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

PU-2630-02-587

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

Filed 11/12/2002

Closed 1/17/2003

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DESCRIPTION



Public Service Commission
Receipt of Payment

Receipt# 5253

Received: 2/5/2003 Check# 1500032737 for \$61.90
Subject: Utility Valuation

Docket # PU-2630-02-587

U.S. Link, Inc.
102 Main Street
Pegot Lakes MN 56472

12 **PU-2630-02-587**

Pages: 1

Receipt# 5,253 \$61.90

by U.S. Link, Inc.

02/05/2003

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 \$61.90 received by Qwest Corporation 01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .	Pages: 0
-----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 \$61.90 received by Qwest Corporation 01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .	Pages: 0
Case No. PU-2463-02-553 Qwest 61.90	14	PU-2790-02-509 \$278.54 received by Qwest Corporation 01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal PUD (3)	Pages: 0
Case No. PU-2780-02-588 Qwest 61.90	11	PU-2441-02-571 \$61.90 received by Qwest Corporation 01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .	Pages: 0
Case No. PU-2790-02-509 Qwest 278.54	11	PU-2630-02-587 \$61.90 received by Qwest Corporation 01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .	Pages: 0
Case No. PU-2441-02-571 Qwest 61.90	11	PU-2800-02-572 \$61.90 received by Qwest Corporation 01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .	Pages: 0
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Case No. PU-2630-02-483 Qwest 87.42	11	PU-2057-02-493 \$87.42 received by Qwest Corporation 01/31/2003 CC: Comm Legal Ilona Jerry .	Pages: 0
Case No. PU-2780-02-579			

Qwest
61.90

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

Total Qwest Check: \$824.78

APPROVED

DATE: 1-15-03
KMF

MOTION

January 15, 2003

U.S. Link, Inc./Qwest Corporation
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Case No. PU-2630-02-587

I move the Commission bill U.S. Link, Inc. and Qwest Corporation for costs incurred to date in Case No. PU-2630-02-587, U.S. Link, Inc./Qwest Corporation, Interconnection Agreement Amendment, Application.



Public Service Commission
State of North Dakota

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January 15, 2003

John Sango
U S Link Inc
30925 2nd St
Pequot Lakes MN 56472

Dan Kuntz
PO Box 1695
Bismarck ND 58502-1695

RE: Case No. PU-2630-02-587
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Enclosed is a copy of the statement approved at the January 15, 2003 Public Service Commission meeting for the expenses incurred to date in Case No. PU-2630-02-587.

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
Qwest Corporation
PO Box 5508
Bismarck ND 58502-5508

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

Billing Statement

January 15, 2003

U.S. Link, Inc./Qwest Corporation
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Bill To:

U.S. Link, Inc.....	\$61.91
Qwest Corporation	\$61.90

Expenses Incurred to Date:

Advertising Costs	\$123.81
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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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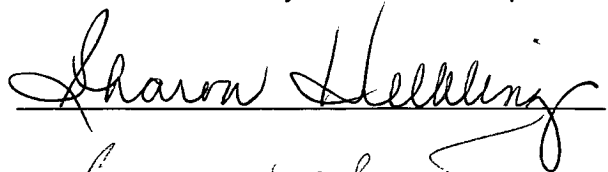

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Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **16th day of January, 2003**.



Notary Public

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DATE: 1-15-03
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I move the Commission adopt the Order approving the captioned
interconnection agreements.

JRL/sdh

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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.

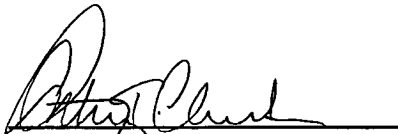
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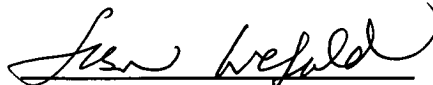
The Commission orders:

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.

