May 17, 2013
Dockets UT-053036 & UT-053039
(Consolidated)
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission

**Bench Request No. 1:** Please provide any objections to including or citing in the Commission's final order in Docket UT-053036 percentages or dollar amounts previously submitted as confidential information under WAC 480-07-160(2) in the following evidentiary exhibits or pleadings:

- Easton, WRE-1TC
- Easton, WRE-8C
- Easton, WRE-13C
- Easton, WRE-16C
- Qwest's Post-Hearing Opening Brief (including Confidential Appendix A)
- Qwest's Post-Hearing Reply Brief

## **Qwest's Response to Bench Request No. 1**:

Qwest hereby waives any prior claim or designation of confidentiality to the Docket No. UT-053036 data identified in this Bench Request. Qwest has no objections to the percentages or dollar amounts being publicly disclosed in the Commission's Final Order. Qwest believes that the passage of time has removed any previous issues of competitive sensitivity for this information.

Respondent: Qwest Legal