



January 18, 2013

Ms. Breanne Potter
Asst Commission Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Nevada
1150 East William Street
Carson City, Nevada 89701-3109

Re: In re Joint Petition of Central Telephone Company dba CenturyLink
and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC for approval of Amendment No. 1 of the Master
Interconnection, Collocation and Resale Agreement for the State of Nevada
pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Dear Ms. Potter:

Enclosed for filing is a Joint Petition for Approval of Amendment No. 1 to the Master Interconnection, Collocation and Resale Agreement for the State of Nevada under Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 between Central Telephone Company dba CenturyLink ("CenturyLink") and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC. CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC submit Amendment No. 1 for the Commission's approval pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Also enclosed is a draft notice, pursuant to NAC 703.162, which is not required to be published in the newspaper per NRS 704.6877. A check in the amount of \$200 is also enclosed to cover the filing fee.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (702) 244-7318. Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda Stinar".

Linda Stinar
Director Regulatory Affairs

Enclosures

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

In re Joint Petition of Central Telephone)	
Company d/b/a CenturyLink and Cox)	
Nevada Telcom, LLC for approval of)	Docket No. 13 -
Amendment No. 1 of the Master)	
Interconnection, Collocation and Resale)	
Agreement for the State of Nevada)	
Pursuant to Section 252 of the)	
Telecommunications Act of 1996.)	

**JOINT PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT NO. 1 OF THE MASTER
INTERCONNECTION, COLLOCATION AND RESALE AGREEMENT FOR THE
STATE OF NEVADA UNDER SECTIONS 251 AND 252 OF THE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996**

Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC
(collectively referred to as the “Parties”), hereby petition the Public Utilities Commission (the
“Commission”) for approval of Amendment No. 1 to the Master Interconnection, Collocation
and Resale Agreement for the State of Nevada, attached hereto as Attachment A (“Amendment
No. 1”).

The Parties submit Amendment No. 1 for approval in accordance with the terms of
Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the “Act”). The Parties request that the
Commission approve Amendment No. 1 in accordance with the requirements of Section 252(e)
of the Act by determining that the grounds for rejection of such an amendment set forth in
Section 252 (e)(2)(A)(i) and Section 252 (e)(2)(A)(ii) of the Act are not applicable to
Amendment No. 1. With respect to Section 252(e) (2) of the Act, the Parties assert that
Amendment No. 1 does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier not a party to
the Amendment No. 1. The implementation of Amendment No.1 is consistent with the public

interest, convenience, and necessity. Amendment No.1 does not violate any requirement of the Commission.

The Parties respectfully request that the Commission expeditiously approve the Amendment No. 1 consistent with the intent of the Act.

Dated this 3rd day of January, 2013.

Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC

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Joiava Philpott
By: _____
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Joiava Philpott
Vice President, Regulatory Affairs
1400 Lake Hearn Drive
Atlanta, GA 30319

**Central Telephone Company
d/b/a CenturyLink**

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Linda Stinar
By: _____
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Linda C. Stinar
Director Regulatory Affairs
6700 Via Austi Parkway
Las Vegas, Nevada 89119

Attachment A

AMENDMENT NO. 1
TO
MASTER INTERCONNECTION, COLLOCATION AND RESALE AGREEMENT
FOR THE STATE OF NEVADA

Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC

and

Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink

This Amendment No. 1, effective the 3rd day of January 2013, is entered into by and between Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC ("CLEC") and Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink"). CenturyLink was formerly known as Central Telephone Company d/b/a Embarq ("Embarq"). CenturyLink and CLEC may be referred to individually as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties."

RECITALS

WHEREAS, CLEC and CenturyLink (then known as "Embarq") entered into a Master Interconnection, Collocation and Resale Agreement dated May 1, 2009, for the state of Nevada ("Agreement"), which was approved by the Commission.

WHEREAS, the Parties agree to amend the End Date of the Agreement with the terms and conditions contained herein.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual terms, covenants and conditions contained in this Amendment No. 1 and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

AMENDMENT

The End Date of the Agreement shall be July 1, 2015.