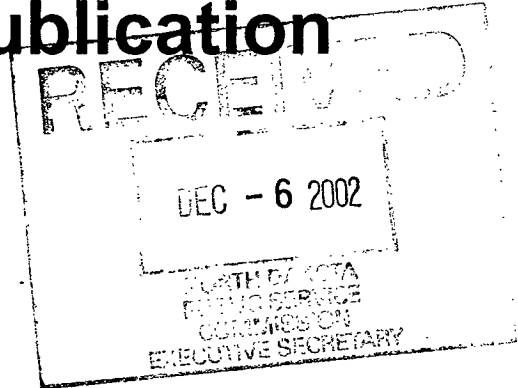
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Affidavit of Publication



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County of Burleigh)

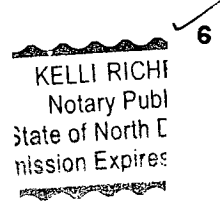
Laune Thiel, being duly sworn, state as follows:

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 Richi]



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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)							
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Wahpeton Daily News (Wahpeton ND)							
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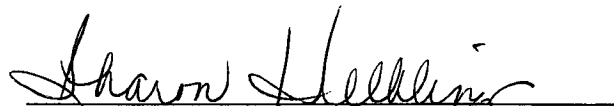
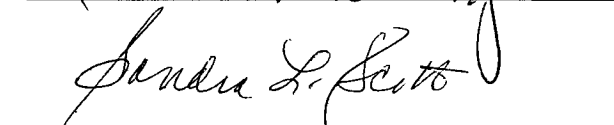
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SANDRA L. SCOTT
Notary Public, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
My Commission Expires JUNE 11, 2004

SEAL



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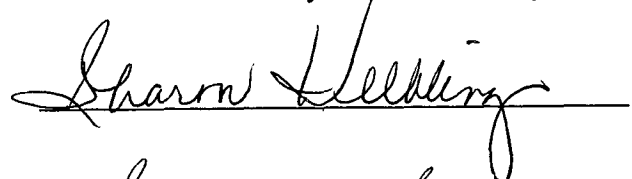
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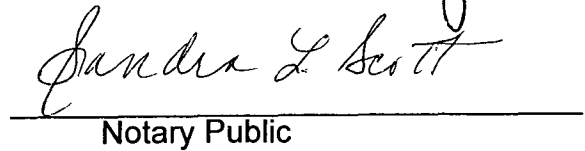
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Handwritten signature of Sandra L. Scott in cursive script, written over a horizontal line.

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

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS

November 20, 2002

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. 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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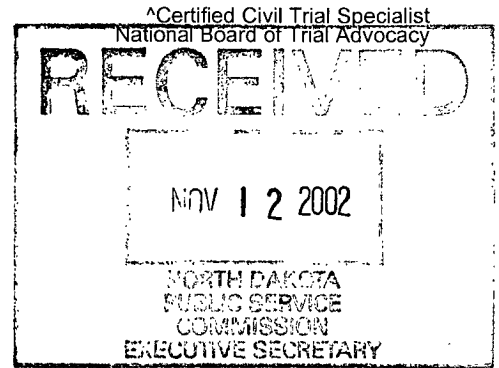
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Re: Amendment to Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation and U.S. Link, Inc.

Dear Mr. Mielke:

Enclosed for filing are the original and seven copies of an Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between U.S. Link, Inc. and Qwest Corporation. This document amends an Interconnection Agreement that was approved by the Commission on January 14, 1998 in Case No. PU-1755-00-580. The Amendment adds terms, conditions and rates for UNE-P Public Access Lines (PAL). Contact information for U.S. Link should be sent to U.S. Link, Inc., Attention: John Sango, President, 30925 Second Street, Pequot Lakes, MN 56472. The telephone number for U.S. Link is 218-568-2277.

