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February 5, 2003

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Jean Jewell, Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
472 West Washington Street
Boise, Idaho 83720-0074

Re: Case No. QWE-T-03-05
APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

Dear Ms. Jewell:

Enclosed for filing with this Commission on behalf of Qwest Corporation and Joseph B. McNeal dba Page Data is an original of the **Application for Approval of Interconnection Agreement**. The parties respectfully request that this matter be placed on the Commission Decision Meeting Agenda for expedited approval.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning the enclosed. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Mary S. Hobson

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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

JOINT APPLICATION OF QWEST CORPORATION AND PAGE DATA FOR APPROVAL OF THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO PURSUANT TO 47 U.S.C. §252(E)	**CASE NO.:** QWE-T-03-05 **APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT**

Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") and Joseph B. McNeal dba Page Data ("Page Data") hereby jointly file this Application for Approval of Interconnection Agreement ("Agreement"). A copy of this Agreement is submitted herewith.

This Agreement was reached through voluntary negotiations without resort to mediation or arbitration and is submitted for approval pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "Act").

Section 252(e)(2) of the Act directs that a state Commission may reject an agreement reached through voluntary negotiations only if the Commission finds that: the agreement (or portion(s) thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to this agreement; or the implementation of such an agreement (or portion) is not consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

Page Data and Qwest respectfully submit that this Agreement provides no basis for either of these findings, and, therefore jointly request that the Commission approve this Agreement

expeditiously. This Agreement is consistent with the public interest as identified in the pro-competitive policies of the State of Idaho, the Commission, the United States Congress, and the Federal Communications Commission. Expeditious approval of this Agreement will enable Page Data to interconnect with Qwest facilities and to provide customers with increased choices among local telecommunications services.

Page Data and Qwest further request that the Commission approve this Agreement without a hearing. Because this Agreement was reached through voluntary negotiations, it does not raise issues requiring a hearing and does not concern other parties not a party to the negotiations. Expeditious approval would further the public interest.

Respectfully submitted this 6th day of February, 2003.

Qwest Corporation

Mary S. Hobson
Stoel Rives LLP, Attorneys for Qwest

and

Joseph B. McNeal
Page Data

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 6th day of February, 2003, I served the foregoing **APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT** upon all parties of record in this matter as follows:

Jean Jewell, Secretary Idaho Public Utilities Commission 472 West Washington Street Boise, Idaho 83720-0074 jjewell@puc.state.id.us	X ___ ___ ___ X	Hand Delivery U. S. Mail Overnight Delivery Facsimile Email
Joseph B. McNeal Page Data P.O. Box 15509 Boise, ID 83715 Telephone: (208) 375-9844 Sharon@pagedata.com	___ X ___ ___ ___	Hand Delivery U. S. Mail Overnight Delivery Facsimile Email
John Love Qwest Communications International Inc. 7800 East Orchard Road – Suite 250 Englewood, CO 80111 Telephone: (303) 793-6617	___ X ___ ___ ___	Hand Delivery U. S. Mail Overnight Delivery Facsimile Email
Heidi Higer Qwest Corporation Director Interconnection Compliance 1801 California – Room 2410 Denver, CO 80202 Telephone: (303) 965-3029 Facsimile: (303) 965-4667 Email: hhiger@qwest.com	___ X ___ ___ ___	Hand Delivery U. S. Mail Overnight Delivery Facsimile Email
General Counsel – Interconnection Qwest Law Department 1801 California Street – 38th Floor Denver, CO 80202	___ X ___ ___ ___	Hand Delivery U. S. Mail Overnight Delivery Facsimile Email

Brandi L. Gearhart

Brandi L. Gearhart, PLS
Legal Secretary to Mary S. Hobson
Stoel Rives LLP

November 1, 2002

Qwest

Page Data
P.O. Box 15509
Boise, ID 83715

Dear Mr. McNeal:

We have received your request that, under Section 252(i) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Joseph B. McNeal d.b.a. Page Data ("CMRS") wishes to "Pick and Choose" in its entirety, the terms of the Wireless Interconnection Agreement and any associated amendments, if applicable, ("Agreement") between Verizon fka U S WEST New Vector Boise City MSA, Idaho RSA No. 2, Idaho RSA No. 3 and Qwest Corporation fka U S WEST Communications, Inc. ("Qwest") that was approved by the Commission on August 11, 1997 as an effective agreement in the State of Idaho. Joseph B. McNeal d.b.a. Page Data is incorporated in the state of Idaho. We understand you have a copy of the Paging agreement.

With respect to the aforementioned Agreement, Qwest and CMRS (" the Parties") understand and agree:

1. The Parties shall request the Commission to expedite its review and approval of this Agreement. This Agreement shall become effective upon such approval.

2. Notwithstanding the mutual commitments set forth herein, the Qwest is entering into this Agreement without prejudice to any positions it has taken previously, or may take in the future, in any legislative, regulatory, or other public forum addressing any matters, including those relating to the types of arrangements contained in this Agreement. During the proceeding in which the Commission is to review and approve the Agreement, Qwest may point out that it has objected, and continues to object, to the inclusion of the terms and conditions to which it objected in the proceedings involving the approval of the Underlying Agreement.

3. CMRS adopts the terms and conditions of the Verizon fka U S WEST NewVector Boise City MSA, Idaho RSA No. 2, Idaho RSA No. 3 Agreement for interconnection with Qwest and in applying the terms and conditions, agrees that Joseph B. McNeal d.b.a. Page Data be substituted in place of "Verizon fka U S WEST NewVector Boise City MSA, Idaho RSA No. 2, Idaho RSA No. 3" throughout the Agreement wherever the latter appears.

4. Qwest requests that notice to Qwest Corporation as may be required under the Agreement shall be provided as follows:

To: Qwest Corporation
Director Interconnection Compliance
1801 California Street, Room 2410
Denver, CO 80202

With copy to:
Qwest Corporation Law Department
Attention: General Counsel, Interconnection
1801 California Street, 38th Floor
Denver, CO 80202

CMRS requests that notice to CMRS as may be required under the Agreement shall be provided as follows:

To: Joseph B. McNeal
Page Data
P.O. Box 15509
Boise, ID 83715

CMRS represents and warrants that it is a certified provider of local dialtone service in the State of Idaho, and that this Agreement will cover services in that state only.

Please sign all three original copies of this letter, and overnight them to Heidi Higer, 1801 California St, Suite 2410 – Denver, CO 80202 (Phone: 303-965-3029) by February 1, 2003. After February 1, 2003 Qwest may rescind its willingness to consider the Agreement's terms and conditions, and will consider that you have withdrawn from good faith negotiations.

Please note that Qwest will file this letter with the appropriate state commission for approval; however, some state commissions will not approve the letter until the CMRS is certified by the state commission. You may want to contact the appropriate state commission to determine the requisite filing guidelines.

Sincerely,

Date 1/2/03

Qwest Corporation
L.T. Christensen
Director – Business Policy
1801 California Street, Suite 24th Floor
Denver, Colorado 80202

I agree to all terms and conditions contained in this letter as indicated by my signature below:

Joseph B. McNeal d.b.a. Page Data
CMRS Name

Signature

Joseph B McNeal
Name

Owner
Title

12/22/2002
Date

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