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PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
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November 7, 2003

Re: **Petition of US LEC of Pennsylvania Inc. for Arbitration with Verizon
Pennsylvania Inc. Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications
Act of 1996, Docket No. A-310814F7000**

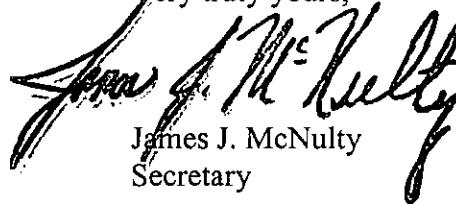
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TO ALL PARTIES:

On November 3, 2003, Verizon Pennsylvania Inc. and US LEC of Pennsylvania Inc. jointly, requested a 30-day extension of the Commission's deadline for filing the final Interconnection Agreement in the above-captioned proceeding. The request is premised, in part, on the fact that the complexity of some of the language, relating to the issue in the Commission's October 7, 2003 Order on Reconsideration, necessitates additional time to finalize.

Our review of the joint-request leads us to conclude that good cause has been shown so as to warrant a grant of the requested extension. Therefore, we shall extend the deadline to file the final Interconnection Agreement by 30 days, from November 6, to December 8, 2003.

Very truly yours,



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Secretary

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