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Via Electronic Mail Only

January 11, 2019

Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W.
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 original confidentiality agreement on behalf of Commission Staff, signed by Michael Turcott.

Sincerely,

/s/ Krista L. Gross
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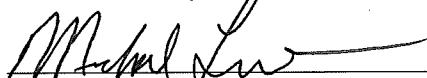
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EXHIBIT B (EXPERT AGREEMENT)

AGREEMENT CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION
IN DOCKET UT-170042
BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

I, MICHAEL TURCOTT, as expert witness in this proceeding for COMMISSION STAFF (a party to this proceeding) hereby agree to comply with and be bound by the Protective Order entered by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Docket UT-170042 and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Protective Order and fully understand its terms and conditions.



Signature

1/10/19
Date

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
Employer

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Position and Responsibilities

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The following portion is to be completed by the responding party and filed with the Commission within 10 days of receipt; failure to do so will constitute a waiver and the above-named person will be deemed an expert having access to Confidential Information under the terms and conditions of the protective order.

_____ No objection.

_____ Objection. The responding party objects to the above-named expert having access to Confidential Information. The objecting party shall file a motion setting forth the basis for objection and asking exclusion of the expert from access to Confidential Information.

Signature

Date