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Richard J. Weaver
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RE: Request for a permanent revenue objective in Docket UT-060762

Dear Mr. Weaver:

Commission Staff (Staff) has reviewed the record in the above-referenced docket and found that in 2008, Order 05 established a temporary revenue objective of \$38,623 subject to the condition that disbursement from the Washington Exchange Carriers Association (WECA) fund be withheld pending traffic studies and a further order from the Commission. WeavTel then submitted the required traffic studies on October 30, 2009, and the Commission entered Order 06 on December 23, 2009, which authorized WECA to release to WeavTel the annual revenue objective of \$38,623. Order 06 further stated, "The previously authorized revenue objective of \$38,623 should continue to be authorized beyond February 28, 2010, until this Commission orders a successor revenue objective, if any."

More recently, representatives of WeavTel and Staff have discussed a possible revised revenue objective, but we have not been able to reach an agreement on the amount of such a revised revenue objective. We understand that you would like to bring this matter to the Commission for resolution.

Since the Commission entered Orders 5 and 6, the company has not formally filed a request for a Commission order authorizing a successor revenue objective. Therefore, if WeavTel seeks a different intrastate revenue objective, the company should file a petition in this docket that states the proposed revenue objective and provides current financial and other information that supports your request. Staff will review any such petition expeditiously and schedule it for Commission consideration at a regularly scheduled open meeting. The Commission will then decide what action to take regarding your request.

If you have any questions about this process, please contact Bill Weinman, Assistant Director – Telecommunications at (360) 664-1109 or in his absence, Jing Roth, Acting Assitant Director – Telecommunications, at (360) 664-1291 or jroth@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Mark J. Vasconi
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