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June 9, 2006

Ms. Mary Jo Kunkle
Executive Secretary
Michigan Public Service Commission
6545 Mercantile Way, Ste. 7
Lansing, MI 48911

Re: In the matter of the Petition of Ace Telephone Company, et al., for the Arbitration of Interconnection Rates, Terms, and Conditions and Related Arrangements with Alltel Communications, Inc., Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996
MPSC Case No. U-14889

Dear Ms. Kunkle:

Enclosed for filing please find the following:

- Response to Petition for Arbitration;
- Direct Testimony of Will Brandt on Behalf of Alltel Communications with attached Affidavit and Exhibits;
- Direct Testimony of W. Craig Conwell on Behalf of Alltel Communications with attached Affidavit and Exhibits;
- Direct Testimony of Ron Williams on Behalf of Alltel Communications with attached Affidavit and Exhibits; and
- Proof of Service of the above documents.

Please call if you have any questions regarding the enclosures.

Very truly yours,

FRASER TREBILCOCK DAVIS & DUNLAP, P.C.


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Enclosures

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Stephen B. Rowell
Wendy Thelen
Anne-Marie Clark
Sharon Feldman, Administrative Law Judge

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition of Ace Telephone)
Company, Allendale Telephone Company,)
Barry County Telephone Company, Blanchard)
Telephone Company, Bloomingdale Telephone)
Company, Chippewa County Telephone Company)
Deerfield Farmers' Telephone Company,)
Hiawatha Telephone Company, Kaleva Telephone)
Company, Midway Telephone Company, Ogden)
Telephone Company, Ontonagon Telephone)
Company, Pigeon Telephone Company, the)
Upper Peninsula Telephone Company, Waldron)
Telephone Company, and Winn Telephone)
Company, For the Arbitration of Interconnection)
Rates, Terms and Conditions and Related)
Arrangements with Alltel Communications, Inc.)
Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Federal)
Telecommunications Act of 1996)
_____)

Case No. U-14889

Proof of Service

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF INGHAM)

Debbie K. Lange, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on this 9th day of June, 2006, she served a copy of Response to Petition for Arbitration; Direct Testimony of Will Brandt on Behalf of Alltel Communications with attached Affidavit and Exhibits; Direct Testimony of W. Craig Conwell on Behalf of Alltel Communications with attached Affidavit and Exhibits; Direct Testimony of Ron Williams on Behalf of Alltel Communications with attached Affidavit and Exhibits; and Proof of Service for same on the following individuals by e-mail to the e-mail addresses listed below:

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Anne-Marie Clark at clarka@michigan.gov
Sharon Feldman, Administrative Law Judge at slfeldm@michigan.gov
Steve Gatto at stevegatto@hotmail.com

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Debbie K. Lange

Subscribed and sworn to before me
on this 9th day of June, 2006

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My Commission Expires: 12-17-2011