

October 21, 2009

David W. Danner
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: UT-090842 – Joint Application of Verizon Communications Inc. and Frontier Communications Corporation for an Order Declining to Assert Jurisdiction Over, or, in the Alternative, Approving the Indirect Transfer of Control of Verizon Northwest Inc.

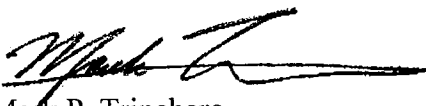
Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed please find the original plus 12 copies each of:

Exhibit B – Agreement Concerning Confidential Information signed by Dennis D. Ahlers on behalf of Integra Telecom, Inc.

Very truly yours,

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP


Mark P. Trinchero

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**Docket No. UT-090842**

I hereby certify that on the date given below I have served these documents upon all of the following parties.

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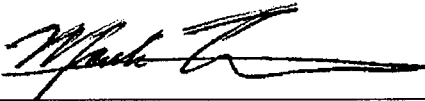
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EXHIBIT B (EXPERT AGREEMENT)

**AGREEMENT CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION
IN DOCKET UT-090842
BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

I, Dennis D. Ahlers, as expert witness in this proceeding for INTEGRA TELECOM, INC (a party to this proceeding) hereby agree to comply with and be bound by the Protective Order entered by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Docket UT-090842, and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Protective Order and fully understand its terms and conditions.

Dennis D. Ahlers
Signature

10/14/09
Date

Integra Telecom, Inc.
Employer

Golden Valley, MN
Address

Associate General Counsel
Position and Responsibilities

The following portion is to be completed by the responding party and filed with the Commission within 10 days of receipt; failure to do so will constitute a waiver and the above-named person will be deemed an expert having access to Confidential Information under the terms and conditions of the Protective Order.

 No objection.

 Objection. The responding party objects to the above-named expert having access to Confidential Information. The objecting party shall file a motion setting forth the basis for objection and asking exclusion of the expert from access to Confidential Information.

Signature

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