

December 5, 2001

**VIA E-MAIL & FIRST-CLASS MAIL**

Carole Washburn  
Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Pk. Dr. S.W.  
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Re: *In the Matter of the Investigation Into U S West Communications, Inc.'s Compliance with Section 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Docket No. UT-003022; In the Matter of U S West Communications, Inc.'s Statement of Generally Available Terms Pursuant to Section 252(f) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Docket No. UT-003040*

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Public Counsel supports AT&T's Motion for Continuance of Performance and Data Reconciliation Issues filed on December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2001 for the reasons stated therein. Also enclosed is a diskette containing the letter.

Sincerely,

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