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UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND RULES,
ARTICLE 12 OF THE ARIZONA
ADMINISTRATIVE CODE.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE INVESTIGATION OF
THE COST OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS
ACCESS.

DOCKET NO. T-00000D-00-0672

**ALECA'S MOTION FOR
CONTINUANCE OF
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

On February 12, 2008, the Administrative Law Judge issued a Procedural Order that

1. Ordered the parties to file a matrix or list of issues and their procedural recommendations by May 1, 2008;
2. Scheduled a Procedural Conference to be held on May 8, 2008, for the purpose of determining the procedures and schedule for the above-captioned consolidated matters; and
3. Ordered that the parties may request a continuance of the May 8, 2008 Procedural Conference if they believe the process would benefit from additional time for their discussions.

On April 23, 2008, the Judge granted a motion for continuance by the Arizona Local Exchange Carriers Association ("ALECA") to provide the parties time for additional discussions.

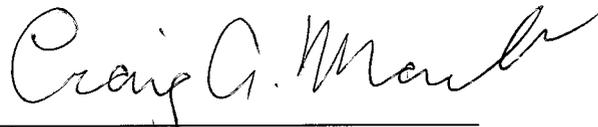
The parties were ordered to file the issues matrix by September 5, 2008, and a telephonic procedural conference was set for September 12, 2008, at 10:00 a.m.

1 Since that time ALECA has been meeting regularly with representatives from Qwest
2 Corporation and AT&T to attempt to reach a consensus position that could be then be presented
3 to the other parties in this case. To that end a conference call was scheduled for all parties on
4 August 12, 2008.

5 Unfortunately, because of preexisting commitments, Commission Staff will be
6 unavailable the week of August 11, 2008, which will delay the next all-party conference call
7 until at least the week of August 18, 2008. This will make it difficult to narrow any issues and
8 complete the issues matrix by the September 5, 2008, deadline.

9 Therefore, ALECA requests that the September 5, 2008, filing deadline and the
10 September 12, 2008, procedural conference be continued for 30 days. Commission Staff, Qwest,
11 and AT&T support this request and ALECA does not believe that any other party objects to a
12 further continuance.

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