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Mr. Dave Danner Executive Secretary 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W. P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7254

Re: Docket No. UT-023044

Request for Approval of Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink and

United States Cellular Corp.

Dear Mr. Danner:

In accordance with WAC 480-07-640, please find enclosed an original ICC Bill and Keep Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink") and United States Cellular Corporation.

CenturyLink has also enclosed a Request for Approval form.

The enclosed Amendment does not discriminate against non-party carriers. It is consistent with state and federal law, and is in the public interest.

CenturyLink respectfully requests that the Commission approve this Amendment.

Sincerely,

Maura E. Peterson

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