BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

February _28 , 1997

Nashville, Tennessee

IN RE:

UNITED TELEPHONE-SOUTHEAST, INC., TARIFF NO. 96-201 TO REFLECT ANNUAL PRICE CAP ADJUSTMENT

DOCKET NO. 96-01423

<u>ORDER</u>

A Motion for Extension of Time to File Surrebuttal Testimony to February 28, 1997, was filed by United Telephone-Southeast, Inc., and presented to Chairman Lynn Greer as Hearing Officer in this Case.

This Motion is based on the unavailability of United's only witness in this Case due to the death of the witnesses' relative. United has stated that it has contacted counsel for all parties of record in this Case and said Motion has been agreed to by all of the parties.

Upon review of the above and after consultation with Staff and the other Directors, it is determined that the above Motion be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the foregoing Motion is approved and Surrebuttal Testimony will not be due until noon on Friday, February 28, 1997.

Chairman, as Hearing Officer