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

Re: Docket No. UT-031472 – Washington Exchange Carrier Association, et al. v. LocalDial Corporation

Dear Ms. Washburn:

In response to the timeline set out in Order No. 01 in this matter, the Complainants, the Washington Exchange Carrier Association and its affected members, are replying to the various petitions to intervene and petitions to be designated as an Interested Party. Pursuant to the direction in the Prehearing Conference Order, the original and sixteen copies of this letter are being filed.

It is WECA's understanding that Focal Communications and ICG Telecom Group, Inc. no longer desire to be involved in the docket in any way.

Further, it is WECA's understanding that the following parties have requested Interested Party status: Pac-West Telecomm, Inc., Covad Communications Company, Vonage Holdings Corp., 8x8 Inc., Qwest Corporation, MCI WorldCom Communications Inc. (formerly WorldCom), The VON Coalition, Verizon Northwest Incorporated, United Telephone Company of the Northwest (Sprint), XO Washington, Inc., Level 3 Communications, LLC and Javelin, Inc. WECA has no objection to those parties' participation as Interested Parties.

Further, it is WECA's understanding that Broadband Communications Association of Washington and AT&T Communications of the Pacific Northwest do desire to be designated as full parties. WECA is somewhat at a loss to Carole Washburn, Executive Secretary November 7, 2003 Page 2

understand how these parties will participate in the factual issues in this case. However, so long as those parties do not broaden the issues in this docket, WECA has not objection to their participation as parties. If either Broadband Communications Association or AT&T Communications of the Pacific Northwest attempts to broaden the focus of this docket, WECA reserves the right to raise the issue of whether they are properly parties. In addition, since this matter is on a referral from Federal District Court from the case under Federal Court Docket No. C03-5012, WECA needs to be very clear that participation at the Commission in this docket by Broadband Communications Association and AT&T Communications of the Pacific Northwest does not entitle them to party status in the Federal Court matter.

The final issue relates to Net2Phone, Inc. I have not seen any correspondence from Net2Phone, Inc. I have attempted to contact their counsel by telephone and e-mail and have not been successful. It appears that neither the telephone number nor the e-mail address listed in the Commission's service list is any longer valid for Net2Phone, Inc.'s representative. In any event, WECA respectfully requests that any prior petition by Net2Phone, Inc. be dismissed since they have not clarified their status as contemplated by the Prehearing Conference Order.

Thank you for your consideration of these comments.

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cc: Administrative Law Judge Moss

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