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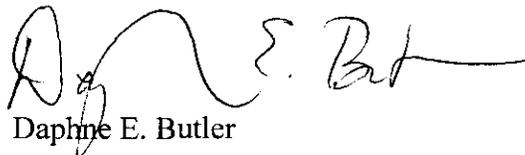
cc Docket No. 96-45

Re: Qwest Corporation Petition for Waiver

In connection with Lockbox number 358140, enclosed with this letter for filing with the Federal Communications Commission is Qwest Corporation's Petition for Waiver. Also included is a completed Remittance Advice FCC Form 159; this form includes a check to cover the petition processing fee (\$7,365.00) associated with this submission. See, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1105(4)(b). Finally, enclosed is an extra copy of the first page of the Petition, which has been marked "copy," which is expressly provided to be stamped as received and returned to the undersigned in the enclosed stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter, and please do not hesitate to call me at the above telephone number should there be any questions concerning this correspondence.

Sincerely,



Daphne E. Butler

Enclosures

Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of)
)
QWEST CORPORATION) *CC*
) ~~WE~~ Docket No. 96-45
)
Petition for Waiver of the Definition)
of "Study Area" Contained in Part 36,)
Appendix-Glossary of the Commission's Rules)

PETITION FOR WAIVER

Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") hereby requests waiver of the definition of "study area" contained in the Appendix-Glossary of Part 36 of the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") rules with respect to a transfer of certain certificated area from Qwest to RT Communications, Inc. ("RT") in Laramie County, Wyoming. The Wyoming Public Service Commission previously approved this transfer, which concerns the area described as Sections 2, 3, 10, 11, 14 and 15, Township 12 North, Range 64 West, of the 6th P.M. in Laramie County, Wyoming. This Qwest territory adjoins the RT study area.

Qwest files this petition for waiver without RT because Qwest has not been able to secure RT's cooperation in making this filing. After much discussion between Qwest and RT through the summer and fall of 2006 as to the necessity of a petition to the Commission for a study area waiver, Qwest sent RT a draft on November 2, 2006, asking for comments by November 30, 2006. RT did not provide revisions to that draft until March 30, 2007. In response, Qwest provided RT with comments by the end of the next business day. RT's counsel indicated that RT had given instructions in response to Qwest's comments, but as of this filing, RT had yet to provide any response to Qwest. Accordingly, Qwest makes this filing without RT.

The need to adjust the boundary of the study area arises because Qwest and RT received *a request from a developer regarding a subdivision he proposes to develop which will extend into the certificated service areas of both companies.* The developer has requested service within the subdivision from just one of the telephone companies. RT's facilities are closer to the proposed subdivision. Accordingly, RT agreed to provide telecommunications service to the subdivision, as RT can more expeditiously provide the service through use of existing facilities. There is currently one Qwest customer taking service in the area to be transferred. That customer has agreed to the change in service provider. The Wyoming Commission approved the transfer by Notice and Order Issued August 4, 2006 (Exhibit A).

COMPLIANCE WITH "ONE PERCENT" CONDITION

Usually the party acquiring the territory certifies that the study area waivers will not cause a shift in universal service fund (or "USF") cost recovery in an amount equal to or greater than one percent of total annual USF assistance. Qwest is not in a position to make such a certification on RT's behalf. However, Qwest notes that the most recent Universal Service Administrative Company projection for high cost support for 2007 is \$4,482,519,396.¹ It is unlikely that the USF impact of the transaction reaches one percent of the projected high cost support for 2007.

STUDY AREA WAIVER

The Commission froze study area boundaries as of November 15, 1984 to prevent telephone holding companies from setting up high cost exchanges within their existing service

¹ Universal Service Administrative Company, *Federal Universal Service Support Mechanisms Fund Size Projections for the Third Quarter 2007* (May 2, 2007), at Appendix HC02.

territories as separate companies in order to maximize high cost support.² The Commission expressly stated at the time that study areas were not frozen to “discourage the acquisition of high cost exchanges or the expansion of service to cover high cost areas.”³

In reviewing study area waiver petitions, the Commission employs the following three-prong standard: (1) the change in study area boundaries must not adversely affect the USF; (2) no state commission having regulatory authority over the transferred exchanges may oppose the transfer; and (3) the transfer must be in the public interest.⁴

Universal Service Fund. As stated above, Qwest is unable to certify as to the impact on the USF, as that information is within RT’s control. However, Qwest believes that there will be no material impact on the USF.

State Commission Approval. The Wyoming Commission has previously issued an order approving the transaction, and finding the transaction consistent with the public interest.⁵

Public Interest Benefits. Because the developer is requesting service from one company, it would be in the public interest to allow Qwest to transfer and assign the area described above to RT so that RT can provide service to the new subdivision. Moreover, as stated above, the

² *In the Matter of MTS/WATS Market Structure; Amendment of Part 67 of the Commission’s Rules and Establishment of a Joint Board*, CC Docket Nos. 78-72 and 80-286, Decision and Order, 57 Rad. Reg. 2d (P&F) 511 (1984).

