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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH	
Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC Petition for Statewide Exemption from the R746-350-1(b) Carrier of Last Resort Obligation	Docket No. 22-049-62 Unopposed Motion to Vacate the Scheduling Order and Request for Expedited Consideration

Pursuant to R746-1-301 of the Public Service Commission of Utah’s (“Commission”) rules, the Office of Consumer Services (“Office”) files this unopposed “Motion to Vacate the Scheduling Order and Request for Expedited Consideration” (“Motion”). The Office is authorized to represent that Qwest Corporation d/b/a/CenturyLink QC (“CenturyLink”), the Division of Public Utilities (“Division”), and the Utah Rural Telephone Association (“URTA”) support this Motion. Only CenturyLink, the Division, the Office, and URTA (“Parties”) have filed pleadings in this docket. No one has filed a motion to intervene..

The Scheduling Order, Notice of Hearing, and Notice of Public Witness Hearing (“Scheduling Order”), establishes February 17, 2023, as the filing date for CenturyLink’s direct testimony. Recently, the Parties have engaged in discussions concerning alternative scheduling and other matters at issue in this docket, resulting

in the filing of this Motion. If this Motion is granted, the Parties anticipate requesting that the Commission set another scheduling conference in the near future.

Pursuant to the Scheduling Order, there is only a short time before CenturyLink's direct testimony is due. Because of this and because only the Parties have filed pleadings in this docket, the Office pursuant to R746-1-109 also requests that the Commission grant expedited consideration of this Motion.

For the reasons stated above, the Office requests that the Commission approve this Motion.

Respectfully submitted this 15 day of February 2023.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Docket No. 22-049-62

I CERTIFY that on February 15, 2023, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Unopposed Motion to Vacate the Scheduling Order and Request for Expedited Consideration by the Office of Consumer Services** was served upon the following:

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