November 1, 2004

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY TESTIMONY (Due on Monday, December 6, 2004)

RE: WUTC v. Advanced TelCom Group, Inc., et al.; Docket No. UT-033011

TO PARTIES OF RECORD:

On October 26, 2004, I entered Order No. 16 in this proceeding, which, among other matters, granted Qwest an extension of time until December 6, 2004, to file reply testimony in this proceeding. By letter dated October 28, 2004, Commission Staff requests that the extension of time apply to replies to all response testimony, not simply Qwest's reply testimony in response to the testimony of Mr. Smith and Mr. Gray. Staff asserts that the failure to grant such an extension may prejudice Staff's case and may prevent additional motions to strike. Staff further reports that Qwest supports extending the deadline for all reply testimony until December 6, 2004.

Staff demonstrates good cause under WAC 480-07-385(2) and (3)(a) for an extension of time to file testimony. Staff's request for an extension of time for all parties to file reply testimony until Monday, December 6, 2004, is granted.

Sincerely,

ANN E. RENDAHL Administrative Law Judge