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Public Utility Commission of Oregon
201 High Street, SE, Suite 100
Salem, Oregon 97301-3398

RE: Advice No. 18-01 for United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink, OR PUC No. 4 Tariff

Dear Commissioners:

Attached for electronic filing are the following revisions to the United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink, OR PUC No. 4 Tariff. The following revisions are being submitted with a proposed effective date of February 28, 2018.

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This filing establishes a concurrence with the Residential Service Protection Fund (RSPF) section of the Qwest Corporation d/b/a/ CenturyLink QC (hereinafter "CenturyLink QC") P.U.C. Oregon No. 33 Exchange and Network Services Tariff.

Pursuant to Order No. 17-453 entered November 8, 2017 by the Public Utility Commission of Oregon, the Residential Service Protection Fund (RSPF) Surcharge decreased from 7 cents to 6 cents per access line on January 1, 2018. CenturyLink QC's Exchange and Network Services Tariff contains a general explanation of that surcharge which, to date, has not been contained in this tariff. The proposed concurrence is intended to avoid any misperception that the RSPF Surcharge applies only to customers served by CenturyLink QC.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please feel free to contact me at the number listed below or contact Phil Grate at (206) 345-6224.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Zarneisha Dixon".

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

TEMPORARY SERVICE AND SERVICE TO SPECULATIVE PROJECTS

TEMPORARY SERVICE is exchange service that is known to be required or useable for a temporary period, i.e., less than one year. Temporary service also includes service rendered to residences of less than a permanent nature such as tents, campers, and trailers, which may be easily abandoned or moved. Presence of at least four of the below items will establish residential permanency:

- Ownership of the land involved.
- Connection to a permanent power supply.
- Permanent sanitary facilities.
- Permanent foundation (including wheel removal and presence of skirting).
- Permanent water supply.
- Conformance with local codes.

A SPECULATIVE PROJECT is an undertaking or promotional scheme which, by reason of its nature, location, or sponsors, appears to involve undue risks.

The Company will furnish temporary service or service to speculative projects subject to a service agreement between the Company and the customer. See Line Extension Service.

TAX ADDITIONS TO CUSTOMER BILLING

If any municipality or other local taxing agency imposes on the Company any tax or fee such as business tax, franchise or license fee in excess of four percent (4%) of the gross revenue derived from local exchange service, that amount will be billed by the Company to customers within the jurisdiction of that taxing agency.

When customers are billed for municipality taxes as stated above, the amount will be separately identified and added to the customer's regular billing.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE PROTECTION FUND (RSPF)

United Telephone Company of the Northwest d/b/a CenturyLink concurs with [Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC P.U.C. Oregon No. 33 Exchange and Network Services Tariff](#), Section 2.6.E, for the purpose of administering RSPF.

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