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### **Biography**

Mr. Webber has 15 years of experience within the public utility and regulatory fields. He has served as the Director of External Affairs for ATX/CoreComm, as a District Manager for AT&T's Law and Government Affairs organization and as a District Manager within AT&T's Local Services and Access Management organization. In addition to working "in-house," Mr. Webber has also provided consulting services to a number of the nation's most notable telecommunications carriers including, for example, AT&T, ATX, MCI, McLeod and XO.

During his tenure within the telecommunications industry, Mr. Webber has been responsible for cost-of-service analyses, business case modeling, contract negotiations and arbitrations, vendor management, operational process improvement, regulatory affairs and tariff management. Beginning his career in telecommunications with the Illinois Commerce Commission, where he served as the Manager of the Telecommunications Division's Rates Department, Mr. Webber has been called upon to provide expert testimony nearly 100 times before federal and state regulatory agencies throughout the United States.

In addition to his experience in telecommunications, Mr. Webber spent a significant amount of time at the Illinois Department of Energy and Natural Resource, where he modeled electricity and natural gas consumption, estimated the impact of DSM initiatives on natural gas and electricity consumption and estimated the benefits and costs of environmental pollutant mitigation strategies.

### **Educational Background**

Master of Science, Economics  
Illinois State University, Normal, Illinois 1993

Bachelor of Science, Economics  
Illinois State University, Normal, Illinois 1990





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### Professional Experience

#### **QSI Consulting, Inc.**

2007- Present  
Senior Vice President

2003 - 2007  
Senior Consultant

#### **ATX/CoreComm**

2000 - 2003  
Director External Affairs

#### **AT&T**

1999 - 2000  
District Manager  
Local Services and Access Management

1997 - 1999  
District Manager  
Law and Government Affairs

#### **Competitive Strategies Group, LTD**

1996 - 1997  
Senior Consultant

#### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

1996  
Manager, Rates Section

1994 - 1996  
Economic Analyst, Rate Section Telco Division

#### **Illinois DENR**

1992 - 1994  
Research Project Coordinator

### Expert Testimony – Profile

*The information below is Mr. Webber's best effort to identify all proceedings wherein he has either provided pre-filed written testimony, an expert report or provided live testimony.*

#### **Federal Communications Commission**

##### **CC Docket No. 01-92**

*In the Matter of Developing a Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime*  
Declaration on behalf of Nuvox Communications

##### **Federal Communications Commission File No. EB-01- MD-017**

*In the matter of CoreComm Communications, Inc. and Z-Tel Communications, Inc., Complainants v. SBC Communications Inc., Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Pacific Bell Telephone Company, Nevada Bell Telephone Company, The Southern New England Telephone Company, Illinois Bell Telephone Company, Indiana Bell Telephone Company, Inc., Michigan Bell Telephone Company, The Ohio Bell Telephone Company, and Wisconsin Bell, Inc. On behalf of CoreComm Communications, Inc.*

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### **Alabama Public Service Commission APSC Docket No. 29054**

*In re: Implementation of the Federal Communications Commission's Triennial Review Order (Phase II – Local Circuit Switching)*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC and MCI WorldCom Communications

### **Arizona Corporation Commission**

#### **Docket No. T-01051B-06-0257 and No. T-03406A-06-0257**

*In the Matter of the Complaint of Eschelon of Arizona, Inc. against Qwest Corporation.*

### **Florida Public Service Commission FPSC Docket**

#### **No.030851-TP**

*In re: Implementation of requirements arising from Federal Communications Commission's triennial UNE review: Local Circuit Switching for Mass Market Customers*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC and MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc.

### **Georgia Public Service Commission**

#### **Docket No. 17749-U**

*In re: FCC's Triennial Review Order Regarding the Impairment for Local Switching for Mass Market Customers*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC MCI WORLDCOM Communications, Inc.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket No. 04-0461**

*Illinois Bell Telephone Company Petition Regarding Compliance with the Requirements of Section 13 505.1 of the Public Utilities Act*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc. CIMCO Communications, Inc., Forte Communications, Inc., McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc., MPower Communications Corp., TCG Chicago, TCG Illinois, XO Illinois, Inc.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket No. 00-0700**

*Illinois Commerce Commission on its own motion -vs- Illinois Bell Telephone Company. Investigation into tariff providing unbundled local switching with shared transport*

On behalf of CoreComm Illinois, Inc.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket Nos. 97-0516, 97-0601, and 96-0602**

