

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**IN RE: UNITED TELEPHONE-SOUTHEAST
INC. d/b/a EMBARQ CORPORATION
TARIFF FILING TO INCREASE RATES IN
CONJUNCTION WITH THE APPROVED
2007 ANNUAL PRICE CAP FILING**

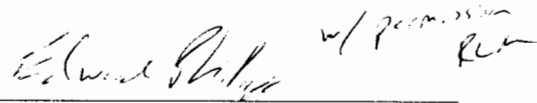
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DOCKET NO. 07-00269


AGREED PROPOSED SCHEDULE

Attached is an agreed procedural schedule. In agreeing to the schedule proposed by the Consumer Advocate, United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. ("Embarq") does not agree that this matter should be heard in light of the Authority's decision in Docket No. 06-00232. However, Embarq understands that the Authority has ordered the matter to proceed as a contested case and hereby submits this joint schedule to the Hearing Officer without waiving its rights to seek reconsideration before the Authority or review by the Tennessee Court of Appeals.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Proposed Procedural Schedule for Docket 07-00269

Action	Date
First Round of Discovery Due	February 5, 2007
First Round Discovery Responses & Objections Due	February 26, 2007
Motions to Compel Due	February 28, 2007
Responses to Motions to Compel	March 3, 2007
Status Conference for Motion(s) to Compel (if necessary)	March 4, 2007
Pre-filed Direct Testimony of Parties	April 16, 2007
Second Round of Discovery Requests	April 23, 2007
Second Round Discovery Responses & Objections Due	May 7, 2007
Motions to Compel Due	May 9, 2007
Responses to Motion to Compel Due	May 12, 2007
Status Conference for Motion(s) to Compel (if necessary)	May 14, 2007
Rebuttal Testimony of the Parties Due	May 27, 2007
Exchange and Filing of Exhibits	May 30, 2007
Status Conference to Resolve Pre-Hearing Matters	June 6, 2007
Hearing on the Merits	June 11-12, 2007