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IN RE: U.S. WEST COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF U S WEST COMMUNICATIONS, INC.,
FOR A HEARING TO DETERMINE THE
EARNINGS OF THE COMPANY FOR
RATEMAKING PURPOSES, TO FIX A JUST
AND REASONABLE RATE OF RETURN
THEREON AND TO APPROVE RATE
SCHEDULES

Docket No. T-01051B-99-0105

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APPLICATION OF COX ARIZONA
TELCOM FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to A.A.C. R14-3-105 and the March 4, 1999 Rate Case Procedural Order in this proceeding, Cox Arizona Telcom II, L.L.C. ("Cox") requests leave to intervene in the above-captioned U S WEST Communications, Inc. ("US West") rate case proceeding. In support of this application, Cox states:

1. Cox has a certificate of convenience and necessity to provide competitive resold and facilities-based local and long distance telecommunications services within the State of Arizona, and is providing telecommunications services to customers at the present time. Cox interconnects with US West and provides, or may provide in the future, services in the areas US West seeks to have designated as competitive zones. Thus, Cox is directly and substantially affected by the outcome of the US West rate case proceeding.

2. Cox's participation in the US West rate case proceeding will not unduly broaden the issues presented.

3. Cox is entitled to intervene pursuant to A.A.C. R14-3-105.

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