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Hon. Ron Jones, Chairman  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
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RE: *Joint Petition for Arbitration of NewSouth Communications Corp., et al. of an  
Interconnection Agreement with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Pursuant to  
Section 252(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended; Docket No. 04-00046*

Dear Chairman Jones:

Enclosed are the original and 13 copies of NuVox Communication, Inc.'s Motion for Extension of Time to File Final Best Offers. I am authorized to state that BellSouth does not oppose the motion.

As I will be out of the country July 3 - 18, please contact my co-counsel, John Heitman (202-342-8400)

Very truly yours,



H. LaDon Baltimore  
Counsel for NuVox Communications, Inc.

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Enclosures  
cc: Guy Hicks, Esq.

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

In the Matter of	)	
	)	
Joint Petition for Arbitration of	)	
	)	
NEWSOUTH COMMUNICATIONS CORP.,	)	
NUVOX COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	)	
KMC TELECOM V, INC., KMC TELECOM	)	
III LLC, and XSPEDIUS COMMUNICATIONS,	)	
LLC on Behalf of its Operating	)	Docket No. 04-00046
Subsidiaries XSPEDIUS MANAGEMENT CO.	)	
SWITCHED SERVICES, LLC and Xspedius	)	
Management Co. of	)	
CHATTANOOGA, LLC	)	
Of an Interconnection Agreement with	)	
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.	)	
Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the	)	
Communications Act of 1934, as	)	
Amended	)	

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE FINAL BEST OFFERS

NuVox Communications, Inc. ("Petitioner") files this motion seeking an extension of time to file revised Final Best Offers ("FBOs") with respect to Item 65 (Issue 6-5). An extension will not impair the interests of justice and will enable the parties to further negotiate, which may result in a settlement. The FBOs can be considered at an early August Directors' Conference.

The Petitioner respectfully requests that the deadline for filing be extended from July 5, 2006 to July 17, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,



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**Certificate of Service**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been forwarded via U. S. Mail, first class postage prepaid, to the following, this the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006.

*and via fax to*

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