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3 **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**
4 **OF OREGON**
5 **UM 1354**

6 In the Matter of
7 QWEST CORPORATION

8 Petition for Approval of Price Plan Pursuant
9 to ORS 759.255

AMENDED PETITION TO INTERVENE
& WAIVER OF PAPER SERVICE OF
TELECOMMUNICATIONS RATEPAYERS
ASSOCIATION FOR COST-BASED AND
EQUITABLE RATES

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11 The Telecommunications Ratepayers Association for Cost-based and Equitable Rates
12 (“TRACER”) respectfully petitions to intervene in this proceeding and gives notice of its intent
13 to participate as a full party.

14 In support of this petition, TRACER states as follows:

- 15 1. The name and address of the petitioner is:

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8 3. TRACER is a coalition representing entities that are large users of
9 telecommunications services in the State of Oregon.

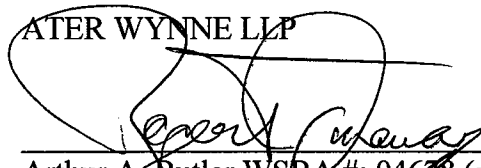
10 4. TRACER members are large customers of Qwest in Oregon. As their
11 representative, TRACER has knowledge and expertise that will assist the Commission and the
12 parties in resolving the issues presented in this proceeding.

13 5. The participation of TRACER in this proceeding will not unduly broaden the
14 issues or burden the record.

15 Based on the information provided above in accordance with the Commission's rules of
16 procedure, we request to participate in this proceeding as an intervenor. I or the organization
17 that I represent will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably
18 delay the proceeding. OAR 860-012-0001.

19 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 10th day of December, 2007.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 10th day of December, 2007, I served the foregoing *Amended Petition to Intervene & Waiver of Paper Service of Telecommunications Ratepayers Association For Cost-Based And Equitable Rates* in docket UM 1354 upon each party listed below, by email and, where paper service is not waived, by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, and upon the Commission by email and by sending 2 copies by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to the Commission's Salem offices.

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