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June 23, 2010

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND TO OBJECTIONS TO  
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

**(Responses due by Wednesday, June 30, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)**

RE: *In the Matter of the Joint Application of Qwest Communications International Inc. and CenturyTel, Inc. For Approval of Indirect Transfer of Control of Qwest Corporation, Qwest Communications Company LLC, and Qwest LD Corp.,*  
Docket UT-100820

**TO PARTIES OF RECORD:**

On June 22, 2010, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) received a Joint Objection to, and Request for Review of, Schedule Established in Prehearing Conference Order 02 on behalf of Qwest Communications International Inc. (Qwest) and CenturyTel, Inc. (collectively with Qwest, Joint Applicants). Joint Applicants ask that the procedural schedule be revised so that the Joint Applicants' Rebuttal Testimony would be due on **October 15, 2010**, instead of **November 1, 2010**. Joint Applicants also request that the evidentiary hearing be moved to **November 10-12, 2010**, instead of January 5-7, 2011.

Further on June 22, 2010, the Commission received an Objection and Motion Regarding Schedule from Public Counsel. Public Counsel proposes that the deadline for filing cross examination exhibits be moved from **December 6, 2010**, to **December 29, 2010**.

Pursuant to WAC 480-07-375(4), the Commission may establish a time for responses to motions. If any party wishes to respond to the motions to revise the procedural schedule filed by Joint Applicants and Public Counsel, they should do so by **June 30, 2010, at 3:00 p.m.** Please direct questions regarding this notice to Marguerite E. Friedlander, at 360-664-1285, or by e-mail at [mfriedla@utc.wa.gov](mailto:mfriedla@utc.wa.gov).

Sincerely,

MARGUERITE E. FRIEDLANDER  
Administrative Law Judge