

March 1, 2018

Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director  
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
500 East Capitol Avenue  
Pierre, SD 57501

Re: Adoption of the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation dba  
CenturyLink QC and Native Wireless, LLC for the State of South Dakota

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing for approval by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 252 is the Adoption of the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC and Native Wireless, LLC for the State of South Dakota.

Contact information for Native Wireless, LLC is as follows:

Scott Southron, Director  
Native Wireless, LLC  
4300 Pacific Coast Highway  
Long Beach, CA 90804  
(844) 844-0078  
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Thank you for your help with this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Very truly yours,



Jason D. Topp

JDT/bardm

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Scott Southron (via email)

200 South 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 2200  
Minneapolis, MN 55402

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**Adoption of the  
Interconnection Agreement**

**By**

**Native Wireless, LLC**

**Adopting the  
Interconnection Agreement**

**Between**

**Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC  
and  
Onvoy Spectrum, LLC**

**For the State of South Dakota**

## **Adoption of the Interconnection Agreement**

This Adoption of the Interconnection Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by and between Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC ("CenturyLink"), and Native Wireless, LLC ("WSP"), each of which may be referred to herein as "Party", or collectively as "the Parties", to establish the terms, conditions and rates for local interconnection and the exchange of Local traffic for the State of South Dakota.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Parties agree as follows:

### **1. ADOPTED AGREEMENT**

- 1.1 This Agreement between the Parties shall consist of the Interconnection Agreement entered into by and between Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC and Onvoy Spectrum, LLC, that was approved by the Commission in Docket number TC16-061 on November 28, 2016 ("Adopted Agreement").
- 1.2 This Agreement is made a part of and incorporates the terms and conditions of the Adopted Agreement, including all amendments to that Adopted Agreement (the "Terms").
- 1.3 Except as set forth herein, the Adopted Agreement remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

### **2. PARTY**

For the purposes of this Agreement, WSP is hereby substituted in the Adopted Agreement for Onvoy Spectrum, LLC.

### **3. PROVISIONS**

- 3.1 The Terms of the Onvoy Spectrum, LLC Agreement are being adopted in its entirety by WSP pursuant to WSP's statutory rights under Section 252(i). The filing and performance by CenturyLink of the Terms does not in any way constitute a waiver by CenturyLink of any position as to the Terms or a portion thereof, nor does it constitute a waiver by CenturyLink of any or all rights and remedies it may have to seek review of the Terms, or to seek review in any way of any provisions included in these Terms as a result of WSP's 252(i) election.
- 3.2 Should WSP attempt to apply the adopted Terms in a manner that conflicts with the provisions set forth herein, CenturyLink reserves its rights to seek appropriate legal and/or equitable relief.
- 3.3 WSP understands that it is providing a representation and warrants that it is complying with all provisions of the Adopted Agreement as of the effective date of the adoption.

### **4. EFFECTIVE DATE AND TERM**

- 4.1 This Agreement shall become effective on the date of Commission Approval ("Effective Date"); however the Parties may agree to implement the provisions of this Agreement upon execution by both Parties in which event neither Party will bring a dispute to require that an obligation incurred after execution must be fulfilled under the terms of the prior Agreement as long as this Agreement ultimately receives Commission Approval and so long as such obligations are fulfilled under the terms of this Agreement. However, the initiation of a new account, any new provision of service or obligation or any revision to currently existing services or obligations may take up to 60 days to accommodate any required initial processes.
- 4.2 In the event that the Parties currently have an existing Interconnection Agreement, this Agreement shall replace the existing Interconnection Agreement in its entirety beginning on the Effective Date. However, nothing relieves the Parties from fulfilling all obligations

incurred under that prior Interconnection Agreement, unless such obligation was incurred following execution of this Agreement and the Parties agreed to implement this Agreement and such obligations were fulfilled under this Agreement consistent with the foregoing paragraph.

4.3 The expiration date of this Adoption Agreement shall be the same as the expiration date of the agreement that is being adopted, which is November 27, 2019.

**5. NOTICES**

Except as otherwise provided, all notices and communication hereunder will be deemed to have been duly given when made in writing and delivered in person or deposited in the U.S. mail, certified, postage paid, return receipt requested, and addressed as follows:

**To CenturyLink:**  
CenturyLink  
Director Wholesale Contracts  
930 15th Street, 7th Floor  
Denver, CO 80202  
Phone: 303-992-5906  
Email: [intagree@centurylink.com](mailto:intagree@centurylink.com)

**With Copy to:**  
CenturyLink Legal Department  
Wholesale Interconnection  
931 14<sup>th</sup> Street, 9th Floor  
Denver, CO 80202  
Phone: 303-992-5599  
Email: [legal.interconnection@centurylink.com](mailto:legal.interconnection@centurylink.com)

**To WSP:**  
Native Wireless, LLC  
Attention Scott Southron, Director  
4300 Pacific Coast Highway  
Long Beach, CA 90804  
Phone: 844-844-0078  
Email: [scott@carrierx.com](mailto:scott@carrierx.com)

**6. REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS**


6.1 WSP represents and warrants that it is authorized to provide telecommunications services in the State of South Dakota.


6.2 The Parties will cooperate to file this Agreement with the Commission for approval and complete all attendant requirements of the Commission for such approval.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, WSP and CenturyLink have caused this Agreement to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives.

**Native Wireless, LLC**

**Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC**

  
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Signature  
  
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Scott Southron  
Printed Name  
  
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Director  
Title  
  
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12/6/2017  
Date

12/7/2017  
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Signature  
  
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Diane Roth  
Printed Name  
  
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Director – Wholesale  
Title  
  
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