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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking Proceeding to Consider Changes to Requirements on Video Franchisees Under the Digital Infrastructure and Video Competition Act, and Revisions to General Order 169	Rulemaking 23-04-006

EMAIL RULING GRANTING DIGITAL EQUITY LOS ANGELES' NOVEMBER 2, 2026, REQUEST TO LATE-FILE REPLY COMMENTS ON THE WORKSHOP REPORT IN RULEMAKING 23-04-006

Dated November 2, 2026, at San Francisco, California.

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Subject: Email Ruling Granting DELA's November 2, 2026, Request to Late-File Reply Comments on the Workshop Report in R.23-04-006 (Batch 1 of 3)

To the Parties and Service List in R.23-04-006:

On September 18, 2026, this Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) issued a Ruling Granting California Broadband & Video Association's Motion for Extension of Time for Filing and Serving Comments and Reply Comments on the Workshop Report (Ruling). Pursuant to the Ruling, the deadline for parties to file comments on the Workshop Report was changed from September 21, 2026, to October 2, 2026, and for the reply comments from September 28, 2026, to October 16, 2026.

On October 16, 2026, Digital Equity Los Angeles (DELA) served its reply comments on the parties and service list to this proceeding. On November 2, 2026, DELA sent an email to this ALJ advising me that its reply comments were rejected by the California Public Utilities Commission's (Commission) Docket Office because it was received for filing after the October 16, 2026, deadline.

On November 2, 2026, DELA requested that this ALJ allow it to late-file its reply comments on the DIVCA Workshop Report. DELA's certificate of service for its reply comments indicates that it served its reply comments on the Workshop Report by the required deadline of October 16, 2026, and this ALJ received DELA's reply comments via electronic mail on October 16, 2026. The filed document, however, was not accepted by the Docket Office because it was late filed on November 2, 2026. DELA attributes the late filing to its reply comments inadvertently going into a spam folder. Notwithstanding all of the above, by serving its reply comments on the parties and service list by the October 16, 2026, the parties and service list received notice of DELA's reply comments by the deadline and are not unduly prejudiced by this ALJ allowing DELA to late-file its reply comments. As such, DELA's request is granted, and the Docket Office shall accept DELA's late filed reply comments of November 2, 2026, on the Workshop Report in R.23-04-006.

DELA shall comply with Rule 11.6 of the Commission's Rule of Practice and Procedure (Rules) to ensure that its reply comments are properly published to the Commission's Docket Card.

IT IS SO RULED.

The Docket Office Shall Formally File This Ruling.

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