

News Release

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AT&T TO BROADCAST TEXAS HOUSE LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS TO U-VERSE TV CUSTOMERS STATEWIDE

Broadcasts to air through end of session on a trial basis at no cost to state

AUSTIN, Tex., April 2, 2009 – AT&T* today announced that it will begin televising Texas House legislative sessions in mid-April to its AT&T U-verseSM TV customers statewide. The trial program comes at the request of the state House of Representatives, whose members have asked that legislative sessions be televised to bring government closer to the public.

AT&T U-verse TV is available in parts of Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, San Antonio, Austin, El Paso, Lubbock, Midland and Odessa and numerous suburban communities in those metro areas.

"Our goal is to be the best at connecting people, and that includes connecting legislators with their constituents," said Don Cain, president of AT&T Texas. "Our congratulations go to state Representatives Charlie Geren and Joaquin Castro for spearheading the move to televise the sessions."

"We commend AT&T for launching this trial. Watching live broadcasts of House sessions will be a new experience for consumers – many of whom live hundreds of miles from the Capitol," said state Rep. Charlie Geren.

Equipment vendor ViewCast of Plano, Texas will partner with AT&T to televise the hearings through the end of the Legislative session June 1. As part of the trial program, both companies have agreed to televise the sessions at no cost to the state.

The broadcasts will be available on channel 99, AT&T's PEG (public, educational and government) programming channel for U-verse TV customers. The Texas legislative

sessions will be the first state government proceedings that AT&T has broadcast to its customers statewide anywhere in the country.

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