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Mr. Darrell Nitschke, Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E. Boulevard Avenue – Department 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Attached is an original and one copy of a filing in the Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC North Dakota Exchange and Network Services Price Schedule No. 1.

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This filing revises terms and conditions governing employee telephone service for standardization and consistency. The benefits employees currently receive are not changing. Employees will be notified in advance prior to any future changes. The proposed effective date for this filing is March 26, 2018.

If you have any questions, please contact me at marla.hazlett@centurylink.com.

Respectfully submitted,

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This Price Schedule contains the regulations and rates applicable to intrastate exchange and network services and equipment furnished by Qwest Corporation, d/b/a CenturyLink QC hereinafter referred to as the Company, between and among points within the State of North Dakota. The regulated services offered herein by Qwest Corporation, d/b/a CenturyLink QC, whether under that name, or the trade or brand name CenturyLink, are subject to the terms and conditions of this Price Schedule.

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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS - CONDITIONS OF OFFERING

2.2 ESTABLISHING AND FURNISHING SERVICE

2.2.10 TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF SERVICE - CUSTOMER INITIATED

A. General (Cont'd)

4. No long distance, central office or intercommunicating service is provided by facilities which are completely suspended, but to the extent that equipment arrangements and other conditions permit, calls to completely suspended services are intercepted and, if the customer so requests, calling parties are advised of a location or telephone number designated by the customer at which they may be reached or calls received during the period in which service is suspended. However, the Company assumes no liability by reason of failure to complete any call so referred to another location or telephone number.
5. No service is rendered in connection with the suspended portion of partially suspended facilities.
6. The minimum charge for a period of full service of less than one month between two periods of suspension is the full service rate for one month.

B. Rates and Charges

The rates below are in addition to service charges specified in Section 3 of this Price Schedule.

1. The reduction in charges for service temporarily suspended is equal to 50 percent of the regular exchange service charge for each item of service and facilities so suspended.

If the computed rate includes a fractional part of a cent, the rate to be charged is obtained by raising or lowering the computed rate to the nearest cent. If the fractional part is one-half of a cent, the next higher cent is to be applied.

2. The rate of reduction of any basic termination charge during a period of suspension of related items at fifty percent of the full service rate for such items is reduced by 50 percent of that portion of the charge related to suspended items.

2.2.13 EMPLOYEE CONCESSIONS

The same rules and regulations are applicable to employees and retirees of the Company as are applicable to the general public. Certain telephone services will be furnished to Company employees and Company retirees at reduced rates as authorized by Company practices and procedures.

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