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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
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Re: Level 3 Communications, LLC v. Qwest Communications  
Docket No. UT 63006

Judge Rendahl,

Level 3 and Qwest jointly seek your approval for moving the reply testimony date to July 21st from July 14th. This extension will allow Level 3 additional time to provide responses to Qwest discovery and permit Qwest's witnesses to make use of it in testimony. It will also allow both Qwest and Level 3 time to complete their respective review of contract language so each can ensure that the correct language (and prior resolution of certain disputed provisions) are properly reflected in the disputed issues list. And it provides both parties' witnesses time to respond to updates either party may make.

Accordingly, with regard to contract language, the parties will identify and communicate to the other party all changes to the language filed in the ICAs filed with each party's initial pleading (Level 3's petition and Qwest's answer) by Friday, July 14 (we've committed to doing this sooner if possible).

Secondly, Level 3 and Qwest have agreed that Level 3 will provide responses to Qwest's outstanding data requests by Tuesday, July 18. Qwest believes it will be able to review those responses and incorporate them into its testimony by the 21st. If that presents a significant problem, the parties have agreed to cooperate on minor schedule adjustments as needed.

Respectfully,

/s/

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