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Thomas Dethlefs  
Qwest Corporation  
1801 California Avenue, Suite 5100  
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Re: Qwest Corporation (U S West Communications)  
ACC Docket No. T-01051B-99-0105.

Dear Tom:

This is to confirm our conversation earlier today in which you agreed to allow RUCO to address in its surrebuttal testimony issues which we have not been able to fully develop due to recent receipt of data responses or overdue responses to which we have not yet received complete answers. Please recognize that the timeliness and completeness of Qwest's responses to outstanding and forthcoming data requests will have a direct impact on RUCO's opportunity to fully analyze the issues prior to our filing of surrebuttal testimony. RUCO reserves the right to seek a continuance of our surrebuttal filing if lack of timeliness or completeness of data responses continues to undermine RUCO's opportunity to fully analyze the relevant issues.

I expect that Qwest would have no objections to RUCO providing surrejoinder testimony from the stand on the issues it raises for the first time in its surrebuttal, after Qwest has filed responsive testimony in its rejoinder. Please contact me if that is not the case. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Scott S. Wakefield  
Chief Counsel

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