

under the current schedule will not be adequate to permit a meaningful review, analysis, and rebuttal. It therefore requests a four-week extension.

In light of the comments filed by AT&T and the Staff and the importance of a meaningful analysis of the cost studies, GTE should be given additional time to prepare its response. Four weeks appears to be sufficient, and is not likely to any prejudice party or other proceeding. The Commission therefore grants the motion.

The Commission FINDS that:

a. Jurisdiction is pursuant to 1991 PA 179, as amended, MCL 484.2101 et seq.; MSA 22.1469(101) et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; MSA 3.560(101) et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, as amended, 1992 AACRS, R 460.17101 et seq.

b. The schedule should be modified.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that responses to the April 8, 1999 comments shall be filed by May 27, 1999 and any replies shall be filed by June 10, 1999.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

/s/ John G. Strand
Chairman

(S E A L)

/s/ David A. Svanda
Commissioner

By its action of April 23, 1999.

/s/ Dorothy Wideman
Its Executive Secretary

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Commissioner

By its action of April 23, 1999.

Its Executive Secretary

In the matter, on the Commission's own motion,)
to consider the total service long run incremental)
costs for all access, toll, and local exchange services)
provided by **GTE NORTH INCORPORATED.**)
_____)

Case No. U-11832

Suggested Minute:

“Adopt and issue order dated April 23, 1999 modifying the schedule to review GTE North Incorporated's cost studies, as set forth in the order.”