

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

**NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**August 14, 2007**

**IN RE:**

**PETITION OF FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF  
AMERICA INC. TO AMEND ITS CERTIFICATE OF  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY**

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07-00155**


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**ORDER APPOINTING A HEARING OFFICER**

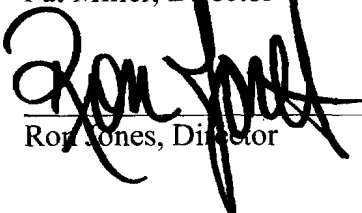
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This matter came before Chairman Eddie Roberson, Director Pat Miller and Director Ron Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on July 9, 2007 for consideration of the *Petition of Frontier Communications of America, Inc. to Amend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("Petition")* filed by Frontier Communications of America, Inc. on June 20, 2007. During the Authority Conference, the panel voted unanimously to appoint the Authority's General Counsel or his designee to serve as Hearing Officer for the purpose of hearing preliminary matters, setting a procedural schedule to completion and preparing the matter for a hearing before the panel.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

  
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Eddie Roberson, Chairman

  
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Pat Miller, Director

  
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Ron Jones, Director