



Agenda Date: 2/23/22
Agenda Item: IVB

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Board of Public Utilities
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OFFICE OF CABLE TELEVISION
AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS

BUSINESS AUTOMATION TECHNOLOGIES, INC.)	ORDER ON REQUEST
D/B/A/ DATA NETWORK SOLUTIONS,)	FOR EXTENSION
Petitioner)	
)	
V.)	
)	
VERIZON NEW JERSEY, INC.,)	DOCKET NO. TC17091015
Respondent)	OAL DOCKET NO. PUC 01597-2018

Parties of Record:

Andrew M. Klein, Esq. on behalf of Business Automation Technologies, Inc., d/b/a Data Network Solutions

Eric D. Wong, Esq. for Verizon New Jersey, Inc.

This matter is before the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (“Board”) to consider a letter request filed on February 14, 2022, and amended on February 18, 2022 by Business Automation Technologies Inc. d/b/a Data Network Solutions (“Petitioner”) seeking an extension of the deadlines for the parties in this matter to file Exceptions and Reply Exceptions to the Initial Decision of Administrative Law Judge Tricia M. Caliguire of January 28, 2022 (“ALJ Initial Decision”).

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 1:1-18.8, Petitioner, with the consent of counsel for Verizon New Jersey, Inc., initially requested an extension of time to file exceptions until February 21, 2022, with replies due by March 14, 2022. The parties need additional time to review the voluminous hearing record. On February 18, 2022, Petitioner amended his request, seeking an additional one week extension.

The ALJ Initial Decision was received by the Board on January 28, 2022; therefore, the 45-day statutory period for review and the issuing of a final decision will expire on March 14, 2022. In order to adequately review the record in this matter and to permit the parties to file any exceptions and replies, the Board requests an additional 45-day extension of time for issuance of the final decision.

Good cause having been shown, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-10(c) and N.J.A.C. 1:1-18.8, the Board **HEREBY GRANTS** the Petitioner's request for an extension of the deadlines for the parties to file Exceptions and Reply Exceptions. Accordingly, **IT IS ORDERED** that the deadline to file exceptions is extended to February 28, 2022. Correspondingly, **IT IS ORDERED** that the time limit for the parties to file replies is extended to March 21, 2022. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the time limit for the Board to render a final decision is extended to April 28, 2022.

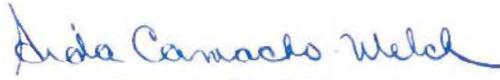
DATED: February 23, 2022

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
BY:¹



JOSEPH L. FIORDALISO
PRESIDENT

ATTEST:



AIDA CAMACHO-WELCH
SECRETARY

¹ Authorized by the Board to execute this Order of Extension on its behalf.

Date Board mailed Order to OAL: 2-23-2022

cc: Service List Attached



DATED: 2/23/22

ELLEN S. BASS, ACTING DIRECTOR AND
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

Date OAL mailed executed Order to Board: 2/23/22

Date Board mailed executed Order to Parties: 2-23-2022

IN THE MATTER OF BUSINESS AUTOMATION TECHNOLOGIES, INC. D/B/A DATA NETWORK SOLUTIONS, PETITIONER V. VERIZON NEW JERSEY, INC., RESPONDENT

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