

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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| PETITION OF BALLARD RURAL TELEPHONE  | ) |            |
| COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC. FOR    | ) | CASE NO.   |
| ARBITRATION OF CERTAIN TERMS AND     | ) | 2006-00215 |
| CONDITIONS OF PROPOSED               | ) |            |
| INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT WITH       | ) |            |
| AMERICAN CELLULAR F/K/A ACC KENTUCKY | ) |            |
| LICENSE LLC, PURSUANT TO THE         | ) |            |
| COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934, AS       | ) |            |
| AMENDED BY THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS    | ) |            |
| ACT OF 1996                          | ) |            |

O R D E R

This matter is before the Commission on the joint motion to consolidate arbitration proceedings filed by Alltel Communications, Inc. (“Alltel”); American Cellular Corporation (“ACC”); New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC, successor to BellSouth Mobility LLC and BellSouth Personal Communications LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Cingular Wireless (“Cingular”); Sprint Spectrum L.P., on behalf of itself and SprintCom, Inc., d/b/a Sprint PCS (“Sprint PCS”); T-Mobile USA, Inc., Powertel/Memphis, Inc., and T-Mobile Central LLC (“T-Mobile”); and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership (“Verizon Wireless”) (collectively referred to as the “CMRS Providers”). A response has been filed on behalf of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., Brandenburg Telephone Company, Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., Foothills Rural Telephone Company, Logan

Telephone Cooperative, Inc., Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., North Central Telephone Cooperative, Inc., Peoples Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., South Central Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., Thacker-Grigsby Telephone Company, Inc., and West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. (collectively referred to as the "RLECs"), and the motion is now ripe for review.

These cases are filed pursuant to Section 252 of the Communications Act of 1934 as amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "Act"). Following a telephonic conference with counsel of record and Commission staff, on June 19, 2006, the Commission ordered the CMRS Providers to file a consolidated response to the arbitration petitions filed by the RLECs in the cases set forth in Appendix A, attached hereto. The CMRS Providers were also permitted to file the instant joint motion to consolidate and the RLECs were permitted to file a joint response to any joint motion to consolidate.

The Act authorizes the Commission to consolidate arbitration proceedings when appropriate:

Where not inconsistent with the requirements of this Act, a State commission may, to the extent practical, consolidate proceedings. . .in order to reduce administrative burdens on telecommunications carriers, other parties to the proceedings, and the State commission in carrying out its responsibilities under the Act.

47 U.S.C. § 252(g).

The consolidated response identifies 28 issues common to the majority of the arbitration petitions which generally relate to the scope of the interconnection agreements, the terms of direct and indirect interconnection, and compensation for

services. While the Commission agrees that there are significant areas of commonality presented by the arbitration petitions, the Commission also notes that the CMRS Providers concede that the calculation of appropriate total long run incremental cost ("TELRIC") based rates for transport and termination will be unique to each RLEC.

Although the Commission recognizes that other state regulatory commissions have elected to consolidate numerous arbitration cases into a single proceeding, we are not convinced that such an omnibus consolidation is the best method for resolving these cases. Accordingly, the Commission will consolidate the 41 cases which are covered by the joint motion to consolidate into 12 cases centered upon the RLECs which are participating in these cases. The RLECs assert that if consolidation is ordered, the cases should be grouped according to individual RLECs' filings. This grouping should permit the parties to enjoy many of the benefits of consolidation suggested in the CMRS Providers' joint motion while minimizing participation in matters not relevant to any given party. We find such a consolidation to be entirely consistent with the mandate of the Act. A listing of the cases as consolidated is attached hereto as Appendix B.

We also hereby enter the schedule set forth in Appendix C of this Order to govern in each of the 12 consolidated proceedings. TELRIC studies are ordered herein to provide the Commission with a sufficient basis to establish the rates requested by the RLECs. Due to the number of arbitration petitions at issue and the relatively short time period for processing each case, the Commission will not deviate from the schedule except in the most rare instance of good cause being shown. The Commission will not impose any additional procedural conditions on the parties at this time, but fully anticipates that the parties will act whenever possible to minimize unnecessary

duplication of efforts and resources in each of the 12 consolidated proceedings. The Commission may enter a separate order at a later date setting forth in detail the process and procedures to be followed in conducting the hearings of the consolidated cases and may permit portions of the hearings to be further consolidated as circumstances may warrant.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The CMRS Providers' joint motion for consolidation of arbitration petitions is granted in part and denied in part as set forth more fully herein.

2. The 41 cases identified in Appendix A shall be consolidated into 12 cases as set forth in Appendix B with the first-filed case by each RLEC to be the lead case and the case in which all subsequent pleadings and documents are to be filed of record.

3. The following cases are hereby consolidated into this proceeding and are stricken from the Commission's docket: 2006-00216, 2006-00233, 2006-00239, 2006-00243, and 2006-00249.

4. The parties shall abide by the schedule set forth in Appendix C unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2006.

