

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION
COMMISSION**

In the Matter of the Petition of:

QWEST CORPORATATION

To be Regulated Under an Alternative
Form of Regulation Pursuant to RCW
80.36.135.

DOCKET NO. UT-061625

PUBLIC COUNSEL'S MOTION FOR
SCHEDULE EXTENSION (AGREED
REQUEST)

Pursuant to WAC 480-07-385, Public Counsel respectfully requests an extension of time and a modification of discovery response time in this case as follows:

New date for Staff, PC, Intervenor testimony -- February 5, 2007
(formerly Jan. 29)

New date for Rebuttal and cross-answering testimony --- February 23, 2007
(formerly February 16)

Discovery response time would be shortened to 5 business days beginning
February 23.

Other dates in the schedule remain the same.

Qwest and Commission Staff counsel agreed to the foregoing change and authorized Public Counsel to so state to the bench. On Friday, January 19, Public Counsel notified other counsel via email of the proposed extension and asked to be notified by Monday if a party objected. Mr. Kopta for Joint CLECs and Art Butler for WeBTEC have stated they have no objection. No other party responded. Public Counsel therefore presents this as an agreed request.

Public Counsel respectfully requests that the motion be granted.

Dated this 23rd day of January, 2007.

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