

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the)	Application No. C-4624
Application of Qwest)	
Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink)	
QC, Denver, Colorado, seeking)	
approval of an Amendment to)	APPROVED
the Interconnection Agreement)	
with Teleport Communications)	
America, LLC f/k/a TCG Omaha,)	
New York, New York, previously)	
approved in Docket C-3095.)	Entered: October 22, 2013

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On August 9, 2013, Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC ("CenturyLink"), of Denver, Colorado, filed an application seeking approval of an Amendment to its Interconnection Agreement with Teleport Communications America, LLC f/k/a TCG Omaha, New York, New York ("Teleport"). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on August 13, 2013. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

CenturyLink and TCG Omaha entered into an Interconnection Agreement reached through arbitration under Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Said agreement was approved by the Commission in Docket C-3095 on October 13, 2004. On August 9, 2013, CenturyLink and Teleport filed an Amendment to their Interconnection Agreement. The executed copy of the Agreement is contained within the application.

The Amendment does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier. Furthermore, the implementation of the Amendment is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

Section 252(e) of the Act requires this Commission to review negotiated interconnection agreements to ensure they comply with Sections 251 and 252(d) of the Act, as well as all applicable state laws. Using those standards, the Amendment should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Interconnection Agreement Amendment between Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC and Teleport Communications America, LLC f/k/a TCG Omaha be, and it is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the executed Amendment filed herein be, and it is hereby, made the official copy on file with the Nebraska Public Service Commission.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 22nd day of October, 2013.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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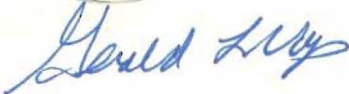
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