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BEFORE


THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Complaint of AT&T	)	
Ohio,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 07-755-TP-CSS
	)	
United Telephone Company of Ohio dba	)	
Embarq,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On June 27, 2007, AT&T Ohio (AT&T) filed a complaint against United Telephone Company of Ohio dba Embarq (Embarq) seeking a declaratory ruling to determine whether Embarq is demanding unlawful and unreasonable charges for service. The charges relate to a telecommunications service agreement with the State of Ohio and a related subcontractor agreement between AT&T and Embarq.
- (2) On July 6, 2007, Embarq filed a motion requesting that it be granted until August 4, 2007, to move or plead.
- (3) On July 18, 2007, the attorney examiner granted Embarq until August 6, 2007, to move or plead.
- (4) On August 2, 2007, Embarq filed a motion requesting an additional extension of time to file a response to the complaint. Embarq explains that the parties are attempting to arrange a meeting to discuss the matters raised in the complaint. Embarq requests that it be granted until August 20, 2007, to file a response. Counsel for AT&T does not oppose the extension of time. Because of the time constraints, Embarq requests an expedited ruling.
- (5) Taking into consideration that there is no undue delay, prejudice to any party, or objection from AT&T, the motion to

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extend the time for responding to the complaint is reasonable and should be granted. Accordingly, the time to respond to the complaint shall be extended to August 20, 2007.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That Embarq's motion to extend time is granted. Embarq shall file an answer and other appropriate pleadings on or before August 20, 2007. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon AT&T and its counsel, Embarq and its counsel, and all interested persons of record.

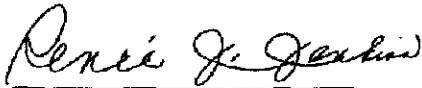
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