BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Docket No. 97I-198T

IN THE MATTER OF THE INVESTIGATION INTO U S WEST COMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S COMPLIANCE WITH § 271 (c) OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996.

OWEST CORPORATION'S MOTION FOR WAIVER OF FILING REQUIREMENT

Qwest Corporation ("Qwest"), through the undersigned counsel, and pursuant to 4 CCR 723-1-59(3), moves for a wavier of one of the filing requirements stated in Decision No. R02-

453-I issued April 23, 2002. In support of this motion, Owest states as follows:

- 1. Decision No. R02-453-I issued April 23, 2002, following the Status Conference held in this matter on April 17, 2002. Pursuant to the Decision Qwest is filing its final updated Statement of Generally Available Terms and Conditions ("SGAT") including all exhibits, and its second brief demonstrating Change Management ("CMP") compliance with Section 271.
- 2. The Decision also states that "all filings must be in paper copy and there must be an electronic version of everything...". *See Section I.8.a at page 11, Filing and Procedural Requirements*. In addition, pursuant to Commission Order No. C00-420, mailed April 25, 2000, parties are to file an original and five copies with the Commission.
- 3. The exhibits to Qwest's CMP brief are extremely voluminous containing several thousand pages of supporting evidence. An electronic version of these exhibits is being submitted to the Commission in CD-ROM format, with a CD-ROM being included with the original and each of the five copies of the CMP brief. However, due to the voluminous nature of the exhibits, Qwest requests that it be granted a waiver of the requirement to file paper copies of the exhibits with the Commission in this instance.
 - 4. Owest requests that response time be waived.

WHEREFORE, Qwest requests that the Commission grant this motion and waive the requirement to file paper copies of the exhibits to Qwest's CMP brief.

Dated this 26th day of April, 2002.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that an original and five copies of the above and foregoing **QWEST CORPORATION'S MOTION FOR WAIVER OF FILING REQUIREMENT** was hand delivered this 26^{the} day of April, 2002, to the following:

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