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Oregon Public Utility Commission Attn: Filing Center P.O. Box 1088 Salem, OR 97308-1088 <u>puc.filingcenter@state.or.us</u>

Re: Docket UM 1770; Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC Petition for Recovery of Relocation Costs Pursuant to ORS 758.025 and OAR 860-022-0047

Dear Commission:

CenturyLink hereby withdraws its Petition in this docket. After discussions with the Commission's Staff and review of the materials supporting the Petition, CenturyLink has decided not to pursue recovery of relocation costs for 2015. CenturyLink is reviewing the methodology it uses to determine whether projects meet the criteria for recovery and plans to complete that review so that it can file a request in 2017 for relocation costs it incurs this year.

CenturyLink appreciates the Staff's efforts in this docket and looks forward to the opportunity to work with the Commission on future submissions. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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