

**Resale Forbearance Amendment
to the Resale Agreement between
Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
and
Verizon Select Services Inc.
for the State of Washington**

This is an Amendment (“Amendment”) to the Resale Agreement between Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC (“CenturyLink”), a Colorado corporation, and Verizon Select Services Inc. (“CLEC”). CenturyLink and CLEC shall be known jointly as the “Parties”.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Parties entered into a Resale Agreement (“Agreement”) for service in the state of Washington which was approved by the Commission on September 24, 1997; and

WHEREAS, on August 2, 2019, the FCC released Order FCC 19-72, a Memorandum Opinion and Order in WC Docket 18-141 (the “UNE Analog Loop and Resale Forbearance Order”), which became effective upon release (referred to as the “Forbearance Orders”); and

WHEREAS, the Parties agree that the Forbearance Orders are changes in Applicable Law that, pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, must be incorporated through an amendment to the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, in order to implement the terms of the Forbearance Orders and consistent with the terms of the Agreement regarding changes in Applicable Law, the Parties desire to amend the Agreement further under the terms and conditions contained herein.

AGREEMENT

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual terms, covenants and conditions contained in this Amendment and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

Amendment Terms

The Agreement is hereby amended by adding terms and conditions for Unbundled Network Elements (UNEs) and Resale as set forth in Attachment 1 and Exhibit A to this Amendment, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference. Any capitalized terms not defined specifically in this Amendment are as defined in the Agreement.

Effective Date

This Amendment shall be deemed effective upon approval by the Commission, or by being permitted to go into effect by operation of law; however, the Parties may agree to implement the provisions of this Amendment upon execution. To accommodate this need, CLEC must generate, if necessary, an updated Customer Questionnaire. The Parties agree that so long as CenturyLink implements the billing changes and the true-up as set forth below, the CLEC's bills shall be deemed accurate and adjusted without error.

Further Amendments

Except as modified herein, the provisions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. The provisions of this Amendment, including the provisions of this sentence, may not be amended, modified or supplemented, and waivers or consents to departures from the provisions of this Amendment may not be given without the written consent thereto by both Parties' authorized representative. No waiver by any Party of any default, misrepresentation, or breach of warranty or covenant hereunder, whether intentional or not, will be deemed to extend to any prior or subsequent default, misrepresentation, or breach of warranty or covenant hereunder or affect in any way any rights arising by virtue of any prior or subsequent such occurrence.

Entire Agreement

The Agreement as amended (including the documents referred to herein) constitutes the full and entire understanding and agreement between the Parties with regard to the subjects of the Agreement as amended and supersedes any prior understandings, agreements, or representations by or between the Parties, written or oral, to the extent they relate in any way to the subjects of the Agreement as amended.

The Parties intending to be legally bound have executed this Amendment as of the dates set forth below, in multiple counterparts, each of which is deemed an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Verizon Select Services Inc.

Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC

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Sr. Dir. Bus. Ops Wholesale Sales

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ATTACHMENT 1

1. **Resale Provisions** – Pursuant to the Forbearance Orders, CLEC’s ability to order new services and retain existing services from CenturyLink for resale pursuant to Sections 6, including Directory Listings and Directory Assistance that pertain to Resale, of the Agreement are altered as follows:
 - a. **Effective Date to February 2, 2020** – During the time period from the Effective Date of this Amendment until February 2, 2020, CLEC may order any services for resale pursuant to the applicable terms and conditions of the Agreement. In addition, CLEC may make changes in existing resold services, also pursuant to the applicable terms of the Agreement, until February 2, 2020.
 - b. **February 2, 2020 to August 2, 2022** – After February 2, 2020, CLEC cannot order any services for resale from CenturyLink pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Agreement. Any orders for new services for resale will be pursuant solely to the terms of the applicable Tariff for the service including any ICB agreements entered into under the applicable Tariffs.
 - i. For any services procured for resale under the terms of the Agreement (“Existing Resale Services”) on February 2, 2020 or prior, CenturyLink will continue to provide such Existing Resale Services pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, including any discounts delineated in Exhibit A of the Agreement.
 - ii. CLEC cannot make any changes to such Existing Resale Services, as they will be treated in a “grandfathered” status, with continued receipt or disconnection of the Existing Resale Services the only options under the Agreement available to CLEC. If CLEC issues an order to change such services, it will be treated as new services for resale and will be provided solely under the Tariffs, rather than under the Agreement.
 - iii. CLEC agrees that it will no longer submit any orders for resale services under the Agreement from CenturyLink after February 2, 2020. CLEC agrees that it is the CLEC’s responsibility to ensure that no further orders for resold services under the Agreement are submitted after February 2, 2020. If resold services are ordered after February 2, 2020 CLEC agrees that the Agreement is no longer in effect and resold services are being ordered per the applicable tariff at the full rates in the tariff.
 1. In order to ensure compliance with these provisions, the Parties agree that CenturyLink, on no more than quarterly basis, may conduct an audit of CLEC’s order activity after February 2, 2020, in order to identify any mistaken instances of attempting to order resold services under the terms of the Agreement.
 2. Should such instances occur, the Parties further agree that CenturyLink may issue a bill using the effective date of the changes that the applicable service was originally ordered (“Resale True-Up Bill”) removing the discount for such services and billing under the Tariffs at full tariffed prices. CLEC agrees

