

Commonwealth of Kentucky
Before the Public Service Commission

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In the Matter of:

BRANDENBURG TELEPHONE COMPANY;)
DUO COUNTY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE)
CORORATION, INC.; HIGHLAND TELEPHONE)
COOPERATIVE, INC.; MOUNTAIN RURAL)
TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.;)
NORTH CENTRAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE)
CORPORATION; SOUTH CENTRAL RURAL)
TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.;)
AND WEST KENTUCKY RURAL TELEPHONE)
COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.)

Case No. 2007-00004

COMPLAINANTS)

v.)

WINDSTREAM KENTUCKY EAST, INC.; AND)
WINDSTREAM KENTUCKY WEST, INC.)

DEFENDANTS)

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S
MOTION TO INTERVENE

Comes now the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by and through his Office of Rate Intervention, pursuant to KRS 367.150(8), and moves to intervene in the above-styled proceeding. The Attorney General requests that he be permitted to intervene as a party to the fullest extent

permitted by law in order to execute his statutory duties pursuant to KRS
367.150(8).

Respectfully submitted,

GREGORY D. STUMBO
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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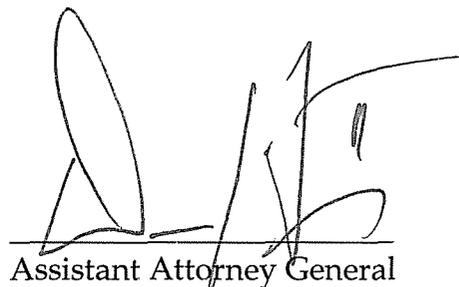
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all on this 16th day of January, 2007.



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