THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners: Brian J. Moline, Chair

Robert E. Krehbiel, Commissioner Michael Moffet, Commissioner

In the Matter of Application of Southwestern

Bell Telephone, L.P. for Approval of) DOCKET NO.

Interconnection Agreement Under the) 06-SWBT-234-IAT

Telecommunications Act of 1996 with Xspedius)

Communications, LLC.)

ORDER ASSESSING COSTS

The above matter comes before the State Corporation

Commission of the State of Kansas for consideration. Being fully advised of all matters of record, the Commission finds that the expenses reasonably attributable to this investigation will exceed \$100, and assesses theses expenses against Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. (SWBT) and Xspedius

Communications, LLC (XMCT) pursuant to K.S.A 66-1502. Expenses attributable to this docket shall be assessed beginning three days after notice of this assessment is given by service of this Order by United States mail. Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. (SWBT) and Xspedius Communications, LLC (XMCT) are hereby notified that they have an opportunity to request a hearing on this assessment in accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act, K.S.A. 77-501, et seq.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE COMMISSION THAT:

Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. (SWBT) and Xspedius Communications, LLC (XMCT) are assessed the costs of this investigation pursuant to K.S.A. 66-1502. A party may file a petition for reconsideration of the Order within 15 days of the date of this Order. If service is by mail, 3 additional days may be added to the 15-day time limit to petition for reconsideration. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further orders, as it may deem necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Moline, Chair; Krehbiel, Comm.; Moffet, Comm.

Dated: MAR 1 6 2006 ORDER MAILED

MAR 1 6 2006

Executive Director

Susan Laliffy Executive Director

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