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November 14, 2002

VIA E-MAIL

Administrative Hearings Division Public Utility Commission of Oregon 550 Capitol St. NE, Suite 215 Salem, OR 97301-2551

Re: Umatilla Electric Cooperative Association Opt-In Agreement

Dear Sir or Madam:

This firm represents Umatilla Electric Cooperative Association ("UECA"), a registered Oregon competitive telecommunications carrier. UECA hereby gives notice of its intent to adopt the Interconnection Agreement between Level 3 Communications, LLC and Qwest Corporation, approved by this Commission in ARB 332, pursuant to Commission Order No. 01-968. UECA intends by this letter to "opt" into the Level 3 Agreement and all amendments thereto.

Please contact this office with any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

Lisa F. Rackner (503) 226-8693 lfr@aterwynne.com

Enclosure

cc: John D. Robinson, UECA Nancy Donahue, Qwest w/enc., via e-mail

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## **CARRIER-TO-CARRIER AGREEMENT CHECKLIST**

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete all applicable parts of this form and submit it with related materials when filing a carrier-tocarrier agreement pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 252 and OAR 860-016-0000, et al. The Commission will utilize the information contained in this form to determine how to process the filing.

1. PAR	<b>TIES</b> Requesting Carrier	Affected Carrier	
Name:	Umatilla Electric Cooperative Association	Qwest Corporation	Qwest Corporation
Address:	750 W. Elm St.	Director-Interconnect	Attn: Don Mason
	Hermiston, OR 97838-1282	1801 California St., Ste. 2401	421 SW Oak St., Ste. 810
		Denver, CO 80202	Portland, OR 97204

## 2. PRIMARY CONTACT PERSON FOR PROCESSING INFORMATION

Name:	John D. Robinson	Phone Number:	(541) 567-6414
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	Hermiston, OR 97838-1282	E-Mail Address:	john.robinson@ueinet.com

**3. TYPE OF FILING** (Check all that apply. For example, parties seeking to adopt a previously approved agreement with new negotiated amendments should check both "Adoption" and "Amendment" categories.)

X <u>Adoption</u>: Adopts interconnection agreement previously approved by the Commission.

Parties to prior agreement: Level 3 Communications, LLC & Qwest Corporation

Approved in Docket ARB 332, Order No(s). 01-968

Does filing adopt amendments to base agreement previously approved by the Commission?

- \_\_\_\_ NO
- X YES, approved in Docket ARB 332(1), Order No(s). 02-619
- New Agreement: Seeks approval of new negotiated agreement.

Does this filing replace an agreement between the same parties that was previously approved by the Commission?

- \_\_\_\_ NO
- \_\_\_\_ YES, approved in Docket ARB \_\_\_\_\_, Order No(s). \_\_\_\_\_

Amendment: Amends an existing carrier-to-carrier agreement.

If the original agreement was negotiated, has it been approved by the Commission?

- \_\_\_\_ NO, decision pending in Docket ARB \_\_\_\_\_
- YES, approved in Docket ARB \_\_\_\_\_, Order No(s). \_\_\_\_\_

If original agreement was an adoption, what was its docket number? Docket ARB\_\_\_\_\_

Other: Please explain.