BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

| In the Matter of the Joint |) | Application No. C-4280 |
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| Approval of Indirect Transfer of |) | |
| Control of Qwest Corporation and |) | |
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MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 28^{th} day of September, 2010.

| By: | |
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| | Frank E. Landis |
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