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Mark L. Johnson
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
P. O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: In the Matter of CenturyLink's Notice of Transaction and Application for an Order Declining to Assert Jurisdiction Over, or, in the Alternative, Expedited Approval of the Indirect Transfer of Control of Level 3 Communications, LLC, Broadwing Communications, LLC, Wiltel Communications, LLC, Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc., Global Crossing Local Services, Inc., and Level 3 Telecom of Washington, LLC to CenturyLink, Inc.,

Docket UT-170042

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the signature page of Exhibit A of the Protective Order Agreement signed by Nina Suetake. The Certificate of Service is also attached.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lisa W. Gafken, WSBA No. 31459

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