COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:		
PETITION OF WINDSTREAM KENTUCKY EAST, LLC FOR ARBITRATION OF AN INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT WITH NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC D/B/A AT&T MOBILITY))))	CASE NO. 2009-00246

ORDER

On September 10, 2009, Windstream Kentucky East, LLC ("Windstream") and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a AT&T Mobility ("AT&T") filed a Proposed Joint Procedural Schedule ("Joint Schedule") for this arbitration proceeding. This Joint Schedule includes dates for the formal hearing before the Commission.

Having reviewed this Joint Schedule, the Commission finds that the Joint Schedule and the guidelines contained therein shall be adopted and followed by the Commission and by all parties to this proceeding. The Joint Schedule is attached as the Appendix to this Order.

The Telecommunications Act of 1996 imposes strict deadlines upon this proceeding. Brevity, as well as clarity of expression of position, is of the essence. It is imperative that the Commission receive appropriate information. Amended procedural schedules in this matter may be issued by the Commission by separate Order, if required.

The Commission, being sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. The parties shall abide by the Joint Procedural Schedule, as filed on September 11, 2009, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

2. The formal hearing for this matter shall take place on January 20 and 21, 2010, beginning at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.

3. The official record of these proceedings shall be by court reporter, who shall provide a written transcript of the hearing.

4. Any request to cancel or postpone this formal hearing shall be made by motion filed with the Commission at least one week before the hearing is scheduled to commence.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST

Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2009-00246 DATED **SEP 2 2 2009**

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PROPOSED JOINT PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE OF NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, D/B/A AT&T MOBILITY AND WINDSTREAM KENTUCKY EAST, LLC

September 11, 2009	Parties shall file dispositive motions, if any.
September 11, 2009	Windstream shall file its cost study in CD format.
September 11, 2009	Parties shall file and serve electronically First Data Requests.
September 25, 2009	Parties shall file and serve electronically responses and all objections to First Data Requests.
October 5, 2009	Parties shall file responses to dispositive motions, if any.
October 16, 2009	Parties shall file replies to responses to dispositive motions, if any.
October 16, 2009	Parties shall file and serve electronically Second Data Requests.
November 3, 2009	Parties shall file and serve electronically responses and objections to Second Data Requests.
November 16, 2009	Commission shall rule on dispositive motions, if any.
November 18, 2009	Parties shall file preliminary joint issues matrix.
November 24, 2009	Parties shall file Direct Testimony.
December 3, 2009	Parties shall file and serve electronically Supplemental Discovery Requests (limited to new issues, if any, raised in Direct Testimony).

Parties shall file and serve electronically responses and December 16, 2009

objections to Supplemental Discovery Requests.

Parties shall file final joint issues matrix and Rebuttal January 8, 2010

Testimony.

January 20-21, 2010

Hearing.

Simultaneous Post-Hearing Briefs: 45 days after receipt of transcript.

Simultaneous Post-Hearing Reply Briefs: 30 days after receipt of Post-Hearing Briefs.

Respectfully submitted,

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