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Re: Petition of Verizon Northwest, Inc., for Waiver of WAC 480-120-071(2)(a), Docket No. UT-011439

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed are the original and thirteen copies of the Motion for Leave to Respond to New Matter in Staff's Rebuttal by Qwest Corporation, along with Certificate of Service. Please accept the same for filing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Douglas N. Owens

cc: Lisa Anderl Theresa Jensen Parties