

[Service Date September 17, 2004]

September 17, 2004

**NOTICE OF FILING DATE FOR ANSWERS TO MOTION TO COMPEL
PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS AND/OR INFORMATION
(Due by Wednesday, September 22, 2004)**

**NOTICE OF ORAL ARGUMENT ON MOTION
(Set for Thursday, September 23, 2004, 2:30 p.m.)**

RE: WUTC v. Verizon Northwest Inc.
Docket No. UT-040788

TO ALL PARTIES:

On September 16, 2004, Commission Staff filed a Motion to Compel Production of Documents and/or Information in the above matter. The Motion asks the Commission to order Verizon Northwest Inc. to produce documents and/or information necessary for Staff to adequately evaluate the Company's results of operations in this rate case. The Commission will ask for answers of the parties and hear oral argument upon this motion.

NOTICE IS GIVEN That answers to the motion are due on Wednesday, September 22, 2004. Parties may submit answers to the Commission electronically or via facsimile pursuant to WAC 480-07-145(6) by sending the response to records@wutc.wa.gov, and ensuring that a paper copy is filed with the Commission by Thursday, September 23, 2004.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN That oral argument is scheduled in this matter to begin at 2:30 p.m., on Thursday, September 23, 2004, in Room 206 of the Commission offices, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.

Sincerely,

C. ROBERT WALLIS
Administrative Law Judge