## Third Party Transit Provider Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC and Wide Voice, LLC for the State of South Dakota

This Amendment ("Amendment") is to the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC ("CenturyLink") and Wide Voice, LLC ("Third Party Transit Provider"), collectively referred to as, the "Parties."

## **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, the Parties entered into an Interconnection Agreement ("Agreement") for service in the State of South Dakota that was approved by the Commission, which, among other terms, required each Party to provide for the termination of Exchange Service (EAS/Local) and ISP-Bound traffic originated by the other Party on a "bill and keep" basis, without payment of terminating compensation by either Party; and

WHEREAS, Third Party Transit Provider wishes to offer transiting services to other telecommunications carriers and exchange that traffic with CenturyLink according to the terms of this Amendment, subject to limitations and requirements of the Local Exchange Routing Guide ("LERG") and other applicable requirements, including but not limited to the Agreement and this Amendment; and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement under the terms and conditions contained herein.

#### **AGREEMENT**

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual terms, covenants and conditions contained in this Amendment and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

## **Amendment Terms**

The purpose of this Amendment is to provide the specific terms under which Third Party Transit Provider exchanges traffic with CenturyLink. See Attachment 1, Exhibit A and Exhibit H attached and incorporated herein by this reference.

### **Effective Date**

This Amendment shall be deemed effective upon approval by the Commission; however, the Parties agree to implement the provisions of this Amendment upon execution.

### **Further Amendments**

Except as modified herein, the provisions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. Except as provided in the Agreement, this Amendment may not be further amended or altered, and no waiver of any provision thereof shall be effective, except by written instrument executed by an authorized representative of both Parties.

# **Entire Agreement**

The Agreement as amended (including the documents referred to herein) constitutes the full and entire understanding and agreement between the Parties with regard to the subjects of the Agreement as amended and supersedes any prior understandings, agreements, or representations by or between the Parties, written or oral, to the extent they relate in any way to the subjects of the Agreement as amended.

The Parties intending to be legally bound have executed this Amendment as of the dates set forth below, in multiple counterparts, each of which is deemed an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Wide Voice, LLC	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Andrew Nickerson Andrew Nickerson (May 6, 2021 13:41 PDT)	Kimbelry J. Povirk Kimbelry J. Povirk (May 6, 2021 16:16 CDT)
Signature	Signature
Andy Nickerson Name Printed/Typed	Kimberly J. Povirk  Name Printed/Typed
CEO	Sr. Dir. Bus. Ops Wholesale Sales
Title	Title
May 6, 2021	May 6, 2021
Date	Date