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Steven V. King Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re:

CenturyLink AFOR Docket No. UT-130477

Status Letter Regarding Customer Notice

Dear Mr. King:

The procedural schedule in the above-referenced docket provides for a Public Notice Report to be filed with the Commission today. Public Counsel provides this letter to report the parties' progress in creating an appropriate notice to customers regarding CenturyLink's request for an AFOR.

CenturyLink, Commission Staff, and Public Counsel are diligently discussing the notice that should be provided to customers regarding CenturyLink's petition. CenturyLink has prepared a draft, which the parties are reviewing and will be providing input to CenturyLink shortly. We are also awaiting direction from the Commission regarding the date(s) and time of the Public Comment Hearing(s). Because discussions are not yet complete, Public Counsel requests an additional report-back date of July 30, 2013. At that time, Public Counsel will file a follow up report regarding the content and format of the notice.

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Sincerely,

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cc: Service list (First Class Mail & Email)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket UT-130477

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the *Status Letter Regarding Customer Notice* on Behalf of Public Counsel was sent to each of the parties of record shown below in sealed envelopes, via: First class mail, postage prepaid and E-Mail.

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