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BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Application No. C-5108
of Qwest Corporation d/b/a)	
CenturyLink QC, seeking)	
modification to the Performance)	ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
Indicator Definitions and)	
Performance Assurance Plan)	
portions of its interconnection)	
agreements.)	Entered: April 21, 2020

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Application filed March 10, 2020, Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC, of Denver, Colorado ("Applicant"), requests approval of amendments to the Performance Indicator Definitions and Performance Assurance Plan portions of its interconnection agreements with each Nebraska Competitive Local Exchange Carrier ("CLEC"). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on March 19, 2020. No protests or interventions were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

O P I N I O N A N D F I N D I N G S

The Commission originally approved the Performance Assurance Plan ("PAP") in question in Commission Application No. C-1830, and has amended the PAP several times since then, most recently on December 3, 2013, in Commission Docket No. C-3943/PI-137. Since that amendment, the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") has eliminated and modified various requirements for interconnection agreements, which are enumerated in the application in this docket. Applicant seeks to modify the PAPs and Performance Indicator Definitions ("PID"s) in its interconnection agreements with Nebraska CLECs in order to comply with the changes implemented by the FCC.

The Applicant states that it has notified impacted CLECs and has proposed interconnection agreement amendments to change the language in the base agreements. The Applicant also submitted samples of its notification letter and proposed amendments. The Applicant requests the Commission approve its redesigned PIDs and PAPs set forth as Appendices 3A and 4A to its application. Applicant also states that the amendments are unopposed.

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Upon consideration of the request and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission finds that the proposed amendments are just, reasonable, and not contrary to the public interest. The Commission further finds that Applicant's proposed amendments should be adopted, and all existing interconnection agreements held between Applicant and Nebraska CLECs should be modified to incorporate the revisions proposed by Applicant in Appendices 3A and 4A to its Application.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-5108 is hereby granted, and the Performance Indicator Definitions and Performance Assurance Plan portions of the interconnection agreements between Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC and Nebraska CLECs are amended as proposed in the application filed in this docket.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 21st day of April, 2020.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Rock Johnson
Crystal Hoadley
Tom Schram
Don Watson

Mary Kadden

Chair

ATTEST:

Michael S. Hyatt
Executive Director