## **Instructions for Telephonic Hearings**

You must call the AT&T TeleConference Center at least 5 minutes before the hearing is scheduled to begin. You will need the required call-in information from the clerk's hearing notice:

## TOLL-FREE CALL-IN NUMBER ACCESS CODE PARTICIPANT SECURITY CODE

The toll-free call-in number, access number, and participant security code may not be the same for every hearing.

## Instructions to Enter Telephone Conference

- 1. Dial the TOLL-FREE CALL-IN NUMBER from the hearing notice.
- 2. Enter the ACCESS CODE from the hearing notice. You will be placed on hold until the call is activated.
- 3. When prompted, enter the PARTICIPANT SECURITY CODE from the hearing notice, followed by the # key. Wait for the call to begin.
- 4. Do not state your name or speak unless prompted by the court or the AT&T auto-attendant.

## **Telephone Hearing Protocol**

- If you do not call in, the hearing will proceed as scheduled.
- Conference calls will be heard throughout the courtroom.
- Do not make noise.
- Do not put your phone on hold.
- Mute your telephone when appropriate. Press \*6 to mute your line. Press \*6 again to un-mute your line.
- Call from a land line to avoid dropped cellular calls and static.
- Observe proper telephone etiquette.

Thank you for you cooperation. It will expedite the hearing.