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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND )  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION, )  
) DOCKET NO. UT-950200  
Complainant, )  
) )  
v. )  
) TENTH SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER  
U S WEST COMMUNICATIONS, INC., ) DENYING RECONSIDERATION OF THE  
) NINTH SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER  
Respondent. )  
. . . . . )

On October 19, 1995, the Commission issued the Ninth Supplemental Granting Respondent's Oral Motion For Continuance in this proceeding. On October 20, 1995, U S WEST Communications, Inc. (USWC), responded to the Commission accepting the Commission's conditions for granting the continuance, and extending the statutory suspension period for its filed tariffs from January 21, 1996, to April 1, 1996.

On October 20, 1995, intervenors TRACER, AARP, AT&T, MCI, SPRINT, and Northwest Payphone Association filed with the Commission a joint motion for reconsideration of the order granting USWC's motion for continuance. On October 23, 1995, intervenor ETI filed a motion in support of the October 20 joint motion. Also on October 23, 1995, USWC filed an unsolicited answer to intervenors' joint motion for reconsideration.

The Commission denies the motion for reconsideration, and rejects the answer of USWC. The Commission denies the alternative relief requested by intervenors' joint motion. The Commission will reserve its ruling on the outstanding dispositive motions argued by the parties on October 17, 1995, until after the December 8, 1995 deadline for filing with the Commission any stipulations or settlements in this proceeding.

ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS That the joint intervenors' motion for reconsideration of the Ninth Supplemental Order is denied in its entirety, and the answer of USWC is rejected.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective this 24th day of October 1995.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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RICHARD HEMSTAD, Commissioner

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WILLIAM R. GILLIS, Commissioner