BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY January 23, 2002 Nashville, Tennessee

In Re:

U S WEST Long Distance, Inc.)

for Cancellation of Authority to Provide) Docket No. 96-01536 Resold Telecommunication) Co. ID: 124710

Services In Tennessee

ORDER GRANTING CANCELLATION OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE RESOLD TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES

This matter is before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority upon the request of U S WEST Long Distance, Inc. to cancel their authority to provide Telecommunications Services in Tennessee. This matter was considered by the Authority at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on January 23, 2002.

WHEREFORE, having considered the request of U S WEST Long Distance, Inc. to cancel their authority, the Authority finds that such a cancellation should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1) That the request of U S WEST Long Distance, Inc. to cancel their authority to provide Resold Telecommunications services in Tennessee, Docket No. 96-01536, is hereby granted; and,

2) That this docket is herewith closed.

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Chairman Sara Kyle

rector Lynn Greer

Director Melvin Malone

ATTEST:

K. David Waddell