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VIA MESSENGER

Ms. Carole J. Washburn, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia WA 98504-7250

Re: New Cost and Pricing Proceeding, Docket No. UT-003013

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Pursuant to the Third Supplemental Order in the above-referenced proceeding, NEXTLINK Washington, Inc., Electric Lightwave, Inc., Advanced TelCom Group, Inc., NorthPoint Communications, New Edge Networks, Inc., and McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. (collectively "Joint CLECs"), hereby request additional time to address the loop conditioning issues that the Commission has decided to address in Part A, rather than Part B as indicated in the first prehearing conference order. The Joint CLECs request a minimum of three weeks to file supplemental response testimony on these issues.



Very truly yours,

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