July 16, 2002

Ms. Carol Washburn Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW Olympia, WA 98504

<u>RE: UT-003013</u>

Dear Ms Washburn,

Pursuant to a conversation had with Judge Berg on July 16th, 2002, WorldCom, Inc. requests a waiver to the 60-page limitation on Briefs to be filed on July 23rd, 2002 in Docket number UT-003013. WorldCom, Inc. requests that the page limitation be extended to 85 pages.

In addition, Qwest Communications, Inc. ("Qwest") authorized WorldCom, Inc. to advise the Commission that Qwest joins in the above request.

Sincerely,

Michel Singer-Nelson

cc: Pursuant to Judge Berg's directive all parties of record were cc:ed via fax and electronic copy.