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Elizabeth O'Donnell
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RE: An Inquiry Into the Development of Deaveraged Rates for
Unbundled Network Elements, Administrative Case No. 382

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Enclosed for filing please find an original and eleven (11) copies of
Kentucky ALLTEL's Motion for Extension. Please return a date-stamped copy of the
Motion to me.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions,
please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

Motion (original and eleven copies)

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INQUIRY INTO THE DEVELOPMENT)
OF DEAVERAGED RATES FOR) ADM. CASE NO. 382
UNBUNDLED NETWORK ELEMENTS)

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION

Kentucky ALLTEL, Inc. ("Kentucky ALLTEL") states as follows in support of its Motion for an Extension:

1. The Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") previously established in this matter the following current procedural schedule:
 - a. January 7, 2005 - Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony
 - b. January 25, 2005 - Formal Hearing
2. Nuvox and Kentucky ALLTEL are the only active participants in this proceeding, and SouthEast Telephone, Inc. has withdrawn its participation.
3. Due in part to the complexity of the issues in this proceeding, the holiday season, and limited availability of Kentucky ALLTEL's outside consultant witness due to his present illness, Kentucky ALLTEL needs additional time in which to prepare meaningful and thorough rebuttal testimony.
4. Kentucky ALLTEL conferred with counsel for Nuvox Communications, Inc. ("Nuvox") and confirmed that Nuvox is not opposed to Kentucky ALLTEL's request for an extension.
5. Kentucky ALLTEL, therefore, requests that the current procedural schedule be amended to reflect that Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony will be filed on January 21, 2005 and

that the hearing will be rescheduled to a satisfactory date in the second half of February or later. Kentucky ALLTEL witnesses can be available the week of February 21, but Kentucky ALLTEL has not been advised and cannot presently represent whether witnesses and counsel for Nuvox are available during that week and, therefore, suggests that prior to the resetting of the hearing, that counsel for each party advise the Commission of any scheduling conflicts with respect to these or any dates the Commission may desire to schedule the hearing.

6. No harm will result from the granting of this request.

WHEREFORE, Kentucky ALLTEL requests that the Commission grant this Motion for an Extension and all other necessary and proper relief to which Kentucky ALLTEL may be entitled.

Dated this 6th day of January, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

KENTUCKY ALLTEL, INC.

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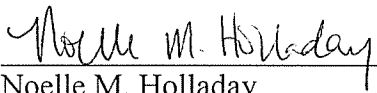
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