

February 14, 2002

Carole Washburn, Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504

Re: Comments of Commission Staff on Qwest compliance filing
Docket No. UT-003013 *Part D*

Dear Ms. Washburn:

On January 21, 2003, Qwest filed Advice No. 3376T, as directed by the 44th Supplemental Order in Docket UT-003013. Qwest's filing was received in electronic form on January 21, and in "hard" copy on January 23, 2003. The filing contains Qwest's nonrecurring costs and charges for CLEC service orders processed manually and electronically, and a cost study which encompasses more than 700 pages.

Commission staff has completed its review of Qwest's Part D compliance filing and believes that the filing substantially complies with the Commission's Forty-First and Forty-Fourth Supplemental Orders in Docket UT-003013.

Very truly yours,

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cc: All Parties