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# Via E-mail and

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Mr. David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary

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Re: CenturyLink’s compliance filing pursuant to paragraph 50 of the Commission’s Order 05 in Docket No. UT-082119 – CenturyTel/Embarq merger – Amended 2010 and 2011 reports.

Dear Mr. Danner:

CenturyLink is submitting in this filing amended versions of its synergy and integration cost reports for the period ending June 30, 2010 and the period ending June 30, 2011. These reports are required by paragraph 50 of the Commission’s Order 05 in Docket No. UT-082119 – CenturyTel/Embarq merger. CenturyLink is filing revised reports to amend the “Integration Costs” information for the Washington ILECs – the “Total Company” amounts did not change from the original reports. There were no changes to the synergy information included on the original reports. Further, there were no changes to CenturyLink’s accounting records associated with these items – it is only the synergy and integration cost reports that are being revised.

The amended report for the period ending June 30, 2010 reflects additional amounts for severance/retention bonuses and the termination of a pension plan that occurred in the third quarter of 2009 that were not reflected in the original report. In addition, the amended report reflects additional amounts related to share based compensation that were not reflected in the original report.

The amended report for the period ending June 30, 2011 reflects revised amounts related to share based compensation that were not reflected in the original report.

The attached revised annual reports for 2010 and 2011 are designated as highly confidential pursuant to the protective order in this docket. Redacted versions of these attachments are also included.

The electronic copy is being provided by email.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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