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Via E-mail and Messenger

Ms. Carole J. Washburn, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re:

Docket No. UT-(new) - Qwest Petition for AFOR

Petition for Approval of AFOR

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed are the original and 12 copies of Qwest Corporation's Petition for Approval of an Alternative Form of Regulation in Accordance with RCW 80.36.135. The Petition is supported by the Direct Testimony of Mark S. Reynolds, including exhibits MSR-2 and MSR-3, and the Confidential Direct Testimony of David L. Teitzel, including confidential Exhibit DLT-2C and Exhibits DLT-3, DLT-4, and DLT-5. A redacted version of Mr. Teitzel's testimony, as well as redacted Exhibit DLT-2C, are also enclosed.

The electronic copy of all documents will be provided by e-mail.

Sincerely,

LAA/llw Enclosures