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Mr. Dave Danner  
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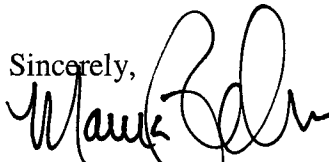
Re: Docket No. UT-053001  
Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Neutral Tandem,  
Inc. and Qwest Corporation

Dear Mr. Danner:

In accordance with WAC 480-07-640 and Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act, please find enclosed the original Four-Party Transit Traffic Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation and Neutral Tandem, Inc. for the State of Washington.

Qwest has also enclosed a completed Request for Approval form. 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 E. Peterson

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Enclosures  
cc: Meredith Coe  
Ron Gavillet

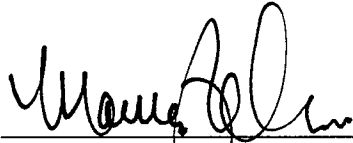
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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	
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Dated at Seattle, Washington this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009.



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Maura E. Peterson