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Ms. Carole Washburn
Executive Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Pk. Dr. S.W.
PO Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: In the Matter of the Request of Sprint Nextel Corporation for an Order Declining to Assert Jurisdiction Over or, in the Alternative, Application of Spring Nextel Corporation for Approval of the Transfer of Control of United Telephone Company of the Northwest and Sprint Long Distance, Inc. From Sprint Nextel Corporation to LTD Holding Company
Docket No. UT-051291

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed please find the original and fifteen copies of the Public Counsel's Prehearing Brief Concerning Rate Rebalancing and Directory Imputation for filing in the above-entitled docket.

Sincerely,

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