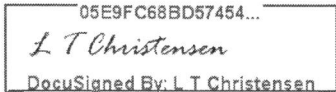
GENERAL

Except as modified herein, the provisions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect, and this Amendment No.1 is made a part of and incorporates the terms and conditions of the Agreement.

Except as provided in the Agreement, this Amendment may not be further amended or altered, and no waiver of any provision thereof shall be effective, except by written instrument executed by an authorized representative of both Parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, authorized representatives of the Parties have executed this Amendment No. 1.

Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink

By:  _____
Name: L.T. Christensen
Title: Director – Wholesale Markets
Date: 1/4/2013

Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC

By:  _____
Name: Joiava Philpott
Title: Vice President, Regulatory Affairs
Date: 1/4/2013

**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA
DRAFT NOTICE**

(Per NRS 704.6877, this notice is not required to be published in the newspaper)

Pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code (“NAC”) 703.162, the Commission requires that a draft notice be included with all applications, tariff filings, complaints and petitions. Please complete and include **ONE COPY** of this form with your filing. (Completion of this form may require the use of more than one page.)

A title that generally describes the relief requested (see NAC 703.160(4)(a)):

Joint Petition for approval of Amendment No. 1 of the Master Interconnection, Collocation and Resale Agreement between Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC for the State of Nevada under Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

The name of the applicant, complainant, petitioner or the name of the agent for the applicant, complainant or petitioner (see NAC 703.160(4)(b)):

Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC

A brief description of the purpose of the filing or proceeding, including, without limitation, a clear and concise introductory statement that summarizes the relief requested or the type of proceeding scheduled AND the effect of the relief or proceeding upon consumers (see NAC 703.160(4)(c)):

Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC submit Amendment No. 1 of the Master Interconnection, Collocation and Resale Agreement for approval in accordance with the terms of Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the “Act”). The implementation of the agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity. The agreement does not violate any requirement of the Commission.

A statement indicating whether a consumer session is required to be held pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute (“NRS”) 704.069(1)1:

No consumer session is required to be held.

If the draft notice pertains to a tariff filing, please include the tariff number AND the section number(s) or schedule number(s) being revised.

Not applicable.

1 NRS 704.069 states in pertinent part:

1. The Commission shall conduct a consumer session to solicit comments from the public in any matter pending before the Commission pursuant to NRS 704.061 to 704.110 inclusive, in which:

(a) A public utility has filed a general rate application, an application to recover the increased cost of purchased fuel, purchased power, or natural gas purchased for resale or an application to clear its deferred accounts; and

(b) The changes proposed in the application will result in an increase in annual gross operating revenue, as certified by the applicant, in an amount that will exceed \$50,000 or 10 percent of the applicant’s annual gross operating revenue, whichever is less.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this 18th day of January 2013, served a copy of the Certificate of Service for the *Joint Petition for Approval of Amendment No. 1 of the Master Interconnection, Collocation and Resale Agreement* for the State of Nevada pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, between Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC upon all parties:

Via Hand Delivery:

Ms. Breanne Potter (original)
Asst Commission Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Nevada
9075 West Diablo Drive Suite 250
Las Vegas, Nevada 89148

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing documents upon the following parties by either postage pre-paid U.S. Mail or electronic mail to:

Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC
Joiava Philpott
1400 Lake Hearn Drive
Atlanta, GA 30319

Bureau of Consumer Protection
Eric Witkoski
555 E. Washington St., Suite 3900
Las Vegas, NV 89101
bcpserv@ag.nv.gov

I hereby certify that I have this day served Document Available Notice by electronic transmission or postage pre-paid U.S. Mail to an acceptable location to the list established pursuant to NAC 703.296:

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Public Utilities Commission of Nevada
pucn.sc@puc.nv.gov

I hereby certify the foregoing documents are being made available for inspection at website Internet address: <http://pucweb1.state.nv.us/PUCN/> and http://www.centurylink.com/wholesale/clec_nv.html.

The foregoing documents are available in electronic format or paper format by sending a request to:

Paper: Linda Stinar
CenturyLink
6700 Via Austi Pkwy
Las Vegas, Nevada 891119

Electronic: linda.c.stinar@centurylink.com



Linda Stinar, an employee of Central Telephone
Company dba CenturyLink

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

Joint Petition of Central Telephone Company d/b/a)	
CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC for)	
approval of Amendment No. 1 to their Master)	
Interconnection, Collocation, and Resale Agreement)	Docket No. 13-01018
pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications)	
Act of 1996.)	
_____)	

NOTICE OF JOINT PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF AN AMENDMENT TO A MASTER
INTERCONNECTION, COLLOCATION, AND RESALE AGREEMENT BETWEEN
TELECOMMUNICATION CARRIERS UNDER SECTION 252 OF THE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT
AND
NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF HEARING

Central Telephone Company d/b/a CenturyLink and Cox Nevada Telcom, LLC filed a Joint Petition with the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada ("Commission"), designated as Docket No. 13-01018, for approval of Amendment No. 1 to their Master Interconnection, Collocation, and Resale Agreement pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

This Notice serves only to notify the public that the Commission has received the above-referenced filing. It is the responsibility of interested persons to review the filing and monitor the proceedings to determine their desired levels of involvement based on how this matter may affect their unique situations. The details provided within this Notice are for informational purposes only and are not meant to be an all-inclusive overview of the filing.

Interested and affected persons may obtain a copy of the Joint Petition from the Commission and may file comments pertaining to the Joint Petition at either of the Commission's offices on or before THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2013. Any comments must be simultaneously served on the Commission, the parties to the Agreement, the Regulatory

DOCUMENT REVIEW AND APPROVAL ROUTING	
DRAFTED BY: <u>MFT</u>	
FINAL DRAFT ON <u>1/22/13</u> AT <u>4:00</u> <u>P</u> M	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMM / COUNSEL <u>GCW</u>	<u>1:22/13</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> SECRETARY / ASST. SEC. _____	____/____/____
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (_____) _____	____/____/____

Operations Staff of the Commission, and the Nevada Attorney General's Bureau of Consumer Protection. In response to the comments filed on or before THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2013, the Petitioners may file reply comments and legal arguments on or before FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2013.

The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter and legal authority to conduct proceedings pursuant to the Nevada Revised Statutes ("NRS") and the Nevada Administrative Code ("NAC"), Chapters 703 and 704, including but not limited to NRS 704.040 and 704.120, NAC 703.290, and 47 United States Code ("U.S.C.") §252(e).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public HEARING in the above matter will be held as follows:

FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2013
1:00 P.M.
Hearing Room B
Public Utilities Commission of Nevada
9075 West Diablo Drive, Suite 250
Las Vegas, NV 89148

Pursuant to NRS 703.320, if the Commission does not receive any adverse comments regarding the Petition or a request for a hearing by THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2013, the hearing will be cancelled.

Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §252(e) and NRS 704.120, the Commission will receive evidence pertaining to the issues raised by filed comments and any responses by Petitioners regarding any dispute over the terms and conditions of the Agreement.

Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §252(e)(2)(A), the Commission may only reject a negotiated agreement, or any portion thereof, if it finds that (i) the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement; or (ii) the implementation of such agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

At the hearing, the Commission may also consider issues related to the provisions of 47 U.S.C. §251 and 252 and Chapters 703 and 704 of the NRS and NAC, may discuss public comments, and may make decisions on the procedural issues raised at the hearing.

In accordance with NRS 704.6877 and NAC 703.290, this Petition is available at the Commission's website at: <http://puc.nv.gov>.

By the Commission,



BREANNE POTTER,
Assistant Commission Secretary

Dated: Carson City, Nevada

1-23-13

(SEAL)

