AMENDMENT NO. 8 TO THE SERVICE AGREEMENT FOR ENHANCED DEDICATED SONET RING ("EDSR") SERVICE BETWEEN

AND VERIZON NORTHWEST INC.

This is Amendment No. 8 ("Amendment No. 8"), to the service agreement for EDSR Service between ("Customer") and Verizon Northwest Inc. ("Verizon") which was filed with the Commission on October 13, 2004 as Contract No. 12851CB and made effective by Docket No. UT-041835 on November 12, 2004 and which was modified through seven amendments (the "Agreement").

Whereas, the expiration date of the Agreement is September 19, 2008; and

Whereas, negotiations between Customer and Verizon to finalize a new agreement to renew the Agreement will not complete before the expiration date of the Agreement;

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, sufficiency and receipt of which are hereby acknowledged by the parties, Customer and Verizon agree to amend the Agreement by extending the Service Period for six (6) months ("the Extended Service Period"). Termination charges will not apply during the Extended Service Period.

Except as expressly modified herein, all other rates, terms and conditions of the Agreement remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

Customer must sign and date this Amendment No. 8 on or re before August 15, 2008 to enable enough time for Verizon to sign and date this Amendment and to file it with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission no later than September 20, 2008. If Customer does not sign and date this Amendment No. 8 on or before August 15, 2008, the EDSR Service being provided to Customer pursuant to the Agreement will be disconnected upon the expiration of the Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Customer and Verizon have caused this Amendment No. 8 to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

	Verizon Business Network Services incon behalf of Verizon Northwest Inc
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