TELEPHONE & DATA SYSTEMS INC /DE/ Form PX14A6G May 19, 2008

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Washington, D.C. 20549 NOTICE OF EXEMPT SOLICITATION Submitted pursuant to Rule 14a-6(g)

- 1. Name of the Registrant: Telephone and Data Systems, Inc.
- 2. Name of person relying on exemption: Southeastern Asset Management, Inc.
- Address of person relying on exemption: 6410 Poplar Avenue, Suite 900, Memphis, TN 38119
- 4. Written materials. Attach written material required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 14a-6(g)(1):

Exhibit 1: Amendment to Schedule 13D filed May 15, 2008

Exhibit 2: Amendment to Schedule 13D filed May 15, 2008