

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

November 13, 2007

IN RE:

**PETITION OF JACKSON ENERGY AUTHORITY
TO EXPAND ITS CCN TO PROVIDE INTRASTATE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES**

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**DOCKET NO.
07-00201**

ORDER APPOINTING A HEARING OFFICER

This matter came before Chairman Eddie Roberson, Director Sara Kyle 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 September 24, 2007 for consideration of the *Application of Jackson Energy Authority for Expanded Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Intrastate Telecommunications Services* filed on August 31, 2007 by Jackson Energy Authority. A petition to intervene was filed by Aeneas Communications, LLC on September 14, 2007.

During the Authority Conference, the panel voted unanimously to appoint the Authority's General Counsel or his designee to act as the Hearing Officer in this proceeding to hear preliminary matters prior to the Hearing, to rule on any petition(s) for intervention, and to set a procedural schedule to completion and prepare the matter for a hearing before the panel.

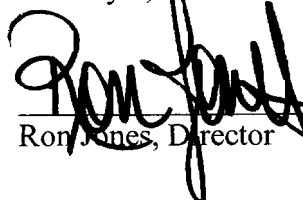
IT IS SO ORDERED.



Eddie Roberson, Chairman



Sara Kyle, Director



Ron Jones, Director