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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT
SFN 2053 (4-2002)

PU-2271-01-87

Sprint Communications Company L.P./Qwest Corporati
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application
Filed 2/22/2001

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Closed 4/26/2001

DESCRIPTION

Scott, Sandi L.

From: Bauske, Shelly A.
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2001 10:25 AM
To: Scott, Sandi L.
Subject: FW: Money Received.....

-----Original Message-----

From: Geiger, Gloria A.
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2001 9:31 AM
To: Bauske, Shelly A.
Subject: RE: Money Received.....

-----Original Message-----

From: Bauske, Shelly A.
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2001 9:03 AM
To: Geiger, Gloria A.
Subject: Money Received.....

Case No. PU-2442-01-91
New Edge Networks
\$55.04
7700 8503 248 21091

Case No. PU-314-00-198
AT&T
\$125.95
7700 8503 248 20198

Case No. PU-314-97-193
AT&T
\$94.09
7700 8503 248 07193

Case No. PU-2498-01-113
Dakota Central (Daktel Communications)
\$64.87
7700 8503 248 21113

Case No. PU-314-97-193
New Edge Networks
\$240.45
7700 8503 248 07193

Case No. PU-2491-01-81
Qwest
7700 8503 248 21081 \$145.04

Case No. PU-2442-01-91

11 **PL 42-01-91** Pages: 0
\$55.04 received
by New Edge Network, Inc./Qwest Corporation
06/18/2001 CC: Comm Legal Illona Jerry .

99 **PU-314-00-198** Pages: 0
\$125.95 received
by AT&T Communications
06/18/2001 CC: Comm Legal Illona Jerry .

642 **PU-314-97-193** Pages: 0
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by AT&T Communications
06/18/2001

11 **PU-2498-01-113** Pages: 0
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by Daktel Communications, L.L.C./Qwest Corporation
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643 **PU-314-97-193** Pages: 0
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by New Edge Network, Inc.

12 **PU-2491-01-81** Pages: 0
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12 **PU-2442-01-91** Pages: 0
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11 **PU-2491-01-92** Pages: 0
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12 **PU-2038-01-93** Pages: 0
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06/18/2001

12 **PU-2271-01-87** Pages: 0
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11 **PU-2492-01-94** Pages: 0
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Qwest
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Case No. PU-2491-01-92
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Case No. PU-2271-01-87
Qwest
7700 8503 248 21087 \$55.03

Case No. PU-2492-01-94
Qwest
7700 8503 248 21094 \$55.03

Total Qwest Check: \$420.19

Scott, Sandi L.

From: Bauske, Shelly A.
Sent: Thursday, June 07, 2001 10:03 AM
To: Geiger, Gloria A.; Scott, Sandi L.
Subject: Money Received.....

Case No. PU-2271-01-87
Sprint
\$55.04

Case No. PU-2079-00-655
Z-Tel Communications
\$243.41

11 **PU-2271-01-87** Pages: 0
\$55.04 received
by Sprint Communications Co. LP dba Sprint Communi
06/07/2001 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .

19 **PU-2079-00-655** Pages: 0
\$243.41 received
by Z-Tel Communications, Inc.
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APPROVED

DATE: 5-23-01
KMF

MOTION

May 23, 2001

Sprint Communications Company, L.P./
Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application

Case No. PU-2271-01-87

I move the Commission bill Sprint and Qwest Corporation for costs incurred to date in Case No. PU-2271-01-87, Sprint Communications Company, L.P./Qwest Corporation, Interconnection Agreement Amendment, Application.



Public Service Commission
State of North Dakota

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May 23, 2001

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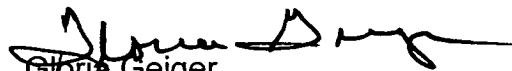
RE: Case No. PU-2271-01-87
Sprint Communications Company, L.P./Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application

Enclosed is a copy of the statement approved at the May 23, 2001 Public Service Commission meeting for the expenses incurred to date in Case No. PU-2271-01-87.

Under N.D.C.C. 49-21-01.7, these expenses are billed through the Valuation Fund and must be paid for by the telecommunications company involved.

Please make your check payable to the Public Service Commission.

