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## VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL AND WEB PORTAL

October 25, 2007

Ms. Carole J. Washburn, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W. P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7254

Re:

Docket No. UT-053001

Request for Approval of Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Owest Corporation and Neutral Tandem, Inc.

Dear Ms. Washburn:

In accordance with WAC 480-07-640 and Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act, please find enclosed an original and two (2) copies of the Voice over Internet Protocol (VOIP) Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation and Neutral Tandem, Inc.

Qwest has also enclosed a Request for Approval form, completed per the informal request of Commission Staff on May 12, 2004. The enclosed Amendment does not discriminate against non-party carriers. It is consistent with state and federal law, and is in the public interest.

Qwest respectfully requests that the Commission approve this Amendment expeditiously.

Sincerely,

Maura F Reterson

MEP:mep Enclosures

cc:

Ron Gavillet

Krisit Coffin

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

## Docket No. UT-053001

I hereby certify that I have this day served this cover letter without the enclosed amendment upon all persons listed below who are parties of record in this proceeding, by United States Postal Service first class mail in accordance with WAC 480-07-150.

Neutral Tandem, Inc.	
Attn: Ron Gavillet	
1 South Wacker Drive Suite 200	
Chicago, Illinois 60606	

Dated at Seattle, Washington this day of October, 2007.

Maura E. Peterson