*Illinois Commerce Commission on its own motion -vs- Illinois Bell Telephone Company; et al. Investigation into non-cost based access charge rate elements in the intrastate access charges of incumbent local exchange carriers in Illinois. Illinois Commerce Commission on its own motion Investigation into implicit universal service subsidies in intrastate access charges and to investigate how these subsidies should be treated in the future*

On Behalf of AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket Nos. 96-0486 and 96-0596**

*Illinois Commerce Commission on its own motion Investigation into forward looking cost studies and rates of Ameritech Illinois for interconnection, network elements, transport and termination of traffic. Illinois Bell Telephone Company Proposed rates, terms and conditions for unbundled network elements*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket Nos. 95-0458 and 95-0531**

*AT&T Communications of Illinois, Inc. Petition for a total local exchange wholesale service tariff from Illinois Bell Telephone Company d/b/a Ameritech Illinois and Central Telephone Company Pursuant to section 13-505.5 of the Illinois*



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*Public Utilities Act. LDDS Communications, Inc. d/b/a LDDS Metromedia Communications. Petition for a total wholesale network service tariff from Illinois Bell Telephone Company d/b/a Ameritech Illinois and Central Telephone Company pursuant to Section 13-505.5 of the Illinois Public Utilities Act*

On behalf of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket Nos. 95-0201 and 95-0202**

*Illinois Bell Telephone company proposed establishment of separate rate elements for single line versus multiline business access line customers. Illinois Bell Telephone company proposed establishment of separate rate elements for directory assistance to business sand residence customers*

On behalf of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket No. 94-0048**

*IntraLATA Presubscription Rule Making*

On behalf of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

### **Illinois Commerce Commission**

#### **ICC Docket Nos. 94-0096, 94-0117, and 94-0146**

*Proposed Introduction of a Trial of Ameritech's Customers First Plan in Illinois, et al.*

On behalf of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

### **Indiana Regulatory Utility Commission**

#### **IRUC Cause No. 40571-INT-03**

*AT&T Communications of Indiana, Inc. TCG Indianapolis petition for arbitration of interconnection rates terms and conditions and related arrangements with Indiana Bell Telephone Company, Incorporated d/b/a Ameritech Indiana pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Indiana, Inc and TCG Indianapolis.

### **Indiana Regulatory Utility Commission**

#### **IRUC Cause No. 40785**

*In the matter of the investigation on the Commission's own motion into any and all matters relating to access charge reform and universal service reform including, but not limited to high cost or universal service funding mechanisms relative to telephone and telecommunications services within the state of Indiana pursuant to IC 8-1-2-51, 58, 59, 69; 8-1-2.6 ET. SEC. and other related state statutes, as well as the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 (47 U.S.C. Sec. 151, ET. SEC.)*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Indiana, Inc.

### **Indiana Regulatory Utility Commission**

#### **IURC Cause No. 40611**

*In the matter of the Commission investigation and generic proceeding on Ameritech Indiana's rates for interconnection, service, unbundled elements, and transport and termination under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and related Indiana statutes*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Indiana, Inc.

### **Ingham County Circuit Court**

#### **Case No. 04-689-CK**

*T&S Distributors, LLC Custom Software, Inc., Arg, Inc., Absolute Internet, Inc., CAC Medianet, Inc., ACD Telecom, Inc., and Telnet Worldwide, Inc. V. Michigan Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a SBC Michigan.*

On Behalf of ACD Telecom, Inc. and Telnet Worldwide, Inc.



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### **JAMS Reference No.1340005643**

#### **Case No. 05-C-6250**

*Cingular Wireless, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company V. PlatinumTel Communications, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company*

On behalf of *PlatinumTel Communications, LLC.*

### **Kent County Circuit Court**

#### **Case No. 04-07026-CH.**

*LUCRE, INC. Plaintiff / Counter-Defendant V MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, a Michigan Corporation, d/b/a SBC Michigan and f/k/a Ameritech Michigan, Defendant / Counter-Plaintiff*

On behalf of *Lucre, Inc.*

### **Kentucky Public Service Commission**

#### **KPSC Docket No. 2003-00379**

*In the Matter of: Review of Federal Communications Commission's Triennial Review Order Regarding Unbundling Requirements For Individual Network Elements*

On behalf of *MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC MCI WORLDCOM Communications, Inc.*

### **Louisiana Public Service Commission**

#### **LPSC Docket No. U-27571**

*In Re: Implementation of the Requirements Arising from the Federal Communications Commission's Triennial Review Order, Order 03-36, Unbundled Local Circuit Switching for Mass Market Customers and Establishment of a Batch Cut Migration Process*

On behalf of *MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC MCI WORLDCOM Communications, Inc.*

