

**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

In the Matter of the Application and)
Request of South Central Telephone)
Association, Inc. for an Increase in its) Docket No. 24-SCNT-131-KSF
Cost-Based Kansas Universal Service)
Fund Support.)

**JOINT MOTION FOR PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE, PROTECTIVE ORDER, AND
DISCOVERY ORDER**

The Staff of the Kansas Corporation Commission (Staff and Commission, respectively) and South Central Telephone Association, Inc. (“SCT”) (together, “Joint Movants”) hereby move the Commission to adopt the following procedural schedule in this matter:

Staff and Intervenor Testimony Due	Thursday, December 14, 2023
Cross-Answering Testimony Due	Thursday, December 21, 2023
SCT Rebuttal Testimony Due	Wednesday, January 3, 2024
Settlement Conference	Monday, January 8, 2024 Time and Location TBD by Parties
Discovery Cutoff	Monday, January 8, 2024
Settlement Due Date	Tuesday, January 16, 2024
Testimony in Support of Settlement Due	Monday, January 22, 2024
Prehearing Conference	Monday, January 22, 2024 9:00 a.m. in the Commission’s Third Floor Conference Room (Topeka)
Evidentiary Hearing	Monday, January 29, 2024 9:00 a.m. in the Commission’s First Floor Hearing Room (Topeka)
SCT Initial Brief	Monday, February 19, 2024
Staff and Intervenor Responsive Brief	Monday, February 26, 2024
SCT Reply Brief	Monday, March 4, 2024
Commission Order Date	Thursday, April 4, 2024

WHEREFORE, the Joint Movants respectfully move the Commission to adopt the proposed procedural schedule at the times most convenient to the Commission, and hold any

conferences or evidentiary hearings at the Commission's Topeka Office, 1500 SW Arrowhead Rd., Topeka, KS 66604. Furthermore, the Joint Movants move the Commission to adopt a Protective Order and Discovery Order.

Respectfully Submitted,

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VERIFICATION

I, the undersigned, hereby certify under penalty of perjury pursuant to K.S.A. 53-601 that I am an attorney for South Central Telephone Association, Inc. and that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on September 5, 2023.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that on September 5, 2023, she emailed the above Joint Motion to the following persons listed on the Commission's website for this docket as the "service list":

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