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Re:

DT 09-048, IDT America Corporation

Petition for Arbitration of Rates, Terms and Conditions of Interconnection

Agreement with Union Telephone Co.

Hearing Examiners Report

To the Parties:

On March 12, 2009, IDT America Corp. (IDT) filed a petition for arbitration of the rates, terms and conditions of an interconnection agreement with Union Telephone Co. (Union). On May 7, 2009, Anne Ross, the Commission's General Counsel, presided at a prehearing conference pursuant to RSA 363:17. Following the prehearing conference, the parties met in a technical session with Victor D. Del Vecchio, Esq, the arbitrator appointed for this proceeding by the Commission. On May 8, 2009, the arbitrator submitted a proposed schedule for the arbitration. On May 20, 2009, the hearings examiner filed a report and recommendations. On May 27, 2009, Union filed a second motion to dismiss.

The Commission has determined that the reasoning in the hearings examiner's report is persuasive and therefore adopts her recommendations. Accordingly, the Commission grants MetroCast Cablevision NH's motion to intervene, finds that this dispute is subject to Commission arbitration, approves the procedural schedule proposed by the arbitrator and denies Union's May 1, 2009 Motion to Dismiss or Stay the Proceeding. With respect to Union's May 27th motion, once parties have had a chance to respond the Commission will consider any additional issues that are raised.

> Sincerely, relic A. Wowland

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