Sincerely,


Gloria Geiger
Admin Staff Officer
701-328-2401

Enc.

c: Scott Macintosh
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Billing Statement

May 23, 2001

Sprint Communications Company, L.P./
Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application

Case No. PU-2271-01-87

Expenses Incurred to Date:

Advertising Costs	\$110.07
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Amount Due:

Sprint	\$55.04
Qwest Corporation	\$55.03

Send Payment and a Copy of this Statement To:

Public Service Commission
600 E Boulevard Ave Dept 408
Bismarck ND 58505-0480

Federal Tax ID 45-0309764

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Sprint Communications Company, L.P./Qwest
Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application

Case No. PU-2271-01-87

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED MAIL AND ORDINARY MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Sharon Helbling deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **26th day of April, 2001**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and each containing a photocopy of:

Order Approving Interconnection Agreement Amendment

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Dan Kuntz
P O Box 1695
Bismarck ND 58502-1695

Ken Ross
Sprint Communications Company
7301 College Blvd
Overland Park KS 66210
Cert. No. 7000 0520 0022 8654 2432

Cert. No. 7000 0520 0022 8654 2425

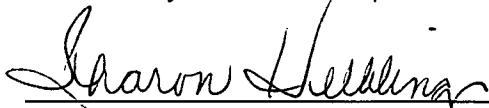
Sharon Helbling further deposes and says that on the **26th day of April, 2001**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

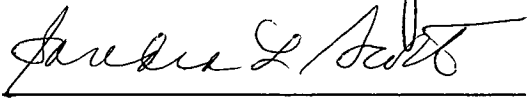
Scott Macintosh
Qwest Corporation
P O Box 5508
Bismarck ND 58502-5508

Dir-Interconnection Compliance
Qwest Corporation
1801 California St Rm 2410
Denver CO 80202

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **26th day of April, 2001**.





Notary Public

SANDRA L. SCOTT
Notary Public, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
My Commission Expires JUNE 11, 2004

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Affidavit of Service

by Public Service Commission

04/26/2001

CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry

APPROVED

MOTION

DATE: 4-25-01
KMF

April 25, 2001

**Sprint Communications Company, L.P./Qwest
Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2271-01-87

I move the Commission adopt the Order Approving Interconnection Agreement Amendment in the application of Qwest Corporation for approval of an interconnection agreement amendment negotiated with Sprint Communications Company, L.P., Case No. PU-2271-01-87.

JRL/sdh

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Sprint Communications Company, L.P./Qwest Corp.
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2271-01-87

ORDER APPROVING INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT AMENDMENT

April 25, 2001

On February 22, 2001, Qwest Corporation Communications, Inc. (Qwest) filed an application for approval of a 911/Waiver Amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with Sprint Communications Company, L.P. (Sprint) of Dallas, TX. With this amendment, Qwest would allow Sprint to offer a new Dial IP service that would carry only one-way internet-bound data traffic of Qwest originated calls delivered to Sprint Dial IP customers.

The amendment was filed under Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Act). The Act requires that any agreement adopted by negotiation or arbitration be submitted for approval to the Commission. Under section 252(e)(2)(A), the Commission may only reject an agreement (or portion thereof) adopted by negotiation if it finds that:

1. the agreement (or portion thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier that was not a party to the agreement;
2. the implementation of the agreement (or portion thereof) is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

On March 14, 2001, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments which provided that the Commission would receive written comments on the agreement until April 16, 2001. No comments have been received.

The Commission has reviewed the amended agreement and finds that it does not discriminate against a telecommunications carrier that was not a party to the agreement. The Commission further finds that implementation of the amended agreement is not inconsistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

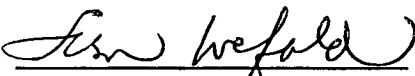

Order

The Commission orders:

1. The interconnection agreement amendment negotiated between Qwest Corporation and Sprint Communications Company, L.P. filed with the Commission on February 22, 2001, is APPROVED.
2. The Commission retains continuing jurisdiction over the agreement at all times.

3. Notice of any changes to the agreement must be filed promptly with the Commission.
4. The agreement must not be assigned, assumed or otherwise transferred without the approval of the Commission.
5. Each party to the agreement shall respond reasonably and in good faith to the other party's requests to implement the agreement.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

<u>"ABSENT"</u>		
_____ Anthony T. Clark Commissioner	_____ Susan E. Wefald President	_____ Leo M. Reinbold Commissioner

Affidavit of Publication

State of North Dakota)
)
County of Burleigh)

APR 26 2001

Laurie Thiel

, being duly sworn, state as follows:

1. I am the designated agent, under the provisions and for the purposes of, Section 31-04-06, NDCC, for the newspapers listed on the attached exhibits.

2. The newspapers listed on the exhibits published the advertisement of:

Sprint/NewEdge/Tonex, 1 time(s)
as required by law or ordinance.

3. All of the listed newspapers are legal newspapers in the State of North Dakota and, under the provisions of Section 46-05-01, NDCC, are qualified to publish any public notice or any matter required by law or ordinance to be printed or published in a newspaper in North Dakota.

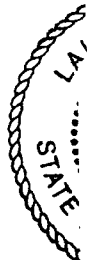
Signed: [Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of April A.D. 2001.

[Signature]

6 PU-2491-01-92 Pages: 11
Affidavit of Publication
by North Dakota Advertising Service, Inc.
04/26/2001 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .

6 PU-2271-01-87 Pages: 11
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6 PU-2038-01-93 Pages: 11
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Application**

Case No. PU-2491-01-92

**IdeaOne Telecom Group, LLC/Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2038-01-93

**CCCND, Inc./Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2492-01-94

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Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

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Ken Ross
Sprint Communications Company
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Overland Park KS 66210
Cert. No. 7000 0520 0022 8654 0766

5 **PU-2271-01-87** Pages: 4

Affidavits of Service

by Public Service Commission

03/15/2001

CC: Comm Legal Illona Jerry

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Sue E Weiske
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Cert. No. 7000 0520 0022 8654 0803

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IdeaOne Telecom Group LLC
3239 39th St SW
Fargo ND 58104
Cert. No. 7000 0520 0022 8654 0810

Ed Moore
Connect Holding Corp
124 W Capitol Ave Ste 250
Little Rock AR 72201
Cert. No. 7000 0520 0022 8654 0827

Sharon Helbling further deposes and says that on the **15th day of March, 2001**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **three** envelopes by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

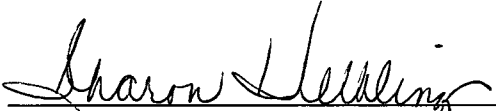
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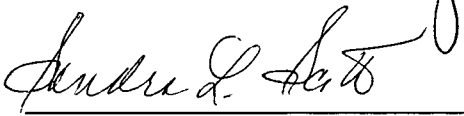
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Steven Noack
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **15th day of March, 2001**.





Notary Public

SEAL

SANDRA L. SCOTT
Notary Public, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
My Commission Expires JUNE 11, 2004

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Sprint Communications Company, L.P./Qwest Corporation
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Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments

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See Attached List

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Sharon Hedding

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **15th day of March, 2001**.

Sandra L. Scott

Notary Public

SEAL

SANDRA L. SCOTT
Notary Public, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
My Commission Expires JUNE 11, 2004

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Helbling, Sharon D.

From: Helbling, Sharon D.
Sent: Thursday, March 15, 2001 10:11 AM
To: ndna (E-mail)
Subject: Notice of Opportunity for Hearing and Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments

Colleen,

Please have the attached notices published as legal publications in the next issue of the ten North Dakota daily newspapers, and run them as "News Item Only" articles as well.

You can send the bill to the Public Service Commission along with a tear sheet for billing purposes.

If you have any questions, give me a call at 328-4076.

Thanks.

Sharon Helbling
Public Utilities Division



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March 14, 2001

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I move the Commission issue a Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments in the above captioned applications of Qwest Corporation for approval of interconnection agreement amendments.

JRL/sdh

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by Public Service Commission

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CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS

March 14, 2001

On February 22, 2001, in Case No. PU-2271-87, Qwest Corporation Communications, Inc. (Qwest) filed an application for approval of a 911/Waiver Amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with Sprint Communications Company, L.P. (Sprint) of Dallas, TX. With this amendment, Qwest would allow Sprint to offer a new Dial IP service that would carry only one-way internet-bound data traffic of Qwest originated calls delivered to Sprint Dial IP customers.

On February 27, 2001, in, Qwest filed an application for approval of an Amendment for Deaveraged Loop Rate negotiated to its interconnection agreements with Ionex Communications North, Inc. (Case No. PU-2491-01-92), IdeaOne Telecom Group, LLC (Case No. PU-2038-01-93) and CCND, Inc. d/b/a Connect! (Case No. PU-2492-01-94). These amendments reflect the deaveraged unbundled two-wire loop rates in accordance with the Commission's Order in Case No. PU-314-97-12.

On February 28, 2001, in Case No. PU-2442-01-91, Qwest filed an application for approval of Amendment No. 4 negotiated to its interconnection agreement with New Edge Network, Inc. d/b/a New Edge Networks. This amendment would entirely replace the rates, terms and conditions for unbundled loops contained in the original agreement.

These amendments were filed under Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Act). The Act requires that any agreement adopted by negotiation or arbitration be submitted for approval to the Commission. Under section 252(e)(2)(A),

the Commission may only reject an agreement (or portion thereof) adopted by negotiation if it finds that:

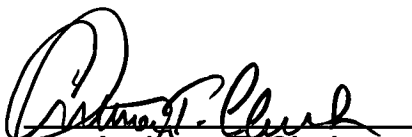
1. the agreement (or portion thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier that was not a party to the agreement;
2. the implementation of the agreement (or portion thereof) is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

In addition, the Commission may include in its review state requirements that do not constitute barriers to entry under section 253. Section 252(e)(4) requires that the Commission must act to approve or reject an agreement adopted by negotiation within ninety (90) days after submission by the parties.

The Commission will receive written comments on these agreements until April 16, 2001.

For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials please notify Jon Mielke, Executive Secretary.