### **Maryland Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. 9067**

*In the matter of the Formal Complaint of New Frontiers Telecommunications, Inc. Vs. Verizon Maryland, Inc.*

On behalf of *New Frontiers Telecommunications, Inc.*

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-14384**

*In the matter of the complaint and application for resolution of SBC Michigan against LUCRE, INC., for refusal to pay certain charges lawfully assess and for other violations of duties under law*

On behalf of *Lure, Inc.*

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-13977 and U-14175**

*In the matter of the application of AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF MICHIGAN, INC. for Commission Determination of Switched Access Rates Pursuant to MTA Section 310(2)*

On behalf of *AT&T Communications of Michigan, Inc.*

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-13531**

*In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to review the costs of telecommunications services provided by SBC Ameritech Michigan*

On behalf of *MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC MCI WORLDCOM Communications, Inc and Brooks Fiber Communications of Michigan, Inc.*

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-13796**

*In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to facilitate the implementation of the Federal Communication Commission's Triennial Review determinations in Michigan*

On behalf of *Sage Telecom, Inc.*



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### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-12622**

*In the Matter of the application of Ameritech Michigan for approval of shared transport cost study and resolution of disputed issues related to shared transport*

On behalf of CoreComm Michigan, Inc.

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-12465**

*In the matter of the application of AT&T Communications of Michigan, Inc., and TCG Detroit for arbitration of interconnection rates, terms and conditions and related arrangements with Ameritech Michigan Pursuant to 47 USC 252(b)*

On Behalf of AT&T Communications of Michigan, Inc., and TCG Detroit.

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-11831**

*In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to consider the total long run service incremental costs for all access, toll, and local exchange services provided by Ameritech Michigan*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Michigan, Inc. and TCD Detroit.

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-11743**

*In the matter of the application and complaint of MCI TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION against MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, d/b/a AMERITECH MICHIGAN, seeking (i) a 55% discount on intrastate switched access service where intraLATA dialing parity is not provided and (ii) an order requiring implementation of intraLATA dialing parity on an expedited basis now that July 1, 1997 has passed.*

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-11757**

*In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to determine procedures to ensure that an end user of a telecommunications provider is not switched to another provider without the authorization of the end user.*

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-11448**

*In the matter of the application of the Michigan Exchange Carriers Association, Inc., for approval of a joint total service long run incremental cost study*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Michigan, Inc. and MCI Telecommunications Corporation.

### **Michigan Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC Case No. U-11280**

*In the matter, on the Commission's own motion, to consider the total service long run incremental costs and to determine the prices of unbundled network elements, interconnection services, resold services, and basic local exchange services for Ameritech Michigan*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Michigan, Inc.

### **Minnesota Public Utilities Commission**

#### **Docket No. P-5340, 421,IC-06-768**

*In the Matter of the Petition of Eschelon Telecom, Inc. for Arbitration with Qwest Corporation, Pursuant to 47 U.S.C Section 252 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996*

On behalf of Eschelon Telecom, Inc.

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### **Mississippi Public Service Commission**

#### **MPSC 2003-AD-0714**

*IN RE: generic proceeding to review the federal communications commission's triennial review order*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC MCI WORLDCOM Communications, Inc.

### **Missouri Public Service Commission**

#### **Case No. TO-2009-0037**

*In the Matter of the Petition of Charter Fiberlink-Missouri, LLC for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement Between CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC and Charter Fiberlink-Missouri, LLC*

On behalf of Charter Fiberlink Missouri, LLC

### **North Carolina Utilities Commission**

#### **NCUC Docket No. P-100, Sub 133q**

*In the Matter of: Triennial Review – UNE-P Address Implementation of Unbundling Docket No. P-100, Sub 133q*

*Requirements of R-51.319 in Determining Principally the Continued Availability of Unbundled Local Switching for the Mass-Market*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC and MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 02-579-TP-CCS**

*In the matter of the Complaint and motion of CoreComm Newco, Inc., Complainant, V. Ameritech Ohio, Respondent*

On behalf of CoreComm Newco, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 00-942-TP-COI**

*In the matter of the further investigation into Ameritech Ohio's entry into in-region interLATA service under section 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996*

On Behalf of CoreComm Newco, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 00-1188-TP-ARB**

*In the matter of the application of AT&T Communications of Ohio Inc. and TCG Ohio for arbitration of interconnection rates, terms and conditions and related arrangements with SBC Ohio*

On Behalf of AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 96-899-TP-ALT**

*In the matter of the application of Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company for approval of a retail pricing plan which may result in future rate increases and for a new alternative regulation plan*

On Behalf of AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 96-366-TP-ALT and Case No. 96-532-TP-UNC**

*In the matter of the complaint of AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc., Complainant, V. Ameritech Ohio, Respondent, In the matter of the implementation of substitute Senate Bill 306 or substitute House Bill 734 of the 121<sup>st</sup> General Assembly*

On Behalf of AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 96-922-TP-UNC**

*In the matter of the review of Ameritech Ohio's Economic Costs for Interconnection, Unbundled Network Elements, and Reciprocal Compensation for Transport and Terminations of Local Telecommunications Traffic*

On Behalf of AT&T Communications of Ohio, Inc.





