

**Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of )  
 )  
Review of the Regulatory Requirements for ) CC Docket No. 01-337  
Incumbent LEC Broadband )  
Telecommunications Services )

**Request for Extension of Reply Comment Period**

The Competitive Telecommunications Association (“CompTel”) respectfully requests a three week extension of the deadline for filing reply comments in the above-captioned proceeding. A Commission grant of this request would move the filing date for reply comments from April 1, 2002 to April 22, 2002. CompTel believes that a grant of this request is in the public interest, because it will allow all parties the opportunity to better evaluate, and respond to, the complex economic analyses offered by many commenters in this proceeding. In order to best address the comments already in the record, parties must evaluate and consider the merits of the analyses proffered, and then, if necessary, retain, educate, and obtain statements from their own expert affiants. CompTel asserts that this modest extension will result in a more complete public record, on which the Commission can evaluate the issues raised in this NPRM. Therefore, CompTel urges the Commission to grant this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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