

5. CURB does not agree that the How\$martsm pilot program should be offered as a tariffed service. CURB believes that if the How\$martsm pilot program is offered as a tariffed service then the How\$martsm pilot program should be considered a special service under the Commission's Billing Standards, and should not be considered a regular utility service that could result in:

a. Disconnection for failure to pay charges due under the How\$martsm pilot program per the Commission's Billing Standards.

b. Bad debts incurred under the How\$martsm pilot program being recoverable in future rate filings.

6. The Parties requested that the Commission require briefs to be filed on or before June 8, 2007, addressing the issues set forth in paragraph 5 above.

7. The Commission finds the above briefing schedule is reasonable. The briefing schedule allowing briefs to be filed on or before June 8, 2007, is adopted by the Commission.

IT IS, THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED THAT:

A. The briefing schedule set forth above is ordered. The Parties shall file briefs on or before June 8, 2007, addressing the issues set forth in paragraph 5 above.

B. The parties have fifteen days, plus three days if service is by mail, from the date the order was served in which to petition the Commission for reconsideration of any issues decided herein. K.S.A. 66-118; K.S.A. 2006 Supp. 77-529(a)(1).

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further order as it may deem necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

ORDER MAILED

Moline, Chr.; Krehbiel, Com.; Moffet, Com.

MAY 29 2007

Dated: MAY 29 2007

 Executive
Director

Susan K. Duffy
Executive Director

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