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State of Utah Department of Commerce Division of Public Utilities

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MEMORANDUM

- **To:** Public Service Commission
- From: Division of Public Utilities Chris Parker, Director Bill Duncan, Telecommunications / Water Manager Ron Slusher, Utility Technical Consultant

Date: April 22, 2014

Re: In the Matter of the Amended Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC and T-Mobile USA, Inc. f/k/a VoiceStream Wireless Corporation, per Docket No. 14-049-15.

RECOMMENDATION (Acknowledge):

The Division recommends that the Commission acknowledge the receipt of this Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation, d/b/a CenturyLink QC and T-Mobile USA, Inc. f/k/a VoiceStream Wireless Corporation.

EXPLANATION:

On or about April 21, 2014, Qwest Corporation, d/b/a CenturyLink QC ("CenturyLink") filed the Interconnection Agreement per the above-referenced docket in accordance with § 54-8b-2.2(1)(d) of the *Utah Code*. This Agreement had been fully executed through voluntary negotiations on April 08, 2014 with T-Mobile USA, Inc. f/k/a VoiceStream Wireless Corporation ("T-Mobile USA").

The Division has reviewed the above-mentioned Agreement between CenturyLink and T-Mobile USA and sees no reason to reject it. Specifically, the Division believes that the Agreement was negotiated in good faith and without unfair discrimination. Both parties also recognize that, to the extent that the existing rules are changed, vacated, dismissed, stayed or modified, this Agreement and all contracts adopting all or part of this Agreement will be amended to reflect such modification or change of the existing rules. Therefore, the Division recommends that the Commission acknowledge the receipt of this Interconnection Agreement.

cc: L.T. Christensen, Director – Wholesale Contracts, Qwest Corporation, d/b/a CenturyLink QC



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