

April 22, 2005

**NOTICE OF ADDITIONAL EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE RESPONSES TO BENCH REQUESTS
(Due by Friday, April 29, 2005)**

RE: *In the Matter of the Petition for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement Between DIECA Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company with Qwest Corporation Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 252(b), and the Triennial Review Order, Docket No. UT-043045*

TO PARTIES OF RECORD:

On March 25, 2005, the Commission issued a notice of bench requests for both Covad and Qwest with responses due no later than April 8, 2005. Upon joint request of Qwest and Covad, the Commission granted extensions of time to file responses from Friday, April 8, 2005, to Friday, April 15, 2005, and then from Friday, April 15, 2005, to Friday, April 22, 2005.

On April 21, 2005, Qwest filed a joint request on behalf of itself and Covad for an additional extension of time to file responses from Friday, April 22, 2005, to Friday, April 29, 2005. Qwest states the request is necessary because both parties are engaged in discussions that may resolve the issues. Qwest also states that Covad supports the request.

NOTICE IS GIVEN That the Commission extends the time for Qwest and Covad for filing responses to Bench Requests No. 01 and No. 02 until 5:00 p.m., Friday, April 29, 2005.

Sincerely,

ANN E. RENDAHL
Administrative Law Judge