

[Service Date August 12, 2004]

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**NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO FILE RESPONSIVE TESTIMONY  
(Due on Wednesday, August 18, 2004)**

RE: *In the Matter of the Second Six-Month Review of Qwest Corporation's  
Performance Assurance Plan, Docket No. UT-043007.*

On Wednesday, August 11, 2004, counsel for Qwest Corporation made an oral request by telephone for an extension of time to file responsive testimony in this proceeding. Qwest requests the extension to allow the parties to engage in settlement discussions. Qwest requests an extension of time to file responsive testimony from Friday, August 13, 2004, to Wednesday, August 18, 2004. Qwest reports that all parties support or do not object to the requested extension of time.

**Qwest's oral request for an extension of time to file responsive testimony until Wednesday, August 18, 2004, is granted.** Qwest has met the requirements under WAC 480-07-385(3)(c) for an untimely request for extension of time. The parties efforts to engage in settlement discussions demonstrate good cause for an untimely request for extension.

Sincerely,

ANN E. RENDAHL  
Administrative Law Judge