not to contest such Resale True-Up Bills unless such billing is not consistent with the applicable Tariff.

- c. **After August 2, 2022** – The Parties agree that CenturyLink will no longer provide any Existing Resold Services under the terms of the Agreement after August 2, 2022. CLEC is solely responsible for either disconnecting such Existing Resold Services prior to August 2, 2022 or ordering them as new services under the applicable Tariffs.

Select the appropriate type of contract below. For cost docket changes, leave blank:				EAS / Local Traffic Reciprocal Compensation			Notes		
Amendment				Bill and Keep			Notes		
				Recurring	Recurring Per Mile	Non-Recurring	REC	REC per Mile	NRC
6.0	Resale			Wholesale Discount Percentage		Wholesale Discount Percentage			
6.1 Wholesale Discount Rates									
	6.1.1	General		14.74%		50.00%	A, H, I		A, H, I
	6.1.2	Operator Services and Directory Assistance		7.97%		50.00%	A, H, I		A, H, I
	6.1.3	Public Access Line (PAL) Service		14.74%		50.00%	A, H, I		A, H, I
6.2 Customer Transfer Charge (CTC)									
	6.2.1	CTC for POTS Service							
	6.2.1.1	Residential / Business							
	6.2.1.1.1	First Line							
		6.2.1.1.1.1	Installation, Manual			\$21.24			E, H, I
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		6.2.1.1.1.3	Installation, Mechanized			\$5.82			E, H, I
	6.2.1.1.2	Each Additional							
		6.2.1.1.2.1	Installation, Manual			\$7.83			E, H, I
		6.2.1.1.2.2	Intentionally Left Blank						
		6.2.1.1.2.3	Installation, Mechanized			\$5.28			E, H, I
	6.2.2	CTC for Private Line Transport Services							
	6.2.2.1	First Circuit							
		6.2.2.1.1	First Circuit (Manual)			\$44.19			C, H, I
		6.2.2.1.2	First Circuit (Mechanized)			\$36.98			C, H, I
	6.2.2.2	Additional Circuit, per Circuit, Same CSR							
		6.2.2.2.1	Additional Circuit, per Circuit, same CSR (Manual)			\$26.15			C, H, I
		6.2.2.2.2	Additional Circuit, per Circuit, same CSR (Mechanized)			\$26.15			C, H, I
	6.2.3	CTC for Advanced Communications Services (Frame Relay, ATM Cell Relay, or Transparent LAN Service), per Circuit							
	6.2.3.1	Each Circuit, Mechanized				\$27.64			C, H, I
	6.2.3.2	Each Circuit, Manual				\$31.68			C, H, I
NOTES:									
A	Generic Cost Docket, UT-960369								
C	Docket UT-003013, Part B								
E	Docket UT-003013, Part D								
H	The Federal Communications Commission (the "FCC" or "Commission") released Order FCC 19-66, a Report and Order on Remand and Memorandum Opinion and Order in WC Docket Nos. 18-141, et al (the "UNE Transport Order"), and on August 2, 2019, released Order FCC 19-72, a Memorandum Opinion and Order in WC Docket 18-141 (the "UNE Analog Loop and Resale Forbearance Order") which altered CenturyLink's obligations to provide certain unbundled network elements. As a result, any rate with this footnote attached to it only applies to UNEs and Resold services according to the terms of the UNE/Resale Forbearance Amendment of the Agreement. Any rate with this footnote is no longer applicable in any way after August 2, 2022, again consistent with the terms of the above referenced amendment.								
I	The rates in this table apply solely to services ordered for UNE/Resale on or before February 2, 2020. Any new services for UNE/Resale incorrectly ordered after February 2, 2020 will not have the discounts or rates applicable in this table, but instead will be subject to the applicable tariff, price list or catalog rates.								