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Ms. Julie Orchard  
Utah Public Service Commission  
Heber M. Wells Bldg., 4th Floor  
160 East 300 South  
Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Re: Docket No. 06-2249-01

Dear Ms. Orchard:

Pursuant to discussions with Qwest and Judge Goodwill in the wake of the Order Granting Motion to Admit Late-Filed Exhibits in the above-referenced docket, enclosed for filing in that docket are the original and 15 copies of McLeodUSA's responsive late-filed Hearing Exhibits Nos. 28 (Arizona Rebuttal Testimony of Michael Starkey) and 29 (excerpts from parallel Arizona evidentiary hearing transcripts). I have identified these exhibits to counsel for Qwest and understand that Qwest has no objection to their admission but reserves the right to identify and provide any additional pages from the Arizona transcript to ensure a complete record.

Please call me with any questions regarding this filing. Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

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Gregory J. Kopta

Enclosures  
cc: Service List