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Basic Contract Number: OMR #1122640 amends #1122233, #1116260, #1115118, #1114410 and #89405

Ms. Carole Washburn,  
Executive Secretary  
Washington Utilities and  
Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W.  
Olympia, Washington 98504

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Pursuant to WAC 480-80-241, Qwest Corporation (Qwest) is forwarding a copy of a forty-eight (48) month Amendment for Ethernet Service that will become effective upon the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission's approval on September 15, 2007.

This contract is not subject to federal competitive bid. Pursuant to the requirements of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, and RCW 80.36.170 and 80.36.180, where those statutes are applicable, Qwest offers the local exchange service in this contract for resale under the same terms and conditions set forth in this contract and at the discounted rate where applicable as established by the Commission in Docket No. UT-960369.

Attached is a non-proprietary statement of the essential terms and conditions of this contract. Also attached is the associated Contract Analysis. Some of this information is considered confidential by Qwest and should be protected under the provisions of WAC 480-07-160.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Brinton". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

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Attachments

## ESSENTIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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New \_\_\_\_\_ Modified  Renewal \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of Basic Contract: 48 months

Effective Date: On September 15, 2007

Amendment 6 is effective on the latest signature date and expires forty-eight (48) months from the date Service is available to DIS at the locations listed and all mandatory filing requirements are met and approved by the Washington Utilities and Transport Commission ("WUTC").

Amendment 6 amends supplemental Work Order 04-01 of Contract Number T02-TSD-319 for Advanced Transport Service by and between Qwest Corporation and the State of Washington, Department of Information Services for the provision of Ethernet Service. Amendment 04-01 to Supplemental Work Order 04-01 to Basic Contract Number T02-TSD-319 was approved on February 25, 2004 and became effective on February 26, 2004.

### Description of Service:

Metro Optical Ethernet Service is a flexible transport service that uses established Ethernet transport technology. The service provides connections between multiple customer locations within a metropolitan area using native Ethernet protocol.

Monthly Recurring Charge:	\$3,375.00
Nonrecurring Charge:	\$1,125.00
Service Location(s):	East Wenatchee, Okanogan
Number of Circuits:	3

### TELECOMMUNICATIONS CONTRACTS: 480-80-142 (7)

1. Documentation: Standard filing requirements and effective dates. Contracts must be filed with the commission not less than 10 days before the proposed effective date of the contract. Each application filed for commission approval of a contract must include a complete copy of the proposed contract. Documentation must show that the contract does not result in undue or unreasonable discrimination between customers receiving like and contemporaneous service under substantially similar circumstances; and demonstrate, at a minimum, that the contract charges cover the company's cost of providing the service. In addition, the company must summarize the following information with each contract submitted:

(A) Summarize the basis of the charge(s) proposed in the contract and explain the derivation of the proposed charge(s) including all cost computations involved.

**Answer:** The charges for the Ethernet connections to the above locations are based upon costs for this service from Qwest's subcontractor. The competitive nature of this service justifies providing a cost plus offering to our customer and a deviation from traditional tariff pricing for similar services. The underlying costs of the individual component elements are identified in Attachment A that provides summary cost and contribution analysis.

(B) Indicate the basis for using a contract rather than a filed tariff for the specific service involved.

**Answer:** This service represents a custom Ethernet offering provided to the State of Washington Department of Information Services by Qwest through our subcontractor. With these prices, Qwest is responding to the competitive marketplace.