OREGON PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE:

November 11, 2015

TO:

File through Bruce Hellebuyck

FROM:

Stephanie Yamada

SUBJECT: CENTURYTEL OF OREGON INC: PL 25/Advice No. 15-009-PL,

Compliance filing with Order No. 15-341 in UD 27 to move the

CenturyLink Business Bundle to the company's price list.

I have reviewed this filing and recommend that an acknowledgement letter be sent. This filing moves the CenturyLink Business Bundle package into the company's price list in compliance with Order No. 15-341 in Docket UD 27. This filing was submitted on October 26, 2015, and went into effect on October 27, 2015. The company also submitted a related tariff filing, Advice No. 347, to remove the package from the company's regular tariff.

On September 25, 2015, CenturyTel of Oregon, Inc. dba CenturyLink (CenturyTel) and United Telephone Company of the Northwest dba CenturyLink (United) filed a joint petition to price list their respective Business Bundle offerings for business customers pursuant to ORS 759.054 and OAR 860-032-0035. The Commission issued its Order No. 15-341 granting the petition on October 20, 2015.

The order sets the following conditions: (1) the individual services/features included in the service package remain available separately in the company's tariff, (2) the total prices of the service package shall not exceed the sum of the tariffed rates of the individual service components included in the package, and (3) the decision to grant the petition is made without prejudice to future decisions regarding whether any particular services are essential or nonessential, or whether any particular service package should be price-listed when some of the underlying services are tariffed.

The CenturyLink Business Bundle is available to business customers for a maximum of 10 lines at each customer location. The customer must subscribe to a qualifying long distance plan as well as high-speed internet to qualify for the bundle. The monthly rate for the package is \$45.00 for the first bundle and \$34.99 for the second through tenth bundles. The present filing makes no changes to the rates, terms, or conditions of the CenturyLink Business Bundle.