

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF FULLY NEGOTIATED AMENDMENT TO INTERCONNECTION
AGREEMENT BY:**

Qwest Corporation

(Telecommunications Company A Name)

Qwest Communications Corporation

(Telecommunications Company B Name)

In accordance with WAC 480-07-640, Company A requests approval of the fully negotiated amendment to an interconnection agreement, as described below:

Amendment #4: Upon execution of this Amendment, the Interconnection Agreement identified on Attachment B will govern the Surviving Entity and all Merging Entities with respect to the matters set forth therein (the "Surviving ICA"), and any other ICAs previously used by the Merging Entities shall immediately terminate, except that any outstanding liabilities and/or charges accrued under the Merging Entities' prior ICAs shall be assumed by the Surviving Entity and be governed by the terms, conditions and Rates of the Surviving ICA. A list of each Merging Entity ICA and effective amendments are listed on Attachment B. Attachment B shall also identify the Surviving ICA and any applicable surviving amendments.

This amendment amends the interconnection agreement first accepted by the Commission on February 5, 2003 between Qwest Corporation and Level 3 Communications, LLC, Docket No. UT-023042 and approved by the Commission on December 29, 2004 in WUTC Docket No. UT-043122 between Qwest Corporation and Qwest Communications Corporation.

Company A represents that the amendment does not discriminate against non-party carriers, that it is consistent with state and federal law, and that it is in the public interest. By virtue of Company B's signature on the amendment, Company A believes that Company B agrees with these representations.

_____ is authorized to file amendments to
Maura Peterson, Paralegal _____ interconnection agreements on behalf of _____
(Name and Title) (Name of Company)

Signature of Authorized Person

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WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
ORDER APPROVING INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT AMENDMENT

The Commission orders:

- (1) The amended agreement, as described above, is approved and effective as of the date of this Order.
- (2) In the event that the parties revise, modify, or amend the agreement approved in this Order, the revised, modified, or amended agreement will be deemed to be a new agreement under the Telecom Act and must be submitted to the Commission for approval, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 252(e)(1) and relevant provisions of state law, prior to taking effect.
- (3) The laws and regulations of the State of Washington and Commission Orders govern the construction and interpretation of the Amended Agreement. The Amended Agreement is subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.

The Commissioners, having reviewed the information available in this matter and having determined this Order to be consistent with the public interest, directed the Secretary to enter this Order.

DATED and signed at Olympia, Washington, this 31st day of January, 2008
(Month and Year)

Executive Secretary