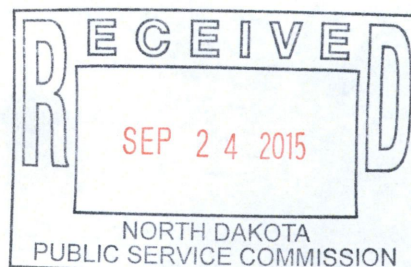


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September 24, 2015



Mr. Darrell Nitschke
Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue, 12th Floor
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC ("CenturyLink") files this errata filing to meet its North Dakota Annual Eligible Telecommunications Carrier filing requirement pursuant to Case No. PU-05-575. CenturyLink receives funding traditionally called Interstate Access Support and the Company has also accepted an offer of CAF Phase 2 support in North Dakota. Therefore, the attached affidavit shows the Company certifies that it only used support received in North Dakota during the preceding calendar year and will only use support received in North Dakota in the coming calendar year for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which support is intended.

The Company respectfully requests that the Commission notify the FCC and USAC prior to October 1 of this year that Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC is eligible to receive federal high-cost support for 2016.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kent Blickensderfer".

Kent Blickensderfer
State Legislative Affairs Director

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Enclosures

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Affidavit regarding certification of use of Federal
Universal Service Support

Qwest Corporation

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 24th day of September, 2015, the original and seven copies of the foregoing letter and Affidavit were served upon the following party:

Mr. Darrell Nitschke
Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard Avenue, 12th Floor
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

and copies sent electronically, addressed to the following:

Kent P. Blickensderfer
State Legislative Affairs Director
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Dianne Barthel

AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST AND CONNECT AMERICA FUND SUPPORT

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF OUACHITA

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Executive Vice President of Operations Support and Controller of CenturyLink Inc. ("Carrier")

2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High-Cost and Connect America Fund ("CAF") Support.

3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of §214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the North Dakota Public Service Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to §254(e) of the Act.

4. Carrier files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC's") Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, and WC Docket No. 10-90 released in FCC 11-191, November 18, 2011, which requires that each state certify to the FCC that all Federal High-Cost and CAF Support was used during the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended as required by Section §254(e) of the Telecommunications Act.

5. Carrier hereby attests that it has used Federal High-Cost and CAF Support Funds during the preceding calendar year and will use said funds in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to §254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, regardless of the rule under which that support is provided. CenturyLink is certifying its compliance with 47 C.F.R. 54.313(c) at a holding company level, as allowed per the provisions of DA 13-2101 released October 30, 2013.

Further affiant sayeth not



David D. Cole

Executive Vice President of Operations Support and Controller
CenturyLink, Inc.

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF OUACHITA

Acknowledged before me this 23rd day of September, 2015, by David D. Cole as Executive Vice President of Operations Support and Controller for CenturyLink, Inc. who is personally known to me or produced identification and who did take an oath.



NOTARY PUBLIC

Amy G. Allred #58514
Printed Name of Notary

My commission expires:

upon death