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Memorandum

To: Public Service Commission of Utah

From: Utah Division of Public Utilities

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Date: March 30, 2020

Re: **Docket No. 20-049-04**, In the Matter of the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC and Bullseye Telecom, Inc.

Recommendation (Acknowledge)

The Division of Public Utilities (“Division”) recommends that the Public Service Commission (“Commission”) acknowledge the receipt of this Interconnection Agreement.

Explanation

On or about March 27, 2020, 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 March 19, 2020 with Bullseye Telecom, Inc. (“Bullseye”).

The Division has reviewed the above-mentioned Agreement between CenturyLink and Bullseye 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.

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