[Service Date: February 27, 2009]

# BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of	) ) DOCKET UT-082119
EMBARQ CORPORATION AND CENTURYTEL, INC.	)
For Approval of Transfer of Control of United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a Embarq and Embarq	SUPPLEMENTAL FILING IN SUPPORT OF COMCAST PHONE OF WASHINGTON, LLC'S MOTION FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW
Communications, Inc.	)

As additional support for support for its motion for an order granting it permission to withdraw as an intervenor in this proceeding, Comcast Phone of Washington, LLC d/b/a Comcast Digital Phone ("Comcast"), through it's attorney, Arthur A. Butler, submits the following statement and attachments.

As Comcast stated in its motion, it discussed its concerns about the proposed merger with the applicants and reached an agreement that satisfies those concerns. The Commission Staff filed a response to Comcast's motion for permission to withdraw, stating:

Staff does not oppose Comcast's withdrawal from the proceeding so long as Comcast Phone first discloses on the record the agreement it has reached with the applicants that satisfies "its concerns about the proposed merger."

Staff requests that the Commission issue a bench request to Comcast, requiring the company to provide a copy of the agreement and an explanation its terms.

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Comcast has no objection to filing the documents requested by Staff. We have discussed this issue with the Applicants and understand that they also have no objection to such filing. Accordingly, as additional support for its motion for permission to withdraw, Comcast files the attached Confidential Settlement Agreement and Confidential statement of how the Settlement Agreement satisfies Comcast's concerns with the proposed merger.

In view of this filing, Staff's request that the Commission issue a bench request for the Settlement Agreement and statement is not necessary and need not be made a condition of the withdrawal.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 27th day of February, 2009.

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# ATTACHMENTS CONFIDENTIAL PER PROTECTIVE ORDER IN UT-082119

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