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**NOTICE OF HEARING FOR ORAL ARGUMENT OF THE PARTIES ON
PETITION FOR REVIEW AND/OR REQUESTS FOR APPROVAL
(January 15, 2003, at 3:00 p.m.)**

RE: In the Matter of the Petition for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement
Between Level 3 Communications, LLC., and Qwest Corporation, Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 252, Docket No. UT-023042

TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD:

On November 27, 2002, the Commission entered the Arbitrators' Report and Decision in this matter stating post-arbitration filing deadlines. The parties were allowed to file petitions for review or requests for approval on or before December 23, 2002, and may file answers on or before January 8, 2003.

On December 23, 2002, Level 3 Communications, LLC filed with the Commission a petition for administrative review. The Commission will notice the petition in the Commission's public open meeting agenda of January 8, 2003, and will hear oral argument of the parties on Wednesday, January 15, 2003.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the hearing for oral argument of the parties on petitions for review and requests for approval will be held on Wednesday, January 15, 2003, at 3:00 p.m., in the Commission's Hearing Room, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.

The Commission may adopt, modify, or reject all or part of the Arbitrators' Report.

Sincerely,

MARJORIE R. SCHAER
Arbitrator