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Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *In the Matter of Petition of Qwest Communications International Inc. for Forbearance from Enforcement of the Commission's Dominant Carrier Rules As They Apply After Section 272 Sunset Pursuant To 47 U.S.C. § 160, WC Docket No. 05-333*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On January 19, 2007, Qwest representatives Melissa Newman and Timothy Boucher, via teleconferencing, met with Federal Communications Commission staff personnel, William Dever and William Kehoe, to discuss Qwest's January 19, 2007 *ex parte* (separately submitted today in redacted and non-redacted formats), wherein it is providing a further response to FCC Staff Information Request 4, from the January 5, 2007 letter from Thomas J. Navin of the FCC to Craig J. Brown of Qwest – specifically, additional syndicated data from the Harte Hanks research firm. Please include the instant *ex parte* as part of the record in this proceeding.

This submission is made pursuant to Sections 1.49(f) and 1.1206(b) of the rules of the Federal Communications Commission, 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.49(f), 1.1206(b).

Please contact me at 202.429.3120 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Melissa E. Newman

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