 2002

Filed: January 24, 2002

Before BOWMAN, FAGG, and MORRIS SHEPPARD ARNOLD, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (SWB) appeals from the grant of Charter Communications, Inc.'s request for a preliminary injunction against certain advertising of SWB claimed to be in violation of the Lanham Act and state law. Having considered the record and the parties' arguments, we are satisfied the district

court* correctly granted the requested injunction pending trial on the merits. Because the parties' submissions show they are thoroughly familiar with the issues before the court, we believe an extensive discussion is not warranted. Having reviewed SWB's contentions of reversible error and abuse of discretion, we affirm for the reasons explained in the district court's thorough opinion and remand to the district court for further proceedings.

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Attest:

CLERK, U.S. COURT OF APPEALS, EIGHTH CIRCUIT.

*The Honorable Catherine D. Perry, United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri.