

Decision No. C04-1287-A

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 04C-559T

IN THE MATTER OF THE INVESTIGATION OF THOSE PARTIES FAILING TO RESPOND
TO THE COMMISSION'S SURVEY ON COMPETITION.

AMENDED

ORDER ADDING PARTIES

Mailed Date: November 19, 2004
Adopted Date: November 17, 2004
Amendment Mailed Date: November 26, 2004
Amendment Adopted Date: November 23, 2004

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement

1. The Commission, on November 17, 2004, ordered the opening of this docket for the purpose of initiating a show cause proceeding against those companies that failed to respond to the Commission's survey on competition. (*See* Decision No. C04-1257.)

2. The order stated that certain companies are indispensable to this docket and made those companies parties to this docket.

3. Further investigation indicates that additional companies that are underlying facilities based exchange providers should be joined as necessary parties as well: AT&T Communications of the Mountain States, Inc.; Bell Atlantic Communications, Inc.; Comcast Phone of Colorado, LLC; Convergent Communications Services, Inc.; Global Crossing North American Networks, Inc.; ICG Telecom Group, Inc.; Level 3 Communications, LLC; MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc.; McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc.;

MFS Telecom of Denver, Inc.; Qwest Corporation; Sprint Communications Company, LP; TCG Colorado; Touch America, Inc.; Touch America Services, Inc.; Union Telephone Company; and WilTel Communications. A party named above may petition for dismissal from this docket if it is not an underlying provider for any entity listed in Attachment A of Decision No. 04C-1257.

II. ORDER

A. The Commission Orders That:

1. The companies listed above are made parties to this docket.
2. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING November 23, 2004.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners