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Via E-Mail and Overnight Delivery

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Ms. Carole J. Washburn, Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W. P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7254

Re: Request for Approval of Adopted **Paging** Connection Agreement between Qwest Corporation and Page Data

Dear Ms. Washburn:

In accordance with the Interpretive and Policy Statement issued on June 28, 1996 in Docket No. UT-960269, please find enclosed an original and two (2) copies of the Letter Agreement between between Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") and Page Data. Page Data has adopted, in its entirety, the previously approved Paging Connection Agreement between Qwest (formerly U S WEST Communications, Inc.) and Arch Paging Inc. and Mobile Communications Corporation of America (Docket No. UT-003066; allowed to go into effect on July 12, 2000).

The enclosed Agreement does not discriminate against non-party carriers. It is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity. It is also consistent with applicable state law requirements, including Commission orders regarding interconnection issues. Qwest respectfully requests that the Commission approve this Agreement expeditiously.

The Order on Arbitration Procedure also requests that a proposed order accompany the filing. Qwest requests a waiver of that requirement, and is not providing one with this filing, as the Commission has, in the past, used its own format for Orders. If this is not satisfactory to the Commission, please contact me and I will forward a proposed order immediately.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth M. Weber

Enclosures cc: John Love (without enclosure) Joseph McNeal at Page Data (without enclosure)