

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

Case No. 07-668-TP-CSS

The attorney examiner finds:

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In their September 12, 2007, joint motion, the parties request that the due date for NT-M's response to Level 3's motion to dismiss NT-M's counterclaim be extended from September 12, 2007, to October 3, 2007, and that the due date for Level 3's response to NT-M's motion to dismiss the complaint as moot be extended from September 18, 2007, to October 9, 2007.

- (6) Noting the mutual consent of the parties and the likelihood of a voluntary dismissal of all claims, the parties have shown good cause to grant the joint motion to extend time. Accordingly, the motion to extend time and the request for an expedited ruling shall be granted. NT-M shall be granted until October 3, 2007, to file a response to Level 3's motion to dismiss NT-M's counterclaim. Level 3 shall be granted until October 9, 2007, to file a response to NT-M's motion to dismiss the complaint as moot.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the joint motion to extend time is granted. It is, further,

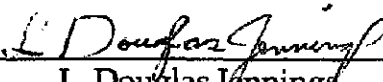
ORDERED, That NT-M shall be granted until October 3, 2007, to file a response to Level 3's motion to dismiss NT-M's counterclaim. It is, further,

ORDERED, That Level 3 shall be granted until October 9, 2007, to file a response to NT-M's motion to dismiss the complaint as moot. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon NT-M and its counsel, Level 3 and its counsel, and all interested persons of record.

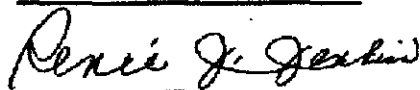
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