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

PU-2780-02-579

Level 3 Communications, LLC/Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application

02

Filed 11/8/2002

Closed 1/15/2003

DESCRIPTION



Public Service Commission
Receipt of Payment

Receipt# 5443

Received: 6/24/2003 Check# 3121341 for \$61.90
Subject: Utility Valuation

Docket # PU-2780-02-579

Level 3 Communications Inc
1025 Eldorado Blvd
Broomfield CO 80021

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Pages: 1

Receipt# 5,443 \$61.90

by Level 3 Communications Inc

06/24/2003

Scott, Sandi L.

From: Bauske, Shelly A.
Sent: Friday, January 31, 2003 1:22 PM
To: Scott, Sandi L.
Subject: FW: Money Received.....

11 PU-2463-02-553 Pages: 0
\$61.90 received
by Qwest Corporation
01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Illona Jerry .

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

From: Bauske, Shelly A.
Sent: Thursday, January 30, 2003 11:43 AM
To: Geiger, Gloria A.
Subject: Money Received.....

11 PU-2780-02-588 Pages: 0
\$61.90 received
by Qwest Corporation
01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Illona Jerry .

Case No. PU-2463-02-553
Qwest
61.90

14 PU-2790-02-509 Pages: 0
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by Qwest Corporation
01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal PUD (3)

Case No. PU-2780-02-588
Qwest
61.90

11 PU-2441-02-571 Pages: 0
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Case No. PU-2790-02-509
Qwest
278.54

11 PU-2630-02-587 Pages: 0
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Case No. PU-2441-02-571
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11 PU-2800-02-572 Pages: 0
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Case No. PU-2630-02-587
Qwest
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11 PU-2630-02-483 Pages: 0
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Case No. PU-2800-02-572
Qwest
61.90

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by Qwest Corporation
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Case No. PU-2630-02-483
Qwest
87.42

11 PU-2057-02-493 Pages: 0
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by Qwest Corporation
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Case No. PU-2780-02-579

Qwest
61.90

Case No. PU-2057-02-493
Qwest
87.42

Total Qwest Check: \$824.78

APPROVED

MOTION

DATE: 1-15-03

KMF

January 15, 2003

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I move the Commission bill Level 3 Communications, LLC and Qwest Corporation for costs incurred to date in Case No. PU-2780-02-579, Level 3 Communications, LLC/Qwest Corporation, Interconnection Agreement Amendment, Application.

Billing Statement

January 15, 2003

Level 3 Communications, LLC/
Qwest Corporation
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Bill To:

Level 3 Communications, LLC\$61.90
Qwest Corporation\$61.90

Expenses Incurred to Date:

Advertising Costs\$123.80

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

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Order

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Pages: 2

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01/16/2003

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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 **16th day of January, 2003**.

SEAL



Sharon Helbling

Sandra L. Scott

Notary Public

MOTION

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I move the Commission adopt the Order approving the captioned interconnection agreements.

JRL/sdh

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Motion

by Public Service Commission

01/15/2003

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ORDER

January 15, 2003

On October 21, 2002, Qwest Corporation (Qwest) filed an application for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with Integra Telecom of North Dakota, Inc. of Beaverton, Oregon, Case No. PU-2463-02-553. This amendment sets forth rates, terms and conditions for bill and keep reciprocal compensation.

On November 1, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with AT&T Communications of the Midwest, Inc. of Minneapolis, MN, Case No. PU-2441-02-571. This amendment sets forth rates, terms and conditions for UNE Combinations.

Also on November 1, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an interconnection agreement negotiated with MCIMetro Access Transmission Services, LLC of Clinton, MS, Case No. PU-2800-02-572. This agreement adopts Qwest's sixth revised Statement of Generally Available Terms and Conditions (SGAT).

On November 8, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with Level 3 Communications, LLC of Louisville, CO, Case No. PU-2780-02-579. This amendment addresses customer billing records and reports.

On November 12, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with U.S. Link, Inc. of Pequot Lakes, MN, Case No. 2630-02-587. This amendment sets forth rates, terms and conditions for UNE-P and Public Access Lines.

Also on November 12, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with Level 3 Communications, LLC, Case No. PU-2780-02-588. This agreement sets forth rates, terms and conditions for single point of presence in the LATA.

