

ISSUED: August 9, 2010

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 1481

In the Matter of

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF
OREGON

Staff investigation of the Oregon Universal
Service Fund.

RULING

DISPOSITION: MOTION TO ADMIT COUNSEL
PRO HAC VICE GRANTED

On July 15, 2010, Charles L. Best filed a motion to allow attorney William T. Hendricks to appear *pro hac vice* on behalf of CenturyLink in this proceeding. The motion is supported by a Certificate of Good Standing from the Washington State Supreme Court and an affidavit from Mr. Hendricks. The time for objection to the motion has passed. The motion is granted.

Per UTCR 3.170(c), an attorney seeking to participate in a proceeding *pro hac vice* must associate with a member of the Oregon State Bar who must participate meaningfully in the matter. Per CenturyLink's motion, the Commission anticipates that Mr. Best will participate meaningfully in this docket.

Dated this 9th day of August, 2010, at Salem, Oregon.



Shani M. Pines
Administrative Law Judge