

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

REQUEST OF CINCINNATI BELL)	
TELEPHONE COMPANY)	CASE NO. 99-293
FOR EXPEDITED APPROVAL OF A)	
RATE REDUCTION FOR ADSL SERVICE)	

O R D E R

On July 1, 1999, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company ("CBT") petitioned for expedited treatment of a rate reduction for its Asymmetrical Digital Subscriber Line ("ADSL") tariff, pursuant to KRS 278.180(2). The petition was refiled July 12, 1999. CBT argues that its request for a 50 percent reduction in the rate of its ADSL TurboSpeed package is in the public interest because it will enable the reductions to occur simultaneously in CBT's market in Ohio, Indiana, and Kentucky; it follows the pricing guidelines of CBT's alternative regulation plan; and it allows customers to benefit from the lower rate. KRS 278.180(2) authorizes the Commission to prescribe a time less than 20 days within which a reduction of rates may be made upon application by a utility.

Accordingly, CBT, having petitioned the Commission to reduce its rates for ADSL TurboSpeed upon less than 20 days' notice, and the Commission having been otherwise sufficiently advised, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the petition is granted.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 12th day of July, 1999.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director