

June 7, 2012

Lisa A. Anderl  
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CenturyTel of Washington, Inc.  
1600 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Room 1506  
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Re: CenturyTel of Washington, Inc.  
UT-120562

Dear Ms. Anderl:

On April 23, 2012, CenturyTel of Washington, Inc. filed with the commission, in Docket UT-120562, a Petition for exemption from WAC rules regarding Force Majeure Event.

On May 21, 2012, the commission received from CenturyTel of Washington, Inc. a letter stating that the conditions described in the petition no longer exist, therefore the commission accepts this letter as a request to withdraw the petition. The commission finds in the public interest to permit the withdrawal of the petition filing, without prejudice to the company's right to refile the petition, and closes the above-captioned and docketed matter.

Sincerely,

David W. Danner  
Executive Secretary