

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

CINCINNATI BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY S )  
AVOIDED COST STUDY ) CASE NO. 97-402

O R D E R

On December 30, 1998, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company ( CBT ) requested rehearing of the December 3, 1998 Order establishing a wholesale discount rate for competitive local exchange carriers at 16.74 percent. CBT argues that the wholesale discount rate is inappropriate and illegal, but offers no new evidence. Accordingly, rehearing should be denied. However, CBT requests that it be furnished with the calculation of the wholesale discount rate. This calculation was not included in the December 3, 1998 Order because it is based upon data for which confidential treatment has been granted. The Commission will make this calculation available to CBT.

Having considered the motion for rehearing and having been otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission HEREBY ORDERS that the motion be denied.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1999.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

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Executive Director