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In the Matter of:		JAN 16 2009
COMPLAINT OF SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY L.P. AGAINST BRANDENBURG TELEPHONE COMPANY AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED RELIEF)) CASE NO.) 2008-00135)	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE STATUS REPORT

Sprint Communications Company L.P. ("Sprint"), by counsel, moves for a fourteen (14) day extension of time for the parties to file its written status reports on the negotiations of the parties to resolve this complaint.

In support of its motion, Sprint states as follows:

- 1. On December 31, 2008 the Commission issued an order requiring that each party to this proceeding file with the Commission, within 20 days, a written status report on negotiations to resolve the complaint. The order states that the status report shall expressly state why a hearing in this matter should not be scheduled within 60 days. Based on the Commission's order, the deadline for filing status reports is Tuesday January 20, 2009.
- 2. Sprint and Brandenburg Telephone Company ("Brandenburg") have exchanged correspondence concerning potential settlement, and Sprint has been actively engaged in evaluating a response received from Brandenburg at the end of last year. However, due to absences during the recent holidays, Sprint has not been able to complete the analysis.

3. Sprint believes that once it has been able to complete the analysis and provide a substantive reply to Brandenburg, the parties will better be able to report on the progress of negotiations and the need for a hearing in this matter. Sprint submits that its request for an additional fourteen (14) days will not unduly prejudice Brandenburg and will facilitate and expedite the potential resolution of this complaint.

4. Counsel for Sprint has conferred with counsel for Brandenburg and counsel for Brandenburg does not oppose this motion as long as Brandenburg is permitted the same extension for filing its status report.

WHEREFORE, Sprint requests that the parties be granted an extension of time of additional fourteen (14) days, i.e., February 3, 2009, to file the status report.

Submitted this 16th day of January, 2009.

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I certify that this Motion has been served this day by emailing the same to John Selent, Esq., counsel for Brandenburg.

This 16th day of January, 2009.

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