STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission Investigation into the Federal Triennial Review Order's National Presumptive Finding of No Impairment for Local Switching on High Capacity Loops Available to Business Customers MPUC Docket No. P-999/CI-03-960 OAH Docket No. 3-2500-15570-2

In the Matter of the Commission Investigation into ILEC Unbundling Obligations as a Result of the Federal Triennial Review Order

MPUC Docket No. P-999/CI-03-961 OAH Docket No. 12-2500-15571-2

SUPPLEMENTAL PROTECTIVE ORDER

This matter is before Administrative Law Judges Kathleen D. Sheehy and Steve M. Mihalchick on a motion of Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") filed November 10, 2003.

Discovery requested by the Department of Commerce in the above-referenced dockets requires Qwest to submit carrier-specific information, such as an identity of facilities and customers, which may be subject to Section 222 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and other state and federal privacy laws. Further, it is anticipated that similar information will be at issue in the course of this proceeding through other data requests or testimony. In order to provide any and all protection for carrier information, Qwest seeks an Order directing it to provide the information and guidance with respect to distribution of the information in this case. No party has objected to Qwest's motion.

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Qwest is directed to provide carrier-specific information as follows:
- a. Information that discloses the names and associated carrier specific information shall be masked and provided to parties who have signed Exhibit B to the Protective Order.
- b. Unmasked copies or lists of codes for each carrier shall be provided to the Department of Commerce and the Office of Attorney General, Residential Utilities Division.
- c. Information that does not include CLEC names, but because of small volumes potentially could disclose CLEC-identifying information

need not be masked, but shall be designated as Highly Confidential under the Protective Order. Such data shall be protected during the remainder of the proceeding consistent with the treatment of Highly Confidential materials.

2. This Order concerns Qwest's obligation to provide, and methods for producing, carrier-specific information in response to appropriate discovery requests. Any party may raise appropriate objections to discovery served in this proceeding at any time.

Dated this 14th day of November, 2003

KATHLEEN D. SHEEHY STEVE M. MIHALCHICK

Administrative Law Judges