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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF QWEST CORPORATION'S PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF NON-IMPAIRED WIRE CENTER LISTS PURSUANT TO THE TRIENNIAL REVIEW REMAND ORDER	Case No. QWE-T-08-07
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AFFIDAVIT OF RACHEL TORRENCE

STATE OF COLORADO)
) ss.
COUNTY OF ARAPAHOE)

I, RACHEL TORRENCE, being first duly sworn, depose and state that:

1. My name is Rachel Torrence. I am employed by Qwest Corporation as a Director in the Network Policy Group of the Local Network Organization. My business address is 700 W. Mineral Avenue, Littleton Colorado, 80120.

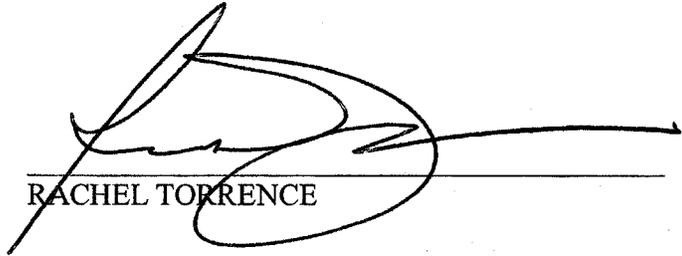
2. Consistent with the processes and procedures contained in the “Multi-State Settlement Agreement Regarding Wire Center Designations and Related Issues”¹ which was included as Attachment A to Qwest’s Petition for Commission Approval of Non-Impaired Wire Center Lists Pursuant to the Triennial Review Remand Order filed with the Commission on Friday, June 20, 2008 (here after referred to as the “Settlement Agreement”). Qwest also filed a list of additional Non-Impaired Wire Centers on June 20, 2008 with the various state regulatory commissions including the Idaho Public Utilities Commission. Qwest also filed the list of additional Non-Impaired Wire Centers with the Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”).
3. In support of the filing, I conducted an inventory of Fiber-Based Collocators in Qwest Wire Centers to ascertain the number of fiber-based collocators in each wire center and the appropriate “Tier” designation (See Highly Confidential Attachment A to this affidavit as referenced in paragraph 5). The Tier was subsequently used to establish Non-Impairment.
4. As part of that inventory, and consistent with the processes and procedures contained in the Settlement Agreement, I conducted a physical field verification of the inventoried fiber-based collocators, and cross-referenced the physical inventory data with the corresponding order and construction records and billing data. The results of that physical field verification (The Collocation Verification Worksheets) are contained in Highly Confidential Attachment B to this affidavit.
5. As necessary to validate the inventory data, I researched actual order records and engineering design and construction records to validate the physical configurations and the presence of an active power supply. I also researched and validated the RFS (“Ready for Service”) dates which are noted on Highly Confidential Attachment A; “Collocations by Wire Center.”

¹ The “Multi-State Settlement Agreement Regarding Wire Center Designations and Related Issues” was filed in multiple states and has been adopted in Arizona, Oregon, Minnesota, Utah and Washington.

6. I also researched the billing records for the collocation space and the active power supply to the collocation to ensure that it was an active Fiber-Based Collocation.
7. Qwest sent the identified fiber-based collocators a letter requesting further validation of their status as a fiber-based collocator and any updated information with respect to changes in ownership, mergers and/or acquisitions (See Highly Confidential Attachment C for a copy of the letter(s), and Highly Confidential Attachment D for a summary of the responses received and copies of the correspondence between Qwest and responding CLECs).
8. Qwest undertook a thorough analysis to ensure that the number of Fiber-Based Collocators in Qwest Wire Centers was accurately counted. Its process for identifying qualifying collocators produced an accurate and verified count. This accurate and verified data on the number of Fiber-Based Collocators was one of two factors in determining which Idaho wire centers were Non-Impaired. The other factor was the number of Business Lines in each Wire Center based on the most recently filed ARMIS 43-08 data. The resulting list of Non-Impaired Idaho Wire Centers, is based on the above-described accurate and verified.

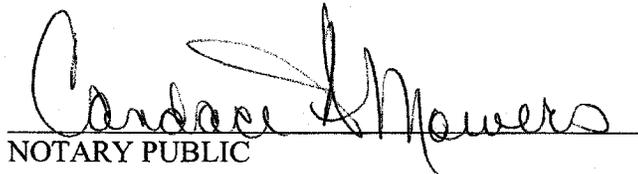
Further this affiant sayeth not.

DATE: June 20, 2008



RACHEL TORRENCE

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me the 20th day of June, 2008.



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My Commission Expires:

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**HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL
ATTACHMENTS A-D
and
ATTACHMENTS A-D (REDACTED)
filed under seal and subject
to protective agreement**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing **AFFIDAVIT OF RACHEL TORRENCE** was served on the 27th day of June, 2008 on the following individuals:

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