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Mr. Mark L. Johnson
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, Washington 98503

**Re: Docket No. UT-100820
CenturyLink Notification – Qwest Operational Support System Replacement**

Dear Mr. Johnson:

When CenturyLink and Qwest merged in 2011, CenturyLink agreed that if it had plans to replace or integrate a Qwest Operational Support System, it would notify the FCC, affected states, and affected wholesale customers. Enclosed is such a notice to the FCC. The proposed Transition Plan is also enclosed. As mentioned in the enclosed notice, CenturyLink is actively seeking input from affected wholesale local service customers.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (206) 345-6224 or via email at phil.grate@centurylink.com should you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

Philip E. Grate

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