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**NOTICE GRANTING UNOPPOSED REQUEST
TO EXTEND FILING DEADLINE
(Deadline for Responses to Petitions for Review Extended from
May 5, 2008, to May 12, 2008)**

RE: *In the Matter of the Petition of QWEST CORPORATION for Arbitration with Eschelon, Inc., Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §252 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996. Docket UT-063061*

TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD:

On April 14, 2008, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered a Notice Granting Unopposed Request to Extend Filing Deadlines and extended the deadline for filing petitions for review and responses thereto. On April 21, 2008, Eschelon Telecom of Washington, Inc. (Eschelon) filed a petition for review and request for extension of time to file reply. Eschelon asserted that because the parties have had approximately three months, instead of the customary 30 days, to prepare petitions for review of the Arbitrator's Report and Decision, the deadline of May 5, 2008, for filing responses is relatively short. Eschelon requested an extension until May 12, 2008, to file responses to petitions for review. On April 21, 2008, Qwest Corporation (Qwest) also filed a Petition for Review. On April 23, 2008, Qwest filed its nonopposition to Eschelon's request for extension of time.

According to WAC 480-07-385(2), the Commission will grant a continuance if the requesting party demonstrates good cause for the continuance and the continuance will not prejudice any party or the Commission. Eschelon stated good cause for the continuance and granting the continuance should not prejudice any party or the Commission. Accordingly, the request should be granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the deadline for filing responses to petitions for review of the Arbitrator's Report and Decision is extended from May 5, 2008, to May 12, 2008.

Sincerely,

PATRICIA CLARK
Administrative Law Judge