³ *In the Matter of MTS and WATS Market Structure; and Amendment of Part 67 of the Commission’s Rules and Establishment of a Joint Board*, 49 Fed. Reg. 48325, 48337 ¶ 65 (Dec. 12, 1984).

⁴ See, e.g., *In the Matter of US West Communications, Inc. and South Central Utah Telephone Association, Inc.*, AAD 93-55, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 9 FCC Rcd 198 (1993); *In the Matter of US West Communications, Inc. and Triangle Telephone Cooperative Association, Inc. et al.*, AAD 93-83, et al., Memorandum Opinion and Order, 9 FCC Rcd 202 (1993).

⁵ *In the Matter of the Joint Application of RT Communications, Inc., and Qwest Corporation for Authority to Transfer and Assign Certain Certificated Area from Qwest Corporation to RT Communications, Inc.*, Docket Nos. 70015-53-TA-05 and 70000-1245-TA-06 (Record No. 10590), Notice and Order (Issued Aug. 4, 2006).

Wyoming Commission has already found the transaction to be consistent with the public interest.⁶

CONCLUSION

The proposed study area boundary waiver will not adversely affect the USF; is not opposed by the state commission; and will be in the public interest. Therefore, Qwest respectfully requests waiver of the frozen study area boundary.

Respectfully submitted,

QWEST CORPORATION

By:



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⁶ *Id.*

EXHIBIT A



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August 3, 2006

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James & Patti Hefflin
254 Remington Ranch Road
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Re: IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT APPLICATION OF RT COMMUNICATIONS, INC., AND QWEST CORPORATION, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER AND ASSIGN CERTAIN CERTIFICATED AREA FROM QWEST CORPORATION TO RT COMMUNICATIONS, INC. - DOCKET NO. 70015-53-TA-05 & DOCKET NO. 70000-1245-TA-06 (RECORD NO. 10590)

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Hefflin:

Attached please find a copy of the Commission's *Notice and Order*, in the above-entitled matter. This *Notice and Order* is being sent to you as you have been identified as an existing customer of Qwest Corporation residing within territory that is being transferred from Qwest Corporation to RT Communications, Inc.

Please note the intervention and complaint deadline of September 4, 2006, by which interested parties must file their written protest, statement, request for intervention and public hearing with this Commission, in the above docketed matter.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned at (307) 777-7478.

Very truly yours,

DAVID J. LUCERO
Assistant Secretary

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xc: Paul J. Hickey, Hickey & Evans, LLP
Bruce S. Asay, Associated Legal Group, LLC



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Dear Mr. Asay and Mr. Hickey:

Enclosed is a copy of the Commission's *Notice and Order*, Public Notice and Public Service Announcement (PSA), in the above-entitled matter.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned at (307) 777-7478.

Very truly yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WYOMING

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT)
APPLICATION OF RT COMMUNICATIONS,)
INC., AND QWEST CORPORATION FOR) DOCKET NO. 70015-53-TA-06
AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER AND ASSIGN) DOCKET NO. 70000-1245-TA-06
CERTAIN CERTIFICATED AREA FROM) (RECORD NO. 10590)
QWEST CORPORATION TO RT)
COMMUNICATIONS, INC.)
)

NOTICE AND ORDER
(Issued August 4, 2006)

This matter is before the Commission upon the joint application of RT Communications, Inc., hereinafter referred to as RT, and Qwest Corporation, hereinafter referred to as Qwest, collectively referred to as the Companies, for authority to transfer certain certificated area from Qwest to RT, as set forth more fully below.

The Commission, having reviewed the joint application, its files regarding Qwest and RT, applicable telecommunications law and otherwise being fully advised in the premises, FINDS and CONCLUDES:

1. Qwest and RT are telecommunications companies as defined by W.S. § 37-15-103(a)(xi) and, as such, subject to the Commission's jurisdiction pursuant to the provisions of W.S. § 37-15-401.

2. Qwest is currently certificated to provide telecommunications service in Sections 2, 3, 10, 11, 14 and 15, Township 12 North, Range 64 West, of the 6th P.M., all in Laramie County, Wyoming. The described Qwest certificated area adjoins the certificated area of RT in Qwest's Cheyenne exchange. The Companies have received a request from a developer regarding a subdivision he proposes to develop which will extend into the certificated service areas of both Companies. The developer has requested service within the subdivision from one of the Companies. The Companies state RT's facilities are closer to the subdivision, and propose telecommunications service to the subdivision be provided by RT, as RT can more expeditiously provide the service through use of existing facilities. The Companies agree it is in the public interest to transfer the certificated area, described above, from Qwest to RT. The Companies further state there is currently one Qwest customer taking service in the area to be transferred. The customer has agreed to the change in service provider.

3. The Commission finds the proposed transfer of the certificated area, described above, from Qwest to Range is consistent with the public interest.

4. The joint application is on file with the Commission at its offices in Cheyenne, Wyoming, and may be inspected by any interested persons during regular business hours.

