

## DECISION MEMORANDUM

**TO:** COMMISSIONER KJELLANDER  
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**FROM:** GRACE SEAMAN

**DATE:** APRIL 15, 2016

**RE:** QWEST CORPORATION DBA CENTURYLINK QC'S APPLICATION  
FOR APPROVAL OF TYPE 2 WIRELESS INTERCONNECTION  
AGREEMENT WITH COMMIO, LLC; CASE NO. QWE-T-16-04.

### BACKGROUND

Under the provisions of the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, interconnection agreements must be submitted to the Commission for approval. 47 U.S.C. § 252(e)(1). The Commission may reject an agreement adopted by negotiations only if it finds that the agreement: (1) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement; or (2) implementation of the agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity. 47 U.S.C. § 252(e)(2)(A).

### THE APPLICATION

On April 12, 2016, Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC ("CenturyLink") submitted an Application seeking Commission approval for a Type 2 wireless interconnection agreement with Commio, LLC. This agreement establishes terms and conditions for interconnection, exchange of traffic, ancillary services, and rates.

### STAFF ANALYSIS

Staff has reviewed the Application and believes the agreement is consistent with the FCC orders and pro-competitive policies of this Commission, the Idaho Legislature, and the federal

Telecommunications Act. Staff recommends Commission approval of the interconnection agreement.

**COMMISSION DECISION**

Does the Commission wish to approve this Application?

  
Grace Seaman

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