These agreements 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.

On November 20, 2002, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments, which provided that the Commission would receive comments on the agreements until December 20, 2002. No comments have been received.

The Commission has reviewed the agreements and does not find them discriminatory against a telecommunications carrier that was not a party to the agreements. The Commission finds that implementation of the agreements is not inconsistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.


Order

The Commission orders:

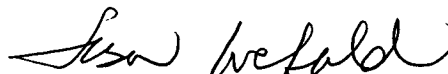
1. The captioned interconnection agreements are APPROVED.
2. The Commission retains continuing jurisdiction over the agreements at all times.
3. Notice of any changes to the agreements must be filed promptly with the Commission.

4. The agreements must not be assigned, assumed or otherwise transferred without the approval of the Commission.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Anthony T. Clark
Commissioner

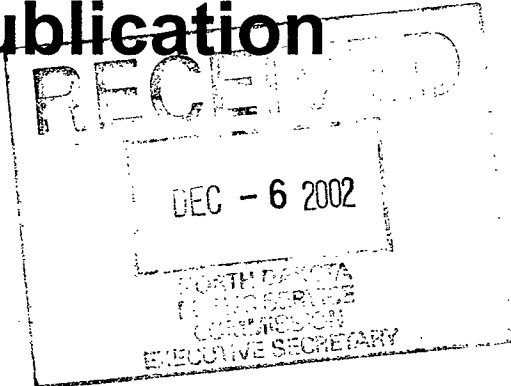


Susan E. Wefald
President



Leo M. Reinbold
Commissioner

Affidavit of Publication



State of North Dakota)
County of Burleigh)

Laune 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:
Integra Telecom Level 3, 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 4th day of December A.D. 2002

[Signature: Kelli Richy]

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12/06/2002 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry.

KELLI RICHY
Notary Publ
State of North D
Commission Expires

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North Dakota Newspaper Association

1435 Interstate Loop
 Bismarck, ND 58503-0567
 Ph (701) 223-6397 • Fax (701) 223-8185

INVOICE

Order **02121PP0-16928**

Invoice # **8927**

December 5, 2002

Attn: JONH. MIELKE
 PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
 600 E. BOULEVARD AVE.
 STATE CAPITOL
 BISMARCK, ND 58505

Advertiser: **Public Service Commission**

P.O.#:

Amount Due **\$742.81**

Amount Paid

Voice: 328-4076

Please detach and return this portion with your payment

Public Service Commission Invoice # 02121PP0-16928-8927

Ad Size	Rate Type	Rate	Total	Discount (%)	Caption	Page	Run Date
Bismarck Tribune (Bismarck ND)							
1.00	Special	72.96	72.96	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/27/02
Devils Lake Daily Journal (Devils Lake ND)							
1.00	Special	73.71	73.71	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/27/02
Dickinson Press (Dickinson ND)							
1.00	Special	74.10	74.10	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/27/02
Fargo, The Forum (Fargo ND)							
1.00	Special	73.84	73.84	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		12/02/02
Grand Forks Herald (Grand Forks ND)							
1.00	Special	77.28	77.28	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/26/02
Jamestown Sun (Jamestown ND)							
1.00	Special	71.28	71.28	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/30/02
Minot Daily News (Minot ND)							
1.00	Special	71.82	71.82	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/27/02
Valley City Times-Record (Valley City ND)							
1.00	Special	76.86	76.86	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/27/02
Wahpeton Daily News (Wahpeton ND)							
1.00	Special	74.10	74.10	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/27/02
Williston Herald (Williston ND)							
1.00	Special	76.86	76.86	0.00	Integra ... Level 3		11/27/02

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Agency Discount		Tax	0.00	Adjustments	0.00
Other Discount	0.00	Total Billed	742.81	Payment Date	
Service Charge	0.00	Unbilled	0.00	Balance Due	742.81

