

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In the Matter of the Petition for
Arbitration of an Interconnection
Agreement Between

NORTH COUNTY
COMMUNICATIONS
CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON,

with

QWEST CORPORATION

Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 252(b).

Docket UT-093035

AFFIDAVIT OF JOSEPH G. DICKS IN
SUPPORT OF NORTH COUNTY
COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION'S
MOTION TO DISMISS QWEST
CORPORATION'S PETITION FOR
ARBITRATION

I, Joseph G. Dicks, declare as follows:

I am the attorney of record for North County Communications Corporation of Washington ("North County"). If called as a witness, I could and would competently testify to all facts within my personal knowledge except where stated on information and belief.

This affidavit is submitted in support of North County's Motion to Dismiss Qwest Corporation's Petition for Arbitration. The matters stated herein are true and of my own personal knowledge.

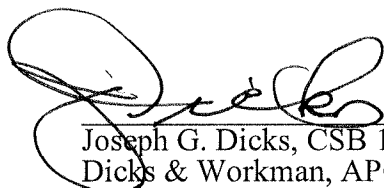
A true and correct copy of the Interconnection Agreement between the parties that became effective on August 27, 1997 is attached hereto as Exhibit A, and incorporated herein as if set forth verbatim.

A true and correct copy of *In the Matter of the Request by GCI Communication Corp. d/b/a General Communication, Inc., and d/b/a GCI for Mediation Regarding Glacier State Study Area Interconnection Disputes with ACS Of The Northland, Inc. d/b/a Alaska Communications*

Systems, ACS Local Service and ACS, Case No. U-02-18, Order No. 2, p. 5 (filed Aug 29, 2002) is attached hereto as Exhibit B, and incorporated herein as if set forth verbatim.

A true and correct copy of *In the Matter of the Petition of Global NAPs Ohio for Arbitration Pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 to Establish an Interconnection Agreement with the Ohio Bell Telephone Company dba AT&T Ohio*, Finding and Order, Case No. 09-195-TP-ARB (filed January 7, 2010) is attached hereto as Exhibit C, and incorporated herein as if set forth verbatim.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington and California, as well as under the laws of the United States, that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed in San Diego, California on March 29, 2010.



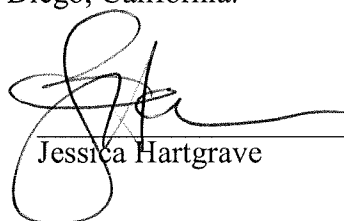
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have served the foregoing document this day upon all parties of record (listed below) in these proceedings by mailing a copy properly addressed with first class postage prepaid.

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Dated this 29th day of March 2010, in San Diego, California.



Jessica Hartgrave