

**OREGON PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE**

DATE: October 1, 2024

TO: File through Russell Beitzel

FROM: Joseph Bartholomew

SUBJECT: QWEST CORPORATION dba CENTURYLINK QC:
(Docket No. PL 237/Advice No. 2024-002-PL)
Increase Allowance for Line Extension.

I have reviewed this filing and recommend that an acknowledgement letter be sent. With this filing, Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC (CenturyLink) proposes revise the Price List to reflect an increased allowance for line extension. The following changes will be made to the Qwest Exchange & Network Service Price List Oregon 4th Edition:

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The filing was submitted on September 11, 2024, with a proposed effective date of September 13, 2024.

Applicable Law

Telecommunications utilities are required under ORS 759.175 to submit tariff filings to the Commission whenever they intend to change their rates, terms, or conditions of service.

On April 30, 2024, with Order No. 24-113 (Docket No. UM 1908), the Commission approved a new Price Plan applicable to both CenturyLink and its affiliates, United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink, CenturyTel of Oregon d/b/a CenturyLink, and CenturyTel of Eastern Oregon d/b/a CenturyLink, as allowed by ORS 759.255. After several extension requests from CenturyLink which were granted by the Commission, the new Price Plan went into effect on August 1, 2024 under docket UM 1908, Order No. 24-137. Section 8a(i) of CenturyLink's Price Plan requires price list changes to be filed with the Commission at least one day prior to the effective date of the change.

Analysis

This filing complies with the Stipulation adopted by Order No. 24-113 of the new price plan which was agreed upon between the Stipulating Parties that CenturyLink increase the line extension allowance from \$2000 to \$2500.

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Compliance

This filing complies with all applicable laws, rules, and Commission orders and was submitted at least 1 days prior to its effective date therefore complies with the requirements of ORS 759.175 and Section 8a11 of CenturyLink's Price Plan.

Conclusion

The filing should be allowed to go into effect, and an acknowledgment letter should be sent. No further action is necessary.

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