5. Anyone desiring to file a statement, *intervention, protest or a request for a public hearing in this matter must so file, in writing, with the Commission on or before September 4, 2006.* The petition shall set forth the grounds of the proposed intervention or request for hearing, and the position and interest of the petitioner in this proceeding.

6. If you wish to intervene in this matter and/or request a public hearing you will attend and you require reasonable accommodation for a disability, please contact the Public Service Commission at (307) 777-7427 or write to the PSC, 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82002 to make arrangements. Communications impaired persons may also contact the Commission by accessing Wyoming Relay at 711. Please mention the docket number when you call or write.

7. The Commission directs that the public notice in this matter be in the following form:

PUBLIC NOTICE

RT Communications, Inc. (RT), and Qwest Corporation (Qwest), have filed a joint application with the Wyoming Public Service Commission (PSC) for authority to transfer certain certificated service area from Qwest to RT.

Qwest is currently certificated to provide telecommunications service in Sections 2, 3, 10, 11, 14 and 15, Township 12 North, Range 64 West, of the 6th P.M., all in Laramie County, Wyoming. The described Qwest certificated area adjoins the certificated area of RT in Qwest's Cheyenne exchange. The Companies have received a request from a developer regarding a subdivision he proposes to develop which will extend into the certificated service areas of both Companies. The developer has requested service within the subdivision from one of the Companies. The Companies state RT's facilities are closer to the subdivision, and propose telecommunications service to the subdivision be provided by RT, as RT can more expeditiously provide the service through use of existing facilities. The Companies agree it is in the public interest to transfer the certificated area, described above, from Qwest to RT. The Companies further state there is currently one Qwest customer taking service in the area to be transferred. The customer has agreed to the change in service provider.

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Dated: August 4, 2006.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

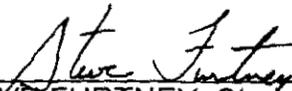
1. Pursuant to open meeting action taken on July 6, 2006, the joint application of RT Communications, Inc., and Qwest Corporation for authority to transfer certain certificated service area and authority from Qwest Corporation to RT Communications, Inc., be, and hereby is, approved effective immediately, subject to notice, possible protest, intervention, opportunity for hearing or such further action or order as the Commission may deem necessary.

2. Qwest Corporation and Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc. are ordered to file all necessary exchange maps regarding the transfer of certificate authority and service area.

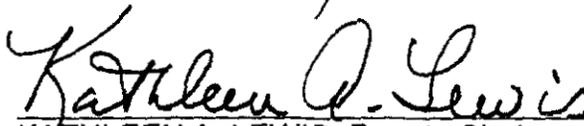
3. This *Notice and Order* is effective immediately.

MADE and ENTERED at Cheyenne, Wyoming, this 4th day of August 2006.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WYOMING



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Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is a Commission Public Notice in the above proceeding. Please publish it once a week for two consecutive weeks beginning the week of receipt of this letter. The billing for the publication should be directed to the following person who is solely liable for payment pursuant to W.S. § 37-2-125 and agreement with the Commission:

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Please provide a copy of the publisher's affidavit to the Commission after the final date of publication. We would appreciate your publishing a news story on this matter in addition to the publication.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

DAVID J. LUCERO
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Dated: August 4, 2006.



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Please provide a copy of the billing sent to the utility showing the run times, the cost of the announcement and the docket number.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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A PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE

PSC NEWS

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THE WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE THAT RT COMMUNICATIONS, INC., AND QWEST CORPORATION HAVE FILED A JOINT APPLICATION REQUESTING AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER CERTAIN CERTIFICATED AREA IN QWEST CORPORATION'S CHEYENNE EXCHANGE FROM QWEST CORPORATION TO RT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

THE JOINT APPLICATION IS ON FILE WITH THE COMMISSION AT ITS OFFICES IN CHEYENNE, WYOMING, AND MAY BE INSPECTED BY ANY INTERESTED PERSONS DURING REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS.

ANYONE DESIRING TO FILE A STATEMENT, INTERVENTION, PROTEST OR A REQUEST FOR A HEARING MUST DO SO, IN WRITING, WITH THE COMMISSION ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 4, 2006, MENTIONING DOCKET NUMBERS. 70015-53-TA-05 AND/OR 70000-1245-TA-06.

PLEASE CALL THE COMMISSION AT (307) 777-7427 OR WRITE THE COMMISSION AT 2515 WARREN AVENUE, SUITE 300, CHEYENNE, WYOMING 82002, IF YOU NEED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING THIS FILING. COMMUNICATIONS IMPAIRED PERSONS MAY CONTACT THE COMMISSION THROUGH WYOMING RELAY BY DIALING 711. PLEASE REFERENCE THE APPLICABLE DOCKET NUMBERS, WHEN YOU CALL OR WRITE.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Richard Grozier, do hereby certify that I have caused a copy of the foregoing
PETITION FOR WAIVER to be hand delivered on May 21, 2007 to the parties listed below.*

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
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Richard Grozier

May 18, 2007

* The original Petition for Waiver, and the associated filing fee and Form 159, were transmitted on May 18, 2007 via overnight delivery to the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh for filing with the FCC on May 21, 2007.