

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of	)	
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QWEST CORPORATION	)	RULING
	)	
Petition to Exempt from Regulation	)	
Qwest's Switched Business Services.	)	

**DISPOSITION: REQUEST TO MODIFY SCHEDULE GRANTED;  
REVISED SCHEDULE ADOPTED**

By electronic filing of January 23, 2006, Staff Counsel filed a Request for an Extension (Request) due to illness in the family. The Request asked that Staff and other intervening parties be granted an extension of time in which to file reply briefs from January 23, 2006, to January 25, 2006, and to extend the time by which Qwest may file a brief in reply from February 14, 2006, to February 16, 2006.

Staff counsel represents that she has consulted with all parties and that no party to the proceeding has interposed any objection to the schedule change.

I find that good cause exists to adopt the following schedule:

Staff and Intervenor Post-Hearing Response Briefs Due	January 25, 2006
Qwest Post-Hearing Reply Brief Due	February 16, 2006

**RULING**

Staff's Request for an Extension is GRANTED. The schedule set forth above is ADOPTED.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 23rd day of January, 2006.

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Allan J. Arlow  
Administrative Law Judge