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IN THE MATTER OF U S WEST
COMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S COMPLIANCE
WITH § 271 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS
ACT OF 1996.

DOCKET NO. T-00000A-97-0238

IN THE MATTER OF QWEST CORPORATION'S
COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 252(e) OF THE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996.

DOCKET NO. RT-00000F-02-0271

ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. T-01051B-02-0871

Complainant.

v.

QWEST CORPORATION,

Respondent.

PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

Pursuant to Decision No. 66949 (April 30, 2004), on December 9, 2004, Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") filed its "Wholesale Cost Docket Implementation Independent Monitor's Scope of Work." A copy of the Scope of Work is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

By Procedural Order dated January 6, 2005, the Hearing Division ordered Commission Utilities Division Staff and any interested parties to file comments on Qwest's proposal by January 28, 2005. To date, no party filed any comments concerning the scope of the independent monitor's work.

On April 14, 2005, Qwest filed a Request for Approval of Wholesale Cost Docket Implementation Independent Monitor's Scope of Work, requesting that the Hearing Division issue an order approving Qwest's proposal and a finding that Qwest has complied with the requirement for filing the same under Decision No. 66949.

1 With its December 9, 2004 filing of the Wholesale Cost Docket Implementation Independent
2 Monitor's scope of Work, Qwest has complied with the requirements of Decision No. 66949 that
3 required such filing. No party objected to the Scope of Work. The proposed Independent Monitor's
4 Scope of Work appears reasonable and should be approved.

5 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Wholesale Cost Docket Implementation
6 Independent Monitor's Scope of Work, attached hereto as Exhibit A is approved.

7 DATED this 27th day of April, 2005.

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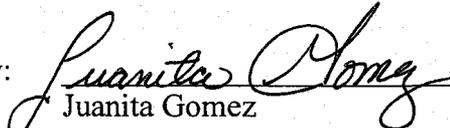
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EXHIBIT A

WHOLESALE COST DOCKET IMPLEMENTATION INDEPENDENT MONITOR'S SCOPE OF WORK

Supplier agrees to provide the services ("Services") to Qwest in accordance with the description, purpose, location, schedule, deadlines, standards and warranties stated in this agreement. Any and all changes to these Specifications must be in writing signed by both parties.

Services to be Provided by Supplier:

To meet with Qwest Service Delivery representatives Cost Docket Governance Committee representatives and others involved in the implementation process as appropriate to review Qwest's cost docket implementation process. To the extent the Arizona Commission issues a final decision in a wholesale cost docket during the three year period during which the Monitor is retained, the Monitor would assess, at that time, if Qwest meets the timeline for implementation as provided for in the Commission's decision. Monitor will report to Qwest and the Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC) and/or ACC Staff regarding findings.

Scope of Work - Wholesale Cost Docket Implementation:

1. Work with Service Delivery, implementation teams, and Docket Governance Committee representatives to evaluate and analyze implementation process requirements including building new rate tables, performing quality and accuracy checks of rate information, notification of CLECs, determination of necessary structure changes, systems modifications and associated costs to implement ordered rates.
2. Monitor process and scope of work to ensure timelines are met for implementation as required. In the event such timelines are exceeded, Monitor may make recommendations for process improvements for Qwest to evaluate and consider in efforts to meet the required timelines.

Analysis of process:

1. Review the process with respect to its ability to meet the required implementation timeframes.
2. Review accuracy of rates implemented through the process.

Presentation of Analysis:

1. Preliminary review of report with Qwest prior to presentation to the Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC).
2. Preparation of a final report to the ACC.
3. Oral presentation to the ACC and/or ACC staff regarding the Cost Docket implementation process and results as requested.

General Standards for Performance:

Services shall be timely performed in a professional manner. Services shall be fit and sufficient for the stated purpose and free of deficiencies and defects in materials, workmanship, design and/or performance. Qwest may inspect the Services at any time prior to acceptance. Supplier shall promptly correct any failure to meet any Specification at no expense to Qwest.