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Re: INTERCONNECTION NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC AND CINCINNATI SMSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP AND COALFIELDS TELEPHONE COMPANY, Foothills Rural Telephone Cooperative, Peoples Telephone Cooperative, Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative and Thacker-Grigsby Telephone Company PURSUANT TO SECTION 252(B) OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED BY THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996

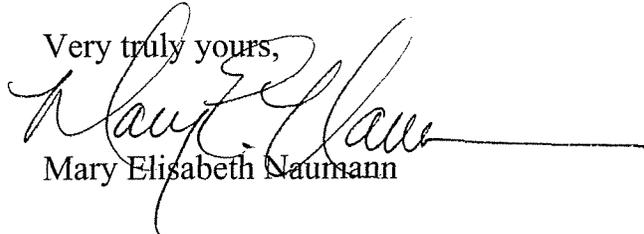
To whom it may concern:

*Case No. 2006-00715*

Please find enclosed the original and eleven copies of the parties' **Joint Motion to Amend the Effective Request Date for Negotiations under the Act and the Settlement Agreement** for filing in the above-referenced PSC proceeding. Please return a file-stamped copy with our runner.

If you should have any questions regarding this filing please call me at 859-255-9500.

Very truly yours,



Mary Elisabeth Naumann

Enclosures

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COALFIELDS TELEPHONE COMPANY, FOOTHILLS )  
RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, PEOPLES )  
TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, MOUNTAIN RURAL )  
TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE AND )  
THACKER-GRIGSBY TELEPHONE COMPANY )  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 252(B) OF THE )  
COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED )  
BY THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996 )

Case No. 7006-00715

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**JOINT MOTION TO AMEND THE EFFECTIVE REQUEST DATE FOR  
NEGOTIATIONS UNDER THE ACT AND THE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

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New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership (collectively, “Cingular”) and Coalfields Telephone Company, Foothills Rural Telephone Cooperative, Peoples Telephone Cooperative, Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative and Thacker-Grigsby Telephone Company (collectively referred to as the “RLECs”), by and through their respective attorneys, submit the following joint motion:

1. Cingular or its predecessors-in-interest and the RLECs are parties to the interim intercarrier compensation arrangements provided for in the settlement agreement between certain signatory CMRS providers, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (“BellSouth”), and certain Rural ILECs that was approved by the Commission in Case No. 2003-00045 (“Settlement Agreement”) by Orders dated April 29, 2004 and June 10, 2004.

2. Effective January 1, 2006, and in accordance with Section 3.01 of the Settlement Agreement, and consistent with Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (“Act”), Cingular requested negotiation of interconnection agreements with each of the RLECs.

3. Pursuant to the Act and the Settlement Agreement, the window for initiating arbitration opened on May 16, 2006 and remains open until June 10, 2006.

4. In light of the ongoing negotiations between the parties, and in the interest of promoting a negotiated resolution of any potential disputes between the parties regarding their respective rights and obligations under the Act, Cingular and the RLECs agree to amend the initial request date for negotiations from January 1, 2006 to April 1, 2006. Accordingly, the window for initiating arbitration per the Act would be from August 4, 2006 through August 29, 2006.

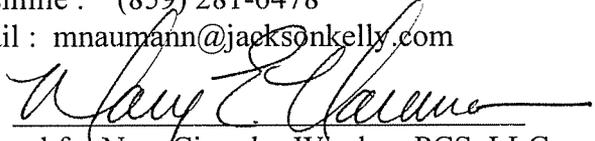
5. The Parties respectfully request that the Commission grant this joint motion to amend the effective request date for negotiations as set forth above.

Dated: June 9, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

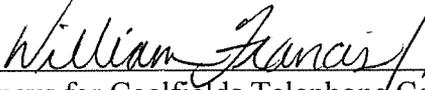
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