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Re: *Northwest Telephone, Inc. v. Qwest Corporation*, Docket No. UT-053081

Dear Ms. Washburn:

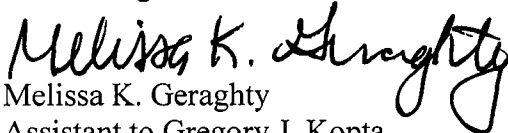
Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, please find the original and 5 copies of the following documents:

1. Direct Testimony of Andrew Metcalfe on Behalf of Northwest Telephone, Inc., with Confidential Exhibits AM-2C and AM-3C; and
2. Exhibit A (Attorney Agreement) to Protective Order signed by Gregory J. Kopta.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please give me a call. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely yours,

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP


Melissa K. Geraghty
Assistant to Gregory J. Kopta

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