

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE

UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF FULLY NEGOTIATED INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT and AMENDMENT BY:

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST D/B/A CENTURYLINK

(Telecommunications Company A Name including DBA if applicable)

TELIAX, INC.

(Telecommunications Company B Name including DBA if applicable)

In accordance with WAC 480-07-640, Company A requests approval of a fully negotiated interconnection agreement including any amendment(s), as described below (the Agreement):

Interconnection Agreement By and Between United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink and TeliAx, Inc. for the State of Washington

And

Carrier Partner for Interconnected VOIP Provider Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink and TeliAx, Inc for the State of Washington.

This Amendment amends the interconnection agreement approved by the Commission on _____ in Docket No. _____

This amends the agreement by adding specific terms and conditions under which the CLEC exchanges traffic with CenturyLink as set forth in Attachment 1 to this amendment.

Company A represents that the Agreement 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 Agreement, Company A believes that Company B agrees with these representations.

Maura Reynolds	is authorized to file interconnection	
Paralegal 4	agreements on behalf of	<u>CenturyLink</u>
1600 7 th Avenue, Room 1506		(Name of Company)
Seattle, Washington 98191		

/s/ Maura Reynolds
Signature of Authorized Person

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(Mailing Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)

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ORDER APPROVING INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

The Commission orders:

- (1) The 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 Agreement. The 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

day of

(Month and Year)

STEVEN V. KING
Executive Director and Secretary