## BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition for	)	DOCKET UT-063061
Arbitration of an Interconnection	)	
Agreement between	)	
	)	ORDER 15
QWEST CORPORATION,	)	
	)	
and	)	ORDER MODIFYING
	)	PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE
ESCHELON TELECOM, INC.	)	
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	)	
Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 252(b).	)	
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## **MEMORANDUM**

- NATURE OF PROCEEDING: Docket UT-063061 involves Qwest Corporation's (Qwest) request for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with Eschelon Telecom, Inc., (Eschelon) pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.
- PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND: Orders 09 and 11 entered in this proceeding established the procedural schedule for this docket. On October 25, 2007, the Administrative Law Judge contacted the parties to determine if they were amenable to extending for 60 days the deadline for issuing the Arbitrator's Report and Order given caseload and staffing constraints. The Administrative Law Judge indicated that all other deadlines would be extended for a commensurate period of time. Both parties agreed to the extension of the procedural schedule.

3 **COMMISSION DECISION:** Absent objection by the parties, the procedural schedule should be extended by 60 days to accommodate the caseload and staffing constraints of the Commission. The revised procedural schedule is attached to this Order as Appendix A.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective November 9, 2007.

WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

PATRICIA CLARK Administrative Law Judge

## APPENDIX A PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE DOCKET UT-063061

EVENT	FORMER DATE	REVISED DATE
Arbitrator's Report and Order	November 20, 2007	January 18, 2008
Petitions for Review of Arbitrator's Report and Order	December 20, 2007	February 20, 2008
Proposed Interconnection Agreement/Answers to Petitions for Review of Arbitrator's Report and Order	January 30, 2008	March 31, 2008
Oral Argument Before Commissioners	To be determined	To be determined
Commission Decision	To be determined	To be determined