

[Service Date July 15, 2002]

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**NOTICE EXTENDING TIME TO FILE ANSWERS TO  
PETITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION  
(July 18, 2002)**

RE: In the Matter of the Continued Costing and Pricing of Unbundled  
Network Elements and Transport and Termination  
Docket No. UT-003013; Part B

TO THE PARTIES:

The Commission on July 2, 2002, notified parties that they may file answers to Part B petitions for reconsideration on or before July 16, 2002. Verizon Northwest, Inc., in its petition raised the issue of the impact of the D.C. Circuit's decision in *USTA v. FCC*. AT&T represents that the company and other interested parties will be providing comments on that issue to the FCC on July 17, 2002, in CC Docket Nos. 01-338, 96-98 & 98-147. In order to coordinate and provide the Commission with the full benefit of its comments to the FCC, AT&T requests a short extension of time to file its pleading in this case.

The deadline for parties to file Part B answers to petitions for reconsideration is extended from July 16, 2002, to **July 18, 2002**.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN  
Secretary