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Kansas Corporation Commission
/S/ Jeffrey S. Wasaman

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

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PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMES now the Staff of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas ("Staff' and "Commission", respectively), and files this Petition for Reconsideration pursuant to K.S.A. 66-118b, K.S.A. 77-529, and K.A.R. 82-1-235. In support of its Petition, Staff hereby states as follows:

- 1. On January 27, 2000, the Commission issued its Order No. 3: Order Making This Docket a General Investigation, Assessing Costs, and Establishing a Procedural Schedule. While Staff generally supports the Commission's decisions in Order No. 3, Staff believes that the Commission should consider other means for a more effective resolution to this docket, and therefore requests that its Petition for Reconsideration be granted for the purposes of altering the procedural schedule.
- 2. Staff notes that the current procedural schedule asks for initial comments on February 25, 2000, responsive comments on March 14, 2000, and a hearing for oral arguments on March 30, 2000. Staff suggests that an alternative expanded procedural schedule allowing the parties more time to address specific topics concerning revenue imputation of discounted service agreements would result in a more complete record for a Commission determination.
- 3. With the current form of the procedural schedule and requested comments, Staff is concerned that the Commission may not have sufficient information to reach a general policy determination of an appropriate amount of revenue imputation for discounted service agreements, if the Commission decides to impute revenues at all. Staff urges that the Commission's intent can best

be served by forming specific questions and hypothetical situations as topics for comment. Staff

believes that such guidance would allow the parties to file more pointed comments with respect to

specific issues regarding revenue imputation of discounted service agreements, resulting in a more

focused and productive investigation. With more specific comments from the parties, the Commission

could build a more complete record and make a more definitive determination of the issues. Staff

suggests that it can formulate and file appropriate suggested topics for a more centered and supported

discussion by mid-March, 2000. The Commission could adopt or modify Staff's suggestions as

needed. Subsequently, the Commission's procedural schedule can be resumed, with possible deadlines

for comments in late April, 2000, and responsive comments in mid-to-late May, 2000.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above, Staff requests that its Petition for

Reconsideration be granted, and that the Commission adopt a revised procedural schedule.

Respectfully Submitted,

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS)
) ss:
COUNTY OF SHAWNEE)

Paula Lentz, being duly sworn upon her oath, deposes and states that she is one of the attorneys of the Kansas Corporation Commission; that she has read and is familiar with the foregoing Petition for Reconsideration filed herewith; and that the statements made herein are true to the best of her knowledge, information and belief.

Paula Lentz

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 4th day of February, 2000.

PAMELA J. GRIFFETH
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Petition*For Reconsideration was placed in the United States mail, postage prepaid, on this 4th day of February, 2000, addressed to the following and attached service list.

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