

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Petition for Arbitration)	
of Unresolved Issues in a Section 251(b)(5))	Case No. TO-2006-0463
Agreement with ALLTEL Wireless)	
and Western Wireless)	

JOINT STATUS REPORT

COME NOW Alltel Communications, Inc. and WWC License L.L.C. ("ALLTEL" or "Respondents"), and the petitioning small incumbent local exchange companies ("Petitioners"), (collectively, "The Parties"), and, pursuant to the *Order Suspending Procedural Schedule* issued in this case on August 7, 2006, respectfully state to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") as follows:

The Parties are diligently working, and making progress, toward resolution of the issues in this case. An individual Interconnection Agreement is required as to each of the Petitioners to finally reflect such resolution. The Parties will require additional time to complete the process of finalizing and filing all the negotiated agreements herein.

The arbitration deadline in this case is currently November 17, 2006, per the Commission's *Order Granting Joint Motion to Extend Arbitration Deadline and Setting Procedural Schedule* issued on July 13, 2006. The Parties request additional time, until October 2, 2006, for either filing their negotiated agreements or filing another status report herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document has been served electronically on the General Counsel's Office, the Office of the Public Counsel, counsel for Petitioners and the party representative shown below, this 1st day of September 2006.

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