By the Commission

ATTEST:



Executive Director

## APPENDIX A

### APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2006-00215 DATED July 25, 2006

- 2006-00215      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With American Cellular F/K/A ACC Kentucky License LLC, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00216      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00217      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00218      Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With American Cellular Corporation f/k/a ACC Kentucky License LLC, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00219      Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

- 2006-00220      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With American Cellular Corporation f/k/a ACC Kentucky License LLC, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00221      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00232      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Alltel Communications, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00233      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Alltel Communications, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00234      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Alltel Communications, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00235      Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Alltel Communications, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00239      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

- 2006-00240      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00241      Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00242      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00243      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00244      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00245      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00249      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

- 2006-00250      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00251      Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00252      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With American Cellular Corporation f/k/a ACC Kentucky License LLC, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00253      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00254      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00255      Petition of South Central Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996



- 2006-00256      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00257      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00288      Petition of Brandenburg Telephone Company For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00289      Petition of Brandenburg Telephone Company For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00290      Petition of South Central Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00291      Petition of South Central Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc., Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

- 2006-00292      Petition of Foothills Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00293      Petition of Foothills Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00294      Petition of Gearheart Communications Inc. d/b/a Coalfields Telephone Company, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00295      Petition of Gearheart Communications Inc. d/b/a Coalfields Telephone Company, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00296      Petition of Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00297      Petition of Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

- 2006-00298      Petition of Peoples Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc.,  
For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed  
Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon  
Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon  
Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon  
Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As  
Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00299      Petition of Peoples Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc.,  
For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed  
Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To  
the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the  
Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00300      Petition of Thacker-Grigsby Telephone Company, Inc., For  
Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed  
Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon  
Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon  
Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon  
Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As  
Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00301      Petition of Thacker-Grigsby Telephone Company, Inc., For  
Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed  
Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To  
the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the  
Telecommunications Act of 1996

## APPENDIX B

### APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2006-00215 DATED July 25, 2006

#### BALLARD RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.

- 2006-00215      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With American Cellular F/K/A ACC Kentucky License LLC, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Lead Case)
- 2006-00216      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00233      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Alltel Communications, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00239      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00243      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00249      Petition of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

BRANDENBURG TELEPHONE COMPANY

- 2006-00288      Petition of Brandenburg Telephone Company For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996  
(Lead Case)
- 2006-00289      Petition of Brandenburg Telephone Company For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

DUO COUNTY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.

- 2006-00217      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996  
(Lead Case)
- 2006-00232      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Alltel Communications, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00240      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00244      Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

2006-00250           Petition of Duo County Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

FOOTHILLS RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.

2006-00292           Petition of Foothills Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996  
(Lead Case)

2006-00293           Petition of Foothills Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

GEARHEART COMMUNICATIONS INC.  
D/B/A COALFIELDS TELEPHONE COMPANY

2006-00294           Petition of Gearheart Communications Inc. d/b/a Coalfields Telephone Company, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996  
(Lead Case)

2006-00295           Petition of Gearheart Communications Inc. d/b/a Coalfields Telephone Company, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

LOGAN TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.

- 2006-00218 Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With American Cellular Corporation f/k/a ACC Kentucky License LLC, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Lead Case)
- 2006-00219 Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00235 Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Alltel Communications, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00241 Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00251 Petition of Logan Telephone Cooperative, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

MOUNTAIN RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.

- 2006-00296 Petition of Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Lead Case)

2006-00297      Petition of Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

NORTH CENTRAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION

2006-00252      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With American Cellular Corporation f/k/a ACC Kentucky License LLC, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Lead Case)

2006-00253      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

2006-00254      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

2006-00257      Petition of North Central Telephone Cooperative Corporation, For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

PEOPLES RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.

2006-00298      Petition of Peoples Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Lead Case)



2006-00299 Petition of Peoples Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

SOUTH CENTRAL RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.

2006-00255 Petition of South Central Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Lead Case)

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2006-00291 Petition of South Central Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc., Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

THACKER-GRIGSBY TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.

2006-00300 Petition of Thacker-Grigsby Telephone Company, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Lead Case)

2006-00301 Petition of Thacker-Grigsby Telephone Company, Inc., For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With T-Mobile USA, Inc. Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

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- 2006-00245      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC and Cincinnati SMSA Limited Partnership Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996
- 2006-00256      Petition of West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. For Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement With Sprint Spectrum, L.P., and SprintCom, Inc. d/b/a Sprint PCS Pursuant To the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996

APPENDIX C

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2006-00215 DATED July 25, 2006

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| Parties negotiate a protective agreement<br>to govern the exchange of confidential information .....  | 8/1/06          |
| RLECs file and serve TELRIC-based cost studies<br>and written testimony in support of those cost studies,<br>on which they rely to demonstrate that their proposed<br>reciprocal compensation rates meet the pricing standards<br>of 47 U.S.C. § 252(d)(2) and the FCC's part 51 pricing<br>rules. The cost studies will be provided in both hard<br>copy and in electronic format that will allow the<br>Commission and the CMRS Providers to track each<br>element from initial input to final results. All cost<br>studies will be provided in open format ..... | 8/16/06         |
| Written discovery requests shall be filed with the<br>Commission and served on all parties electronically .....   | 8/23/06         |
| Responses and all objections to discovery shall be<br>filed and served electronically .....   | 9/7/06          |
| Supplemental discovery requests shall be filed with the<br>Commission and served on all parties electronically .....  | 9/14/06         |
| Responses and objections to supplemental discovery<br>shall be filed and served electronically .....  | 9/22/06         |
| Direct testimony (other than RLEC cost witnesses) shall<br>be filed and served .....  | 9/29/06         |
| Rebuttal testimony shall be filed and served .....  | 10/6/06         |
| Public hearing is to begin at 9:00 a.m.,<br>Eastern Daylight Time, in Hearing Room 1<br>Of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower<br>Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky .....  | 10/16-18/06     |
| Opening briefs shall be filed by .....  | 11/3/06         |
| Reply briefs shall be filed by .....  | 11/15/06        |
| Commission decision .....   | End of December |