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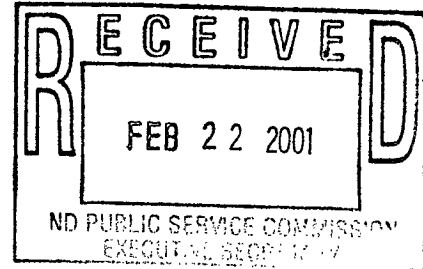
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Re: 911/Waiver Amendment to Interconnection Agreement Between Qwest Corporation and Sprint Communications Company, L.P.

Dear Mr. Mielke:

Enclosed for filing are the original and seven copies of a 911/Waiver Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Sprint Communications Company and Qwest Corporation which was approved by the Commission on November 19, 1997 in Docket No. PU-987-97-474. The contact person for Sprint Communications Company is Ken Ross, Director -- Local Market Development, 7301 College Blvd., Overland Park, KS 66210.

Also enclosed is an extra copy of this letter. Please date stamp the extra copy and return it to me in the enclosed postage-paid envelope.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Daniel S. Kuntz".

Daniel S. Kuntz

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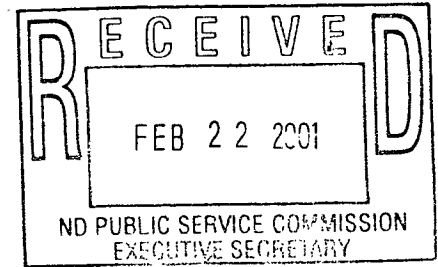
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Application for amendment to
interconnection agreement
by Sprint Communications Co. LP/Qwest Corporation

02/22/2001

CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry



**911/Waiver Amendment
to the Interconnection Agreement
Between
Sprint Communications Company, L.P.
and
Qwest Corporation
For the States of Iowa, Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska, New Mexico,
South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming**

This 911 Waiver Amendment is made and entered into by and between Sprint Communications Company, L.P. ("Sprint") and Qwest Corporation ("Qwest").

WHEREAS, Sprint and Qwest entered into an Interconnection Agreement for service in the states of Iowa, Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska, New Mexico, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming that was executed by Sprint on July 8, 1997 and by Qwest on July 17, 1997 (the "Interconnection Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement further under the terms and conditions contained herein; and

WHEREAS, Sprint desires to offer a new Dial IP product in the aforementioned States, and

WHEREAS, Sprint has stated that its new Dial IP product will carry only one-way internet-bound data traffic of Qwest originated calls delivered to Sprint Dial IP Customers and Sprint has indicated that its Dial IP Service will not be capable of allowing Sprint Dial IP Customers to originate any Sprint voice calls, including calls that may terminate at a 911 or E911 PSAP or a mass calling choke point, and

WHEREAS, Sprint claims that its Dial IP equipment does not require 911 or E911 or mass calling choke trunks for effective technical operation of equipment or for the public safety, and

WHEREAS, Qwest is concerned that it may become involved in 911 or E911 disputes with public authorities or Sprint Customers concerning the capability of a carrier to originate local voice traffic that might terminate to Qwest without 911/E911 capabilities being provided to end users, and

WHEREAS, all other Sections of the Interconnection Agreement will remain unchanged.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual provisions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Qwest and Sprint agree as follows:

Sprint represents and affirms that it will not allow its Dial IP Customers to originate Sprint voice calls using the Dial IP trunks that terminate to Qwest.

Sprint shall at all times cooperate with Qwest on the provisioning of 911/E911 and mass calling trunks when Sprint delivers its voice traffic to Qwest for termination. Qwest shall have the right to participate in the testing of this functionality. Sprint shall notify Qwest at any time that Sprint seeks interconnection arrangement between a Sprint switch and Qwest's network that might be used to carry traffic that requires 911/E911 and mass calling trunk functionality.


In addition to the provisions contained in the Interconnection Agreement, Sprint shall indemnify and hold harmless Qwest from and against any loss, cost, claim, liability, damage and expense (including reasonable attorney's fees) to third parties, including but not limited to Sprint's Customers, relating to or arising out of the interconnection of Sprint's network with Qwest's network and the provision by Sprint of Sprint's Dial IP service to any third party with respect to 911/E911 calls, or capabilities or lack thereof.

Sprint agrees that it is solely responsible for the provision of 911/E911 services to its Customers, and agrees to abide by the terms of the Interconnection Agreement.

Except as provided in this Amendment, all other Sections of the Interconnection Agreement will remain unchanged.

Both Parties agree that nothing in this agreement can be used as an admission by or against either Party, including but not limited to obligations which arise with Internet-related traffic.

Sprint Communications Company, L.P.

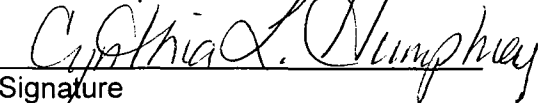

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