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Via Federal Express

Ms. Carole J. Washburn, Executive Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
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Re: Docket No. UT-023003; New Generic Cost Docket

Dear Ms. Washburn:

The Commission extended to December 12, 2003, the deadline for AT&T Communications of the Pacific Northwest, Inc. ("AT&T") to provide compelled responses to certain of the Fourth Set of Data Requests propounded by Verizon Northwest Inc. ("Verizon") in the above-referenced docket. AT&T does not possess any responsive data, but in light of Judge Mace's rulings at the November 17 prehearing conference, AT&T has been attempting to obtain responsive data from its parent corporation. AT&T has been able to obtain data for most, but not all, of the data requests to which AT&T was ordered to provide a response. AT&T, therefore, requests an additional extension of the compliance deadline to December 18, 2003. Responsive testimony is not due until March 26, 2004, and the requested extension thus will not prejudice Verizon or any other party.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Parties of Record