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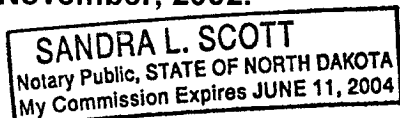
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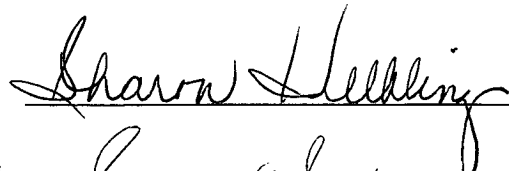
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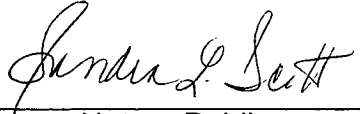
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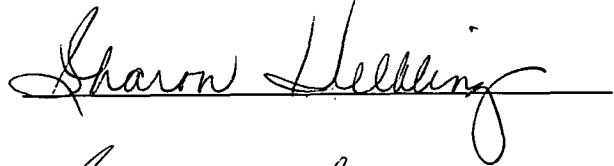
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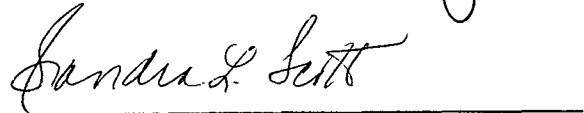
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From: Helbling, Sharon D.
Sent: Thursday, November 21, 2002 9:00 AM
To: ndna (E-mail)
Subject: Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments

**Colleen Park
North Dakota Newspaper Association**

Colleen:

Please have the attached Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments published as a legal publication in the next issue of the ten North Dakota daily newspapers, and run it as a "News Item Only" article as well.

Send the bill to the Public Service Commission along with a tear sheet for billing purposes.

If you have any questions, please call me at 328-4076. Thank you.

**Sharon Helbling
Public Utilities Division**

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DATE: 11-20-02
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November 20, 2002

**Integra Telecom of North Dakota, Inc./Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2463-02-553

**AT&T Communications of the Midwest, Inc./Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2441-02-571

**MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC./Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement
Application**

Case No. PU-2800-02-572

**Level 3 Communications, LLC/Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2780-02-579

**U.S. Link, Inc./Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2630-02-587

**Level 3 Communications, LLC/Qwest Corporation
Interconnection Agreement Amendment
Application**

Case No. PU-2780-02-588

I move the Commission issue a Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments in the captioned applications for approval of interconnection agreements.

JRL/sdh

On November 8, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with Level 3 Communications, LLC of Louisville, CO, Case No. PU-2780-02-579. This amendment addresses customer billing records and reports.

On November 12, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with U.S. Link, Inc. of Pequot Lakes, MN, Case No. 2630-02-587. This amendment sets forth rates, terms and conditions for UNE-P and Public Access Lines.

Also on November 12, 2002, Qwest filed for approval of an amendment negotiated to its interconnection agreement with Level 3 Communications, LLC, Case No. PU-2780-02-588. This agreement sets forth rates, terms and conditions for single point of presence in the LATA.

These agreements 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:

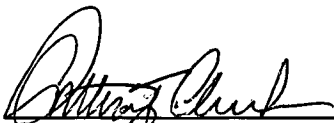
1. the agreement (or portion thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier that was not a party to the agreement;
2. the implementation of the agreement (or portion thereof) is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity

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.

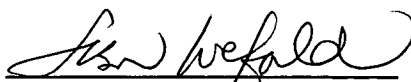
The Commission will receive written comments on these agreements until December 26, 2002.

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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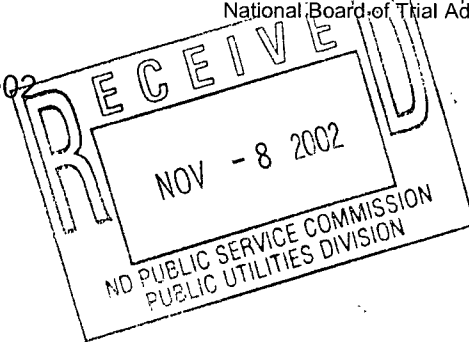
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Re: Amendment to Interconnection Agreement Between Qwest Corporation and Level 3 Communications, LLC

Dear Mr. Mielke:

Enclosed for filing is the original and seven copies of an Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Level 3 Communications, LLC and Qwest Corporation. The document amends an Interconnection Agreement that was approved by the Commission on October 23, 2002 in Case No. PU-2780-02-457. The Amendment adds terms and conditions relating to data exchange for the billing of intraLATA switched access. Contact information for Level 3 Communications should be directed to Level 3 Communications, LLC, Attention: Mr. Peter Blisard, Manager – Interconnection Services, Regulatory/Government Affairs, 1025 Eldorado Boulevard, Broomfield, CO 80021 and with a copy to Mr. Greg Rogers, Esq. at the same address. The telephone number for Mr. Blisard is 720-888-6432 and the telephone number for Mr. Rogers is 720-888-2512.

