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May 26, 2016

Steven King  
Executive Director and Secretary  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W.  
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Re: Advice No. WA 16-01A for CenturyTel of Washington, Inc., CenturyTel of InterIsland, Inc., and CenturyTel of Cowiche, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink

Dear Mr. King:

CenturyTel of Washington, Inc., CenturyTel of InterIsland, Inc., and CenturyTel of Cowiche, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink is forwarding for filing the sheets listed on Attachment A.

As described in the attached narrative (“Description of Methodology”), this filing is the fifth step in implementing the “Transitional Intrastate Access Service” reductions mandated by the Federal Communications Commission's November 18, 2011 Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, etc. (FCC 11-161). Also enclosed is CenturyLink’s certification that the company is not seeking duplicative recovery in the state jurisdiction for any Eligible Recovery subject to the recovery mechanism established by the Transformation Order. The calculations supporting these rate changes are being filed as confidential.

As part of this filing CenturyLink is also updating obsolete billing language.

CenturyLink respectfully requests that these proposed rate changes become effective on July 1, 2016.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark Brinton".

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Attachment A

**ACCESS SERVICE**  
Tariff WN U-12

<b><u>SECTION</u></b>	<b><u>SHEET</u></b>	<b><u>REVISION</u></b>
13	13-8	1st
16	16-2	2nd
16	16-3	1st
16	16-4	1st
16	16-10	1st
16	16-11	4th
16	16-12	4th
16	16-16	1st
17	17-2	2nd
17	17-3	1st
17	17-4	1st
17	17-10	1st
17	17-11	4th
17	17-12	4th
17	17-16	1st