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Docket Control  
Arizona Corporation Commission  
1200 W. Washington Street  
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

RE: Tariff filing on behalf of Qwest Corporation, T-01051B-05

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission is an original plus 14 copies of a revision to Qwest's Exchange and Network Services Price Cap Tariff.

This filing is notification of its revisions to the Exchange and Network Services to add the new qualifications for Arizona Lifeline Assistance customers in accordance with Docket No. T-00000A-05-0380, Decision No. 67941.

The new programs will be implemented within 180 days of the effective date of this tariff, as administrative issues are resolved with DES.

Please date stamp and return one copy of this filing in the enclosed envelope. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me directly. Thank you.

Sincerely,

*Marie K. Larchick*

Attachments

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## 5. EXCHANGE SERVICES

### 5.2 LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

#### 5.2.6 TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

##### B. Telephone Assistance Program for the Medically Needy (Cont'd)

#### 3. Terms and Conditions

- a. The credit will commence on the date that Qwest or DES receives a valid application from the customer or when new service is established for a qualifying customer. The credit will be prorated on the basis of a 30-day month from the effective date of the customer's application.
- b. The regular nonrecurring charges, terms and conditions applicable to these service offerings specified in 5.2.6 will apply. The nonrecurring charges to change to or from this program due to eligibility status will be waived.
- c. The specific terms and conditions governing this program are contained in a Report to the Arizona Corporation Commission dated September 1, 1991.

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C. Lifeline Assistance

1. Description

The Lifeline Assistance Program (Lifeline) assists qualified low-income applicants with a monthly credit towards their local exchange service rate. The assistance applies for a single telephone line at the applicant's principal place of residence. Residents living on reservations can also qualify for the Federal portion of the Lifeline program based on terms and conditions for Tribal Lifeline.

2. Eligibility Requirements

a. To be eligible for Lifeline Assistance, an applicant must participate in one of the following:

- Medicaid
- Food Stamps
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Federal public housing assistance
- Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) [1]
- National School Lunch (NSL) [1]
- Kid Care [1]
- Household income at or below 150% of Federal Poverty Level Guidelines [1]

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[1] Effective date of new programs is on or before December 16, 2005.

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