## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the	) Application No. C-4992
Application of United	)
Telephone Company of the West	<b>)</b> • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
d/b/a CenturyLink, Denver,	)
Colorado, seeking approval of	)
a Bill and Keep Amendment to	) APPROVED
the Interconnection Agreement	)
with Charter Fiberlink-	<b>)</b>
Nebraska, LLC, St. Louis,	)
Missouri, previously approved	)
in Docket C-4198.	) Entered: September 5, 2018

## BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed June 28, 2018, United Telephone Company of the West d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink"), of Denver, Colorado, seeks approval of a Bill and Keep Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement with Charter Fiberlink-Nebraska, LLC ("Charter"), St. Louis, Missouri. The underlying agreement was approved by the Commission in Application No. C-4198. Notice of the application was published in <a href="The Daily Record">The Daily Record</a>, Omaha, Nebraska, on July 3, 2018. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

Pursuant to Section 252(a) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the Act), CenturyLink and Charter entered into an Interconnection Agreement arrived at through voluntary negotiations. An executed copy of this statement is contained within the application.

Neither the amendment nor any portion thereof discriminates 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 the Commission to review interconnection agreements adopted by negotiation or arbitration to ensure they comply with Sections 252 and 252(d) of the Act, as well as all applicable state laws. Using those standards, the amendment should be approved.

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## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Bill and Keep Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between United Telephone Company of the West d/b/a CenturyLink and Charter Fiberlink-Nebraska, LLC, shall be and is hereby approved.

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

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this  $5^{\rm th}$  day of September, 2018.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director

//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Mary Ridder