

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-4302
of Cellco Partnership and its)
Subsidiaries and Affiliates to) ORDER SCHEDULING ARGUMENT ON
Amend Eligible Telecommunication) MOTIONS TO COMPEL, TO LIMIT
Carrier Designation in the State) PARTICIPATION AND TO STRIKE
of Nebraska.)
) Entered: April 28, 2011

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

By Application filed September 3, 2010, Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") on behalf of itself and its subsidiaries and affiliates offering commercial mobile radio services ("CMRS") in the State of Nebraska (collectively "Verizon Wireless") seeks an Order amending its Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") designation originally issued in the name of Alltel Communications of Nebraska, Inc., in the State of Nebraska to reflect the Cellco and its affiliated legal entities as the designated entity. Notice of this Application appeared in the Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on September 10, 2010.

Petitions seeking Formal Intervention in this proceeding were filed by the Nebraska Rural Independent Companies ("RIC")¹, Huntel CableVision Inc. d/b/a American Broadband Nebraska Communications Inc. and Three River Communications, LLC and Nebraska Technology and Telecommunications, Inc. ("NT&T"). By Order of the Commission these Petitions were subsequently granted. Protests to the application were also filed by United States Cellular Company ("USCC") and by N.E. Colorado Cellular Inc. d/b/a Viaero Wireless ("Viaero").

Consistent with the procedural schedule, the parties were authorized to propound supplemental discovery. Motions to Compel were filed on April 22, 2011, by Cellco, USCC and Viaero. The procedural order indicated that an oral argument on any Motions to Compel would be scheduled approximately seven (7) days the date of filing.

In addition, on April 22, 2011, Cellco filed: 1) a Motion to Limit Intervener's Participation; and 2) a Motion to Strike Testimony of Witness Peter Bluhm.

¹ The Nebraska Rural Independent Companies ("RIC") is comprised of the following carriers: Arlington Telephone Company, Blair Telephone Company, Cambridge Telephone Co., Clarks Telecommunications Co., Consolidated Telephone Company, Consolidated Telco Inc., Consolidated Telcom Inc., The Curtis Telephone Company, Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company, Great Plains Communications, Inc., Hamilton Telephone Company, Hartington Telecommunications Co., Inc., Hershey Cooperative Telephone Company, Inc., K&M Telephone Company, Inc., The Nebraska Central Telephone Company, Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company, Rock County Telephone Company, Stanton Telephone Co., Inc. and Three River Telco.

Accordingly, I hereby schedule an oral argument on the Motions to Compel, the Motion to Limit Intervener's Participation; and the Motion to Strike Testimony of Witness Peter Bluhm. Arguments shall be heard on **May 4, 2011** at **10:00 a.m.**, central time, in the Niobrara Conference Room, 300 The Atrium Building, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508. A telephone bridge will also be made available. The call-in number is (402)472-6295. Responsive pleadings to the Motions may be submitted on or before May 2, 2011.

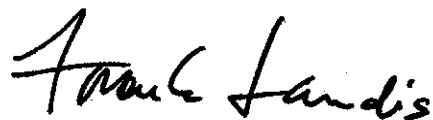
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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that responsive pleadings to the Motions described herein may be submitted on or before May 2, 2011.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 28th day of April 2011.

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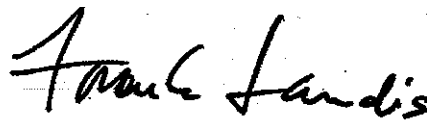
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