

December 13, 2001

**NOTICE OF GRANT OF WAIVER OF PAGE LIMITATION**

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.

TO PARTIES OF RECORD:

On December 12, 2001, Qwest Corporation contacted the Commission via telephone and filed via facsimile requesting a waiver of the 60-page limitation on briefs addressing Workshop 4 issues. Given the number of issues addressed in Workshop 4 and the 20<sup>th</sup> Supplemental Order, it will likely be difficult for the parties to sufficiently address all issues in 60 pages. For good cause shown, the page limitation on briefs set forth in WAC 480-09-770 is waived, and all parties may file briefs no longer than 85 pages.

Sincerely,

ANN E. RENDAHL  
Administrative Law Judge