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Re: Docket No. UT-090842

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced proceeding is an original and 7 copies of Notice of Appearance for Level 3 Communications, LLC

A copy of this filing was served on all parties to this proceeding as indicated on the attached certificate of service.

Verv-truly yours.

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Parties of Record

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket No. UT-090842

I hereby certify that on the date given below the original and 7 true and correct copies of *Notice of Appearance for Level 3 Communications, LLC* were sent by email and regular U.S. Mail, postage prepaid to:

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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of)	
Verizon Communications Inc. and Frontier)	DOCKET NO. UT-090842
Communications Corporation for an Order)	
Declining to Assert Jurisdiction Over, or, in the)	NOTICE OF APPEARANCE FOR
Alternative, Approving the Indirect Transfer of)	LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS, LLC
Control of Verizon Northwest Inc.)	
)	

Pursuant to WAC 480-07-345(2), Level 3 Communications, LLC ("Level 3") hereby submits a Notice of Appearance in the above captioned proceeding. At the hearing in this matter, scheduled for February 2, 2010, the following attorney will appear on behalf of Level 3:

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RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 29th day of January 2010.

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