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Via E-Filing

David Danner, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive Olympia, WA 98504-7250 records@wutc.wa.gov

Re: Business Telecom, LLC d/b/a EarthLink Business Notification of Conversion and Resulting Name Change

Dear Mr. Danner:

Business Telecom, LLC d/b/a EarthLink Business (formerly known as Business Telecom, Inc. d/b/a EarthLink Business) (the "Company") hereby notifies the Commission (1) that it converted from a North Carolina corporation to a North Carolina limited liability company¹ and (2) of the resulting name change to "Business Telecom, LLC d/b/a EarthLink Business Solutions." The Company requests that the Commission update its records, including the Company's Registration,² to reflect the conversion and resulting name change and, to the extent necessary, approve these changes. Attached hereto are the Company's conversion documents and updated authorization to transact business. The Company's fictitious name registration was retained following the conversion.

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² BTI is authorized to provide competitive telecommunications services pursuant to authorization granted in Docket Nos. UT-920932 and UT-980656.

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¹ The conversion of the Company to a limited liability company was merely a change in its corporate form – the conversion was accomplished through the filing of Articles of Conversion in North Carolina and did not entail any merger or other transactions that extinguish the existence of the Company. The Company notified the Commission of the proposed conversion and resulting name change by letter filed October 22, 2013. *See* Docket Nos. UT-131980 & UT-131983. But at that time the Company had not completed the conversion or received its updated authority to transaction business.

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We would appreciate it if you would acknowledge receipt and acceptance of this filing. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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