October 28, 2008

NOTICE REQUESTING ANSWER TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION (Deadline for Answer November 7, 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 October 27, 2008, Qwest Corporation filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission), a Petition for Reconsideration of Order 18, Final Order Granting, in part, Eschelon's Petition for Review; Granting, in part, Qwest's Petition for Review; Affirming, in part, and Modifying, in part, Arbitrator's Report and Decision, entered October 16, 2008.

According to WAC 480-07-850(3), no party may file an answer to a Petition for Reconsideration unless requested by the Commission. The Commission finds that an answer from Eschelon, Inc., would aid in the resolution of the issues presented in the Petition and the Commission requests an answer by November 7, 2008.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the deadline for filing an Answer to the Petition for Reconsideration is November 7, 2008.

Sincerely,

DAVID W. DANNER
Executive Director and Secretary