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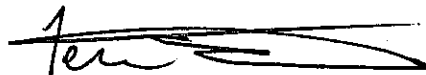
Ms. Carole J. Washburn, Executive Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Request for Certification Pursuant to WAC 480-123-060 and
47 C.F.R. §54.314, and

Dear Ms. Washburn:

CenturyTel of Cowiche, Inc. ("Company") submits the attached revised affidavit to certify that the Company advertises its telephone assistance programs to residents on federally recognized reservations. If you have any questions regarding this submission, please contact me at 318-362-1858 or terrance.hinkston@centurytel.com

Sincerely,



Terrance Hinkston
Compliance Analyst
CenturyTel

Enclosures

**AFFIDAVIT CONTAINING CERTIFICATIONS
AS REQUIRED BY WAC 480-123-060 AND WAC 480-123-070**

I, Jeffrey Glover, being of lawful age and duly sworn, on my oath state that I am Vice President External Relations of CenturyTel of Cowiche, Inc. ("Company"), that I am authorized to execute this Affidavit on behalf of the Company, and that the facts set forth in this Affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. On this basis, I hereby certify to the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission ("Commission") for use by the Commission in providing the certification to the Federal Communications Commission and Universal Service Administrative Company required by 47 C.F.R. §54.314, as follows:

(1) That the federal high-cost universal service fund support received by the Company will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of the facilities and services for which the support is intended;

(2) That during the 2008 calendar year, the Company met substantially the applicable service quality standard found in WAC 480-123-030(1)(h);

(3) That during the 2008 calendar year, the Company maintained the ability to function in emergency situations under the standard found in WAC 480-123-030(1)(g), as such standard relates to functionality of wireline carriers in emergency situations; and

(4) That during the 2008 calendar year, the Company publicized the availability of its applicable telephone assistance programs in a manner reasonably designed to reach those likely to qualify for service, including residents of federally recognized Indian Reservations and in a manner which, in the Company's judgment, included advertisements likely to reach those who are not current customers of the Company within the Company's designated service area.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated this 19th day of August, 2009

Company: CenturyTel of Cowiche, Inc.

By: Jeffrey S. Slava

Its: Vice President Regulatory Support

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 19th day of August, 2009 at
Monroe, Louisiana.

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