

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In the Matter of the Petition for
Arbitration of an Interconnection
Agreement Between

NORTH COUNTY
COMMUNICATIONS
CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON,

with

QWEST CORPORATION

Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 252(b).

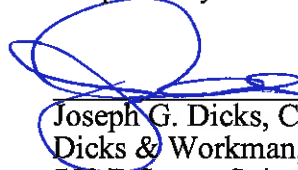
Docket UT-093035

**NORTH COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS
CORPORATION'S PETITION FOR
RESPONSE TO QWEST'S ANSWER TO
REQUEST TO STAY OR SUSPEND
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE PENDING
RESOLUTION OF PETITION FOR
ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF ORDER
DENYING MOTION TO DISMISS**

I North County Communications Corporation ("North County"), by and through its counsel of record, hereby petitions the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (the "Commission") to file and accept the attached Response to Qwest's Answer to Request to Stay or Suspend Procedural Schedule Pending Petition for Administrative Review of the Order Denying Motion to Dismiss. This brief is limited to new issues, arguments, and authority raised by Qwest in its answer to North County's Request to Stay.

Dated this 14th day of May, 2010, in San Diego, California.

Respectfully submitted,



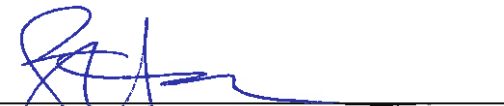
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have served the foregoing document this day upon all parties of record (listed below) in these proceedings by mailing a copy properly addressed with first class postage prepaid.

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Dated this 14th day of May 2010, in San Diego, California.



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