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### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 02-1280-TP-UNC**

*In the Matter of the Review of SBC Ohio's TELRIC Costs of Unbundled Network Elements*

On behalf of CoreComm Newco, Inc., LDMI Telecommunications, Inc. and XO Ohio, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 07-0589-GA-AIR**

*Report of Conclusions and Recommendations on the Financial Audit of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. In Regard to Case No. 07-0589-GA-AI.*

Report to the Staff of the PUCO.

### **Public Utility Commission of Ohio**

#### **PUCO Case No. 07-0829-GA-AIR**

*Report of Conclusions and Recommendations on the Financial Audit of the East Ohio Gas Company d/b/a Dominion East Ohio In Regard to Case No. 07-0829-GA-AIR.*

Report to the Staff of the PUCO.

### **Public Service Commission of South Carolina**

#### **Docket No. 2003-326-C**

*In Re: Analysis of Continued Availability of Unbundled Local Switching for Mass Market Customers Pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission's Triennial Review Order*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC and MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc.

### **Public Utility Commission of Texas**

#### **Case No. 35869**

*Petition of Charter Fiberlink TX-CCO, LLC for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement with CenturyTel of Lake Dallas, Inc. Pursuant to Section 252 of the Federal Communications Act of 1934, as Amended, and Applicable State Laws.*

On behalf of Charter Fiberlink TX-CCO, LLC

### **Tennessee Regulatory Authority**

#### **TRA Docket No. 03-00491**

*Implementation of the Federal Communications Commission's Triennial Review Order – 9 Month Proceeding – Switching*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC and Brooks Fiber of Tennessee, Inc.

### **Tennessee Regulatory Authority**

#### **TRA Docket No. 03-00526**

*Implementation of the Federal Communications Commission's Triennial Review Order – 9 Month Proceeding – Hot Cuts*

On behalf of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC and Brooks Fiber of Tennessee, Inc.

### **Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission**

#### **WUTC Docket No. UT-063061**

*In the Matter of the Petition of Qwest Corporation for Arbitration with Eschelon Telecom, Inc. Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 252 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996*

On behalf of Eschelon Telecom, Inc.

### **Public Service Commission of Wisconsin**

#### **PSCW Docket No. 2815-TR-103**

*Application of CenturyTel of the Midwest-Kendall LLC Requesting Public Service Commission to Approve Alternative Regulation Plan*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Wisconsin, L.P. and TCG Milwaukee.





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### **Public Service Commission of Wisconsin**

#### **PSCW Docket No. 05-TI-174**

*Generic review of carrier performance and consumer benefits under alternative regulation*

On behalf of AT&T Communications of Wisconsin, Inc.

### **U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois Eastern Division**

#### **Case No. 05-C-6250**

*Cingular Wireless, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company V Omar Ahmad*

On behalf of Omar Ahmad.

### **U.S. District Court, Western District of Wisconsin**

#### **Case No. 05-C-0266-S**

*In Re: Douglas-Hanson Co. Inc. Billing Dispute with AT&T Corporation*

On behalf of Douglas-Hanson Co.

### **Selected Reports, Presentations and Publications**

Report and Conclusions and Recommendations on the Financial Audit of the East Ohio Gas Company d/b/a Dominion East Ohio in Regard to Case No. 07-0829-GA-AIR.

*Audit Report prepared by Blue Ridge Consulting Services, Inc. (with QSI serving as independent contractors) in relation to Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Case No. 07-0829-GA-AIR In the Matter of the Application of The East Ohio Gas Company d/b/a Dominion East Ohio for Authority to Increase Rates for its Gas Distribution Service*

April 2008

Report of Conclusions and Recommendations on the Financial Audit of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. in Regard to Case No. 07-0589-GA-AIR.

*Audit Report prepared by Blue Ridge Consulting Services, Inc. (with QSI serving as independent contractors) in relation to Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Case No. 07-589-GA-AIR In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. for an Increase in Gas Rates.*

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