

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE  
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Petitioners,

v.

ADVANCED TELECOM GROUP, INC.,  
et al,

Respondents.

DOCKET NO. UT-033011

COMMISSION STAFF'S  
MOTION FOR EXTENSION  
OF TIME

1           The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) Staff (Staff) moves for an extension of time to file responses to the dispositive motions that were filed on November 7, 2003. Under the current schedule, responses to the dispositive motions are due on December 5, 2003. For the reasons set forth below, Staff respectfully requests a one-week extension until December 12, 2003.

2           Counsel for Commission Staff learned early in the afternoon on Wednesday, December 3, 2003, that the Staff member assigned to this matter has been out of the office unexpectedly and will not return until Monday, December 8, 2003. Counsel for Staff requires the assistance of the Staff member in preparing the response. Therefore, Staff respectfully requests an additional week to respond to the motions.

3 Staff notified counsel regarding this motion by e-mail at 1:45 p.m. on  
Wednesday, December 3, 2003. No counsel objected prior to the filing of the motion.

4 To accommodate the schedules of other counsel to this proceeding, Staff requests  
that the timeline for filing reply briefs be extended until January 6, 2004.

Dated: December 3, 2003.

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