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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL AND U.S. MAIL

Filing Center Oregon Public Utility Commission PO Box 2148 Salem, OR 97308-2148

Re: ARB 930

Dear Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to the request of Commission Staff, the parties to the negotiated agreement in the above-referenced docket have agreed to delete the first sentence of Section 2 at Page 5. Pursuant to direction of Commission Staff, only the substitute page is being filed.

Thank you for your acceptance of this revised filing.

Sincerely

RICHARD A. FINNIGAN

RAF/km Enclosure

cc:

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- 1.17 "Major Trading Area" or "MTA" means the service areas based on the Rand McNally 1992 Commercial Atlas & Marketing Guide, 123rd edition, at pages 38-39. 47 C.F.R. § 24.202(a).
- 1.18 "POI" means Point of Interconnection.
- 1.19 "PSTN" means the Public Switched Telephone Network.
- 1.20 "Reciprocal Compensation" means a compensation arrangement between two carriers in which each of the two carriers receives compensation from the other carrier for the transport and Termination on each carrier's network facilities for Local Traffic. 47 C.F.R. § 51.701(E).
- 1.21 "Tandem Switching" is when Company provides tandem switching at the Company switch for traffic between LCW and a Company end office subtending the Company switch.
- 1.22 "Telecommunication Services" shall have the meaning set forth in 47 § U.S.C. 153(46).
- 1.23 "<u>Termination</u>" means the switching of Local Traffic at the terminating Party's End Office Switch, or equivalent facility, and delivery of such traffic to the called Party's premises.
- 1.24 "Usage Factors" are those factors set out in Attachment 1.
- 2. RURAL TELEPHONE COMPANY.

LCW acknowledges that Company represents that it is a "rural telephone company" as defined in the Act, 47 U.S.C. § 153.

3. TRAFFIC INTERCHANGED.

- 3.1 The traffic subject to this Agreement shall be that Local Traffic which originates from an End User on the network of one Party and is delivered to an End User on the network of the other Party. Such traffic includes that traffic which is routed via a third party tandem switch.
- The Parties agree that the exchange of traffic of Company's extended area calling service ("EAS") routes shall be considered Local Traffic and compensation for Termination of such traffic shall be paid pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. An NXX assigned to LCW that is associated with a Company rate center shall be included in an EAS optional calling scope to the same extent as any other NXX in the same rate center. EAS routes are those exchanges within a telephone exchange's local calling area, as defined in Company's general End User tariff.

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Dated at Olympia, WA this 9th day of September, 2009.

By:

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