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On January 20, 2000, the Commission issued an order that granted SWBT's request to intervene and directed the parties to file a proposed procedural schedule by February 25, 2000, or, in lieu thereof, providing

for the filing of a stipulation and agreement of the parties. On February 24, 2000, Snappy Phone filed a Proposed Procedural Schedule but also indicated that a unanimous Joint Stipulation and Agreement should be completed and filed by March 31, 2000. Snappy Phone indicated that the parties had agreed to the proposed procedural schedule, but that the anticipated adoption of a unanimous Joint Stipulation and Agreement should alleviate the need for any further procedural schedule in this case.

Inasmuch the parties to this proceeding are near an agreement as indicated by Snappy Phone, it appears reasonable and in the interest of administrative economy to extend the time for adopting a procedural schedule to allow time for the parties to consider a possible agreement. If the agreement is not filed by the date certain stated in the ordered paragraph below, the Commission will issue an order adopting the procedural schedule presented by Snappy Phone and on the behalf of the parties.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That parties may file their unanimous Stipulation and Agreement in this case no later than March 31, 2000; however, if an agreement is not filed in this case, the Commission will issue its order adopting the procedural schedule presented by Snappy Phone of Texas, Inc., on February 25, 2000.

2. That this order shall become effective on March 9, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts  
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Keith Thornburg, Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1)  
(November 30, 1995) and  
Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 28th day of February, 2000.