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

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

Sincerely,

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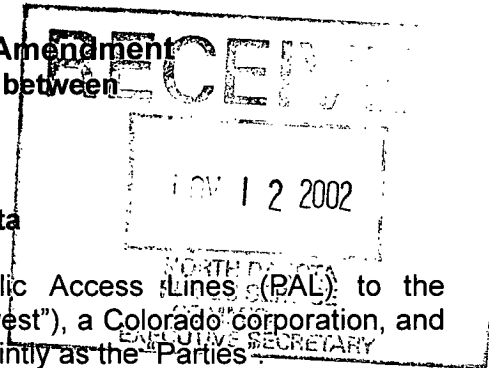
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**UNE-P Public Access Lines (PAL) Amendment
to the Interconnection Agreement between
Qwest Corporation and
U. S. Link, Inc.**

for the State of North Dakota



This is an Amendment ("Amendment") for UNE-P Public Access Lines (PAL) to the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation ("Qwest"), a Colorado corporation, and U. S. Link, Inc. ("CLEC"). CLEC and Qwest shall be known jointly as the "Parties".

RECITALS

WHEREAS, CLEC and Qwest entered into an Interconnection Agreement ("Agreement") for service in the state of North Dakota which was approved by the North Dakota Public Service Commission ("Commission") on January 14, 1998; as referenced in Case No. PU-1755-00-580; and

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

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:

Amendment Terms

This Amendment is made in order to add, to the Agreement, the following UNE-P Public Access Lines (PAL) language. UNE-P PAL nonrecurring rates are found in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein. UNE-P PAL recurring rates are found in specified sections of the rate schedules and/or Exhibit A of the applicable Amendment. Both Unbundled Network Elements (UNEs) and Unbundled Network Element Combinations sections must be included within CLEC's existing Agreement/Amendment to incorporate this product under this Amendment.

UNE-P PAL: Public Access Lines are available to CLEC as a UNE Combination. UNE-P PAL is comprised of the following UNEs: Analog 2-wire voice grade loop, Analog Line Side Port and Shared Transport. All Vertical Switch Features that are technically feasible for PAL are available with UNE-P PAL. For complete descriptions, refer to the appropriate Unbundled Network Elements Sections of the Agreement/Amendment.

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.

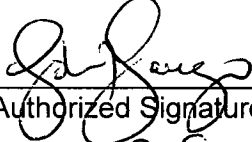
Amendment Waivers

The provisions of this Amendment, including the provisions of this sentence, may not be 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.

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, or representations by or between the Parties, written or oral, to the extent they relate in any way to the subjects of this Amendment.

U.S. Link, Inc.



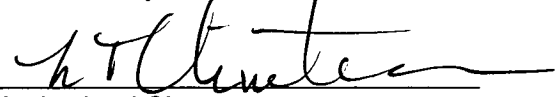
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John P. Saugo

Name Printed/Typed
President

Title
10/1/02

Date

Qwest Corporation



Authorized Signature
L. T. Christensen

Name Printed/Typed
Director - Business Policy

Title
10/4/02

Date

EXHIBIT A

North Dakota		Recurring	Nonrecurring	Notes
UNE Combinations				
UNE-P Conversion Nonrecurring Charges				
	UNE-P PAL Manual			
	First		\$16.96	1
	Each Additional		\$2.83	1
UNE-P New Connection Nonrecurring Charges				
	UNE-P PAL Manual			
	First		\$85.88	1
	Each Additional		\$19.29	1

[1] Rates not addressed in AT&T Arbitration. (TELRIC)

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SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION

- Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.
- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
- Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits.

1. Article Addressed to:

John Sango
 M & L Inc
 30925 2nd St
 Request Sales Mn 56472

2. Article Number
(Transfer from service label)

7001 2510 0001 2975 2372

PS Form 3811, August 2001

Domestic Return Receipt

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COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

A. Signature

X Josie Mick

- Agent
 Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name)

Josie Mick

C. Date of Delivery

11-21-03

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? Yes
If YES, enter delivery address below: No

3. Service Type

- Certified Mail Express Mail
 Registered Return Receipt for Merchandise
 Insured Mail C.O.D.

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) Yes

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7001 1940 0005 3425 2061

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Domestic Return Receipt

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COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

A. Signature

X Josie Mick

- Agent
 Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name)

Josie Mick

C. Date of Delivery

11-25-03

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? Yes
If YES, enter delivery address below: No

3. Service Type

- Certified Mail Express Mail
 Registered Return Receipt for Merchandise
 Insured Mail C.O.D.

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) Yes