

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

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Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC's  
Petition for Statewide Exemption from the  
R746-350-1(b) Carrier of Last Resort  
Obligation

DOCKET NO. 22-049-62  
ORDER GRANTING UNOPPOSED  
MOTION TO VACATE SCHEDULING  
ORDER AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED  
CONSIDERATION

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ISSUED: February 16, 2023

On February 15, 2023, the Office of Consumer Services (OCS) filed with the Public Service Commission (PSC) an Unopposed Motion to Vacate the Scheduling Order and Request for Expedited Consideration ("Motion"). The Motion requests the PSC vacate the scheduling order issued January 20, 2023 ("Scheduling Order").

OCS represents it is authorized to represent that Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink"), the Division of Public Utilities (DPU), and the Utah Rural Telephone Association ("URTA") support the Motion. The Motion appears to be, among other things, concerned with the current direct testimony filing deadline for CenturyLink, which is February 17, 2023, and states "the Parties<sup>[1]</sup> have engaged in discussions concerning alternative scheduling and other matters at issue in this docket, resulting in the filing of this Motion." The Motion further states "the Parties anticipate requesting that the [PSC] set another scheduling conference in the near future." Because of the fast-approaching deadline of February 17, 2023, the Motion also seeks expedited consideration. OCS notes that no person has filed a motion to intervene in this docket.

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<sup>1</sup> The Motion defines the parties as OCS, CenturyLink, DPU, and URTA. However, URTA has not filed a motion to intervene in this matter.

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Good cause appearing, and based on OCS's representation that no party objects, the Motion is granted. The Scheduling Order is vacated along with all deadlines and proceedings established therein.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, February 16, 2023.

/s/ John Delaney  
Presiding Officer

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg  
PSC Secretary  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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