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

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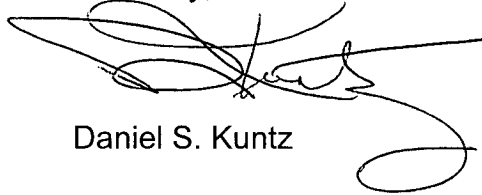
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Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing.

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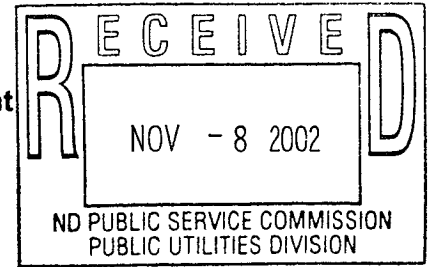
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**Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement
between
Level 3 Communications, LLC
and Qwest Corporation
for the State of North Dakota**



This Amendment ("Amendment") is made and entered into by and between Level 3 Communications, LLC ("CLEC") and Qwest Corporation ("Qwest").

WHEREAS, CLEC and Qwest entered into an Interconnection Agreement ("the Agreement"), for service in the state of North Dakota, that was executed by the Parties on August 20, 2002 and is currently pending before the North Dakota Public Utilities Commission ("Commission"); and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement by adding terms and conditions relating to data exchange for the billing of intraLATA switched access.

AGREEMENT

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual terms, covenants and conditions contained in this Amendment and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

1. Amendment Terms.

The Agreement is hereby amended by adding the following to Section 7.7.1:

7.7.1 "CLEC agrees to utilize Qwest's customer billing records and/or reports, subject to audit, for intraLATA switched access billing to Qwest and Qwest will provide such records and/or reports in a commercially reasonable time period. At such time that CLEC has all information required to accurately track and bill intraLATA switched access calls and upon mutual agreement by the Parties, CLEC will utilize CLEC's customer billing records and/or reports, subject to audit, for intraLATA switched access billing."

2. Effective Date.

This Amendment shall be deemed effective upon approval by the Commission; however, the Parties may agree to implement the provisions of this Amendment upon execution. To accommodate this need, CLEC must generate, if necessary, an updated Customer Questionnaire. In addition to the Questionnaire, all system updates will need to be completed by Qwest. CLEC will be notified when all system changes have been made. Actual order processing may begin once these requirements have been met.

3. Amendments; Waivers

The provisions of this Amendment, including the provisions of this sentence, may not be interpreted, amended, modified or supplemented, and waivers or consents to departures from the provisions of this Amendment may not be given without the written consent thereto by both Parties' authorized representative. No waiver by any party of any default, misrepresentation, or breach of warranty or covenant hereunder, whether intentional or

not, will be deemed to extend to any prior or subsequent default, misrepresentation, or breach of warranty or covenant hereunder or affect in any way any rights arising by virtue of any prior or subsequent such occurrence.

4. Entire Agreement

This Amendment (including the documents referred to herein) constitutes the full and entire understanding and agreement between the Parties with regard to the subjects of this Amendment and supersedes any prior understandings, agreements, amendments or representations by or between the Parties, written or oral, to the extent they relate in any way to the subjects of this Amendment.

The Parties intending to be legally bound have executed this Amendment as of the dates set forth below, in multiple counterparts, each of which is deemed an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Level 3 Communications, LLC



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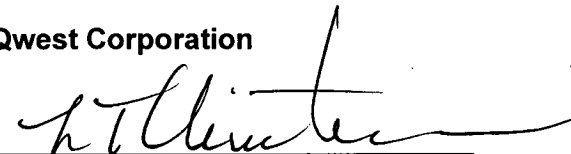
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		D. Is delivery address different from item 1? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If YES, enter delivery address below: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
		3. Service Type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Registered <input type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise <input type="checkbox"/> Insured Mail <input type="checkbox"/> C.O.D.	
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