## January 8, 2002

## NOTICE CANCELING AND RESCHEDULING PREHEARING CONFERENCE (January 23, 2002, at 1:30 p.m.)

RE: Tel West Communications, LLC, Petitioner, v. Qwest Corporation, Inc., Respondent Docket No. UT-013097

## TO THE PARTIES:

On October 31, 2001, Tel West Communications, LLC ("Tel West"), filed with the Commission a complaint and petition for enforcement of an interconnection agreement under WAC 480-09-530. On November 14, 2001, the Commission granted the request of the parties to continue a prehearing conference in this case so that they could conduct settlement negotiations, and the prehearing conference was rescheduled to January 9, 2002. On January 7, 2002, Tel West and Qwest notified the Commission that Tel West intended to amend its petition, and they requested another continuance of the prehearing conference. Tel West's proposal to amend its petition is granted, and good cause exists for the requested continuance. The Commission requires, in light of the claims stated in Tel West's petition, that Tel West's amended petition and Qwest's amended answer be filed prior to the prehearing conference.

Tel West agrees to file and serve its amended petition on January 11, 2002, and Qwest agrees to file and serve its amended answer on January 18, 2002. Qwest may request additional time if the amended petition contains new substantive claims. The prehearing conference scheduled on January 9, 2002 is cancelled rescheduled to January 23, 2002. Tel West agrees to waive the procedural timelines of WAC 480-09-530 to that date. The January 23, 2002, prehearing conference will be conducted pursuant to the notice served on November 5, 2001, in all other respects.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That a prehearing conference will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 23, 2002 in Room 108 at the Commission's Offices, Chandler Plaza Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington. Both the petitioner and the respondent must attend the prehearing conference.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN Secretary