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Ms. Carole J. Washburn, Executive Secretary  
Washington Utilities and  
Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W.  
P.O. Box 47250  
Olympia, WA 98504-7254

Re: Docket No. UT-960310  
Request for Approval of Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between  
Qwest Corporation and MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC

Dear Ms. Washburn:

In accordance with WAC 480-07-640, please find enclosed an original and two (2) copies of the Amendment to Interconnection Agreement for Elimination of UNE-P and Implementation of Batch Hot Cut Process and Discounts between Qwest Corporation and MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC for the State of Washington. Qwest has also enclosed a Request for Approval form, completed per the informal request of Commission Staff on May 12, 2004.

The enclosed Amendment does not discriminate against non-party carriers. It is consistent with state and federal law, and is in the public interest.

Qwest respectfully requests that the Commission approve this Amendment expeditiously.

Sincerely,

Adam L. Sherr

ALS/mep

Enclosures

cc: Philynda Dillard (without enclosure)  
Peter H. Reynolds at MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC (without enclosure)

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I hereby certify that I have this day served this cover letter without the enclosed amendment upon all persons listed below who are parties of record in this proceeding, by United States Postal Service first class mail in accordance with WAC 480-07-150.

Peter H. Reynolds Director, National Carrier Contracts MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC 22001 Loudon County Parkway Suite G2-3-614 Ashburn, VA 20147	
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Dated at Seattle, Washington this \_\_\_\_ day of August, 2004.

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Maura E. Peterson