

November 16, 2007

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE ANSWERS  
TO PAC-WEST'S MOTION TO EXTEND DATE TO FILE REPLIES**

**(Due Monday, November 19, 2007, by Noon)**

RE: *Qwest VNXX Complaint*, Docket UT-063038.

TO PARTIES OF RECORD:

On November 15, 2007, counsel for Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. (Pac-West) filed a motion to extend the date to file replies to answers to petitions for review in this proceeding. Pac-West requests an extension of time to file replies from Wednesday, November 21, 2007, to Friday, November 30, 2007.

Under WAC 480-07-825(5), parties may file replies to new challenges to an order that are raised in answers to petitions for review. Other than replying to such challenges, parties have no right to reply to an answer, but may seek leave to file a reply. The rule allows parties five days from service of the answer to file a reply or petition for leave to file a reply.

Pac-West asserts that Commission Staff's answer to petitions for review includes challenges to the Initial Order by requesting the Commission modify the Initial Order. Given the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday and unavailability of Pac-West's counsel, Pac-West seeks an extension of time until Friday, November 30, 2007, for parties to file replies. Pac-West reports that it has communicated with other parties and, while still waiting for responses from some parties, has received no objection to the motion.

All answers to or comments on Pac-West's motion must be submitted to the Commission electronically by Noon on Monday, November 19, 2007, and file an original and **six** paper copies with the Commission on Tuesday, November 20, 2007.

Sincerely,

ANN E. RENDAHL  
Administrative Law Judge