

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

ARB 789

In the Matter of)
)
CLEAR CREEK MUTUAL TELEPHONE)
COMPANY)
)
Petition for Arbitration of an Inter-)
connection Agreement with BEAVER)
CREEK COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE)
COMPANY pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §§ 251)
and 252.)

RULING

**DISPOSITION: HEARING AND POST-HEARING BRIEFING
WAIVED; PREFILED TESTIMONY ADMITTED;
RECORD CLOSED**

On September 26, 2007, a telephone conference was held with Clear Creek Mutual Telephone Company (CCMT) and Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Company (BCT), regarding the schedule for the remainder of the proceedings. At the conference, the parties agreed to waive the right to present oral testimony and to cross-examine opposing witnesses and to submit post-hearing opening and reply briefs. The parties further agreed to the admission of all previously filed testimony into the record.

BCT then asked for and received permission to submit further testimony with respect to an amendment to the interconnection agreement between BCT and Qwest Corporation, to which CCMT did not object, but reserved the right to file reply testimony. On September 28, 2007, BCT filed Exhibit BCT/108, Supplemental Testimony of Tom Linstrom. On October 3, 2007, counsel for CCMT advised the Commission that it would not be filing any testimony or argument in reply.

RULING

1. The testimony and exhibits set forth in Attachment A are ADMITTED INTO THE RECORD.

2. The Record is CLOSED.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 19th day of October, 2007.

Allan J. Arlow, Arbitrator

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EXHIBITS

Docket No: ARB 789

Hearing Date: n/a, hearing waived

Docket Name: In the Matter of Clear Creek Mutual Telephone Company Petition for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement with Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Company pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §§251 and 252.

Party and #	Description	Disposition	Pre-Filed? (Y/N)
Joint	Joint Statement of Undisputed Facts and Joint Responses to Bench Requests, July 31, 2007/1-7	Admitted	Y
CCMTC/1, Moore/1-15 and Exhibit A, 1-6	Direct Testimony of Mitchell Moore for Clear Creek Mutual Telephone Company, August 23, 2007	Admitted	Y
BCT/1, Warner/1-9	Direct Testimony of David Warner, August 23, 2007	Admitted	Y
BCT/101, Warner/1	Exhibit Accompanying Direct Testimony of David Warner, List of Serviceable Addresses and Locations, August 23, 2007	Admitted	Y
BCT/102, Warner/1-7	Exhibit Accompanying Direct Testimony of David Warner, BCT's Response to CCMT's Data Request No. 1, August 23, 2007	Admitted	Y
BCT/103, Warner/1-15	Exhibit Accompanying Direct Testimony of David Warner, CCMT's Response to BCT's Second Set of Discovery Requests, August 23, 2007	Admitted	Y
Qwest Corporation	Amicus Comments and Clarification Regarding Parties' Responses to ALJ Bench Requests, August 20, 2007	Admitted	Y
BCT/104, Warner/1-9	Rebuttal Testimony of David Warner, September 4, 2007	Admitted	Y

BCT/105, Warner/1-2	Exhibit Accompanying Rebuttal Testimony of David Warner, Qwest Response to BCT Traffic Scenarios	Admitted	Y
BCT/106, Warner/1-11	Exhibit Accompanying Rebuttal Testimony of David Warner, CCMT's Response to BCT's First Set of Discover Requests	Admitted	Y
CCMTC/2, Moore/1-8	Reply Testimony of Mitchell Moore for Clear Creek Mutual Telephone Company, September 4, 2007	Admitted	Y
BCT/108,¹ Linstrom/1-3	Supplemental Testimony of Tom Linstrom, September 28, 2007	Admitted	Y
BCT/109, Linstrom/1-4	Exhibit Accompanying Supplemental Testimony of Tom Linstrom, Bill and Keep Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Between Qwest Corp. and Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Co., September 28, 2007	Admitted	Y

¹ BCT did not file any testimony or exhibit designated BCT/107.