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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the Commission Investigation)
Into the Treatment of Reciprocal) Case No. 99-941-TP-ARB
Compensation for Internet Service Provider)
Traffic)

**MOTION TO INTERVENE OF
NEXTLINK OHIO, INC.**

Now comes NEXTLINK Ohio, Inc.. ("NEXTLINK"), and pursuant to Section 4903.221 of the Ohio Revised Code and Rule 4901-1-11 of the Ohio Administrative Code, respectfully requests that it be permitted to intervene in this matter. NEXTLINK has a real and substantial interest in this generic arbitration and will be affected by the outcome of this proceeding. The reasons in support of this motion are more fully set forth in the attached Memorandum in Support.

Respectfully submitted, ,


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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application)	
of Ameritech Ohio for Approval of an)	Case No. 93-487-TP-ALT
Alternative Form of Regulation)	

MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

In its January 13, 2000, Entry in this proceeding, the Commission determined that it would be appropriate to initiate an investigation that would determine, on a generic basis, the appropriate compensation mechanism with respect to dial-up internet service provider ("ISP") bound traffic. The Commission invited any stakeholder interested in the generic resolution of this matter to intervene.

NEXTLINK is a certified, operational provider of basic local exchange in Ohio with approved tariffs on file with the Commission. Additionally, NEXTLINK has Commission-approved interconnection agreements with both Ameritech Ohio and GTE North. As such, NEXTLINK has exchanged local traffic with Ameritech since May 1, 1997, some of which terminates to ISPs. Therefore, any Commission-adopted policy on this issue will affect NEXTLINK's interconnection arrangements with both Ameritech Ohio and GTE North. NEXTLINK's intervention in this proceeding will contribute to a just and expeditious resolution of the issues and would not unduly prolong or delay the proceedings.

For all the foregoing reasons, NEXTLINK respectfully requests that the Commission grant this motion to intervene.

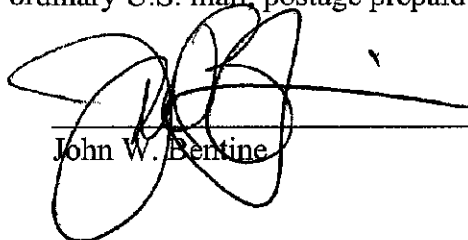
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing Motion to Intervene was served upon the following parties of record this 7th day of February, 2000, via electronic transmission, hand-delivery or ordinary U.S. mail, postage prepaid.



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