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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND

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TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of the )

Investigation into )

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Telecommunications Act of 1996 )

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A Workshop in the above matters was held on

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July 11, 2001, at 8:30 a.m., at 1300 South Evergreen

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Park Drive Southwest, Room 206, Olympia, Washington,

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before Administrative Law Judge ANN RENDAHL.

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The parties were present as follows:

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THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION

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Court Reporter

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1 given information availability on spares through  
2 facility check issues parity with retail, and nowhere  
3 does Qwest provide direct access to LFACs to our sales  
4 representatives, and it's not a tool to be used for a  
5 search engine. It would require significant system  
6 changes to do what Mr. Wilson said.

7 MS. SACILOTTO: Jean, could you discuss a new  
8 exhibit that we're submitting in Washington, which is  
9 one we handed out earlier this morning, 939, it's from  
10 the ROC test.

11 JUDGE RENDAHL: Let's be off the record.  
12 (Discussion off the record.)

13 JUDGE RENDAHL: We were discussing Exhibit  
14 939.

15 MS. LISTON: 939 is a copy of -- from the  
16 master test plan to the OSS test that will be done to  
17 validate that the loop qualification process and the  
18 data that we provide is in parity between wholesale and  
19 retail. And these are the specific steps that the  
20 process will go through to make sure that the  
21 information that we provide to CLECs is consistent with  
22 what we do on a retail basis also. So in terms of a  
23 parity issue, we will be testing that through the OSS  
24 test.

25 MR. WILSON: And it's AT&T's position that

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1 the UNE remand says that the CLECs should have the same  
2 information as the ILEC personnel, not the ILEC retail  
3 personnel, so we don't feel that that parity with retail  
4 in this situation is the bench mark. We're -- we need  
5 this for back office, not for our retail personnel, to  
6 see more generally where spare facilities are so that we  
7 can provision in general to neighborhoods in alternative  
8 ways.

9 And Qwest can do this with their other  
10 operations people. And it may be that Qwest should  
11 offer other data bases such as LAID or LEAD, which in  
12 other jurisdictions they said might be more appropriate  
13 for the information we need. We mainly need the  
14 information. I think the secondary concern is which  
15 data base.

16 MS. LISTON: And Qwest's position is that the  
17 LFACs data base and even some of the other data bases  
18 that Mr. Wilson referred to are not searchable tools  
19 where they would show the spare facilities.

20 When you think about spare facilities, you  
21 can have two different kinds. One is where we have a  
22 facility in place end to end for a specific customer,  
23 and that would be -- it's kind of in place, but it's not  
24 in use. That information will be made available to the  
25 CLECs through raw loop data tools. Some of it is