

May 29, 2012

Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director  
Public Utilities Commission  
Capitol Building, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
500 East Capitol Avenue  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-5070

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC has attached for filing with the Commission the following page(s) from the Access Service Tariff.

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As described in the attached narrative (“Description of Methodology”), this filing is the first step in implementing the “Transitional Intrastate Access Service” reductions mandated by the Federal Communications Commission’s November 18, 2011 Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, etc. (FCC 11-161). The calculations supporting this rate change are being filed as confidential.

Qwest respectfully requests that the proposed changes outlined above become effective July 3, 2012.

Sincerely,



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