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Hon. Eddie Roberson; Chairman
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37238

**Re: Rulemaking for Competitive Exemptions for Price Regulated
and Competitive Carriers; Docket No. 09-00032**

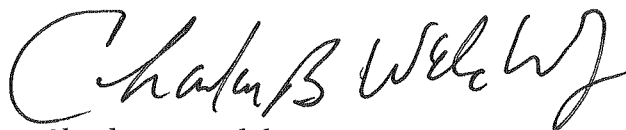
Dear Chairman Roberson:

Tw telecom of tennessee, llc ("twtc") respectfully requests the Authority to extend the comment period in the referenced rule making docket until such time as the Market Regulation Act of 2009 (the "Act"), House Bill 1698/ Senate Bill 1954, becomes law or, alternatively, twtc requests to reserve the right to make future comments following its analysis of the Act, after receiving an engrossed copy of same. Considering the relationship of the Act, which was amended on the Senate floor immediately prior to passage, to the proposed rules, twtc believes the proposed rules may be inconsistent with the Act and any comments at this time would be premature. Therefore, twtc encourages the Authority to delay the process for the purpose of allowing a deliberate analysis of the rules following the availability of the final version of the Act.

If you should have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me. I am

Very truly yours,

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