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**Via Electronic Filing**

Mr. Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission

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RE: Advice No. WA ACQ 16-11 for CenturyTel of Washington, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink WN U-11.

Dear Mr. King:

Enclosed for filing please find revisions to the CenturyTel of Washington, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink WN U-11. This filing is submitted with an effective date of December 2, 2016.

The following revisions are included in this filing:

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| Section 2 | Third Revised Contents Sheet 1 |
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This filing reflects a text change in the company’s “Lifeline” concurrence section.

A separate filing is being submitted on behalf of CenturyLink QC to introduce changes compliant with the Third Report and Order, Further Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration, FCC 16-38, In the Matter of Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization (WC Docket No. 11-42), Telecommunications Carriers Eligible for Universal Service Support (WC Docket No. 09-197) and Connect America Fund (WC Docket No. 10-90) adopted on March 31, 2016 and released April 27, 2016.

The tariff revisions submitted by Qwest Corporation in compliance with the above referenced order also include a change in the Lifeline section from 5.2.1 to 5.2.6, to standardize the location of this content in all CenturyLink QC tariffs. The section name is changed from Telephone Assistance Programs since federal lifeline benefits will no longer be limited strictly to “telephone” service.

I, Zarneisha Dixon, in compliance with WAC 480-80-123, certify that I have authority to issue tariff revisions on behalf of CenturyTel of Washington, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink.

If you have questions or need additional information regarding this filing, you may call me at (318) 340-5938.

Sincerely,



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