

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of the joint requests for Commission )  
approval of interconnection agreements and )  
amendments. )  
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At the January 23, 2020 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing,  
Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. Sally A. Talberg, Chairman  
Hon. Daniel C. Scripps, Commissioner  
Hon. Tremaine L. Phillips, Commissioner

**ORDER**

The following parties have filed joint applications for approval of interconnection agreements  
or amendments to an interconnection agreement:

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| Case No. U-16116 | AT&T Michigan and Liquid Web, LLC<br>Application filed January 9, 2020, for approval of a second amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).   |
| Case No. U-16526 | AT&T Michigan and CenturyLink Communications, LLC, f/k/a Qwest Communications Company, LLC<br>Application filed January 2, 2020, for approval of an eighth amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Connect America Fund et al., WC Docket No. 10-90 et al., Report and Order, FCC 11-161, issued November 18, 2011, and FCC 11-189, amended on December 23, 2011; modifies certain provisions related to Customer Information Services, WC Docket No. 16-13, approved March 15, 2016; changes |

the name of Qwest Communications Company, LLC, to CenturyLink Communications, LLC; terminates the interconnection agreements between AT&T Michigan and CenturyTel Acquisition, LLC, CenturyTel Fiber Company II, LLC, and CenturyTel Solutions, LLC, upon the effective date of this agreement; adds Joint and Several Liability language; and replaces the Notices section).

- Case No. U-16561 AT&T Michigan and Baraga Telephone Company  
Application filed November 6, 2019, and an amended application filed January 8, 2020, for approval of a third amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).
- Case No. U-16778 AT&T Michigan and Peninsula Fiber Network, LLC  
Application filed November 5, 2019, and an amended application filed January 8, 2020, for approval of a sixth amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).
- Case No. U-17112 AT&T Michigan and CynergyComm.net, Inc.  
Application filed November 7, 2019, and an amended application filed January 8, 2020, for approval of a fifth amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).
- Case No. U-17440 AT&T Michigan and Wide Voice, LLC  
Application filed November 5, 2019, and an amended application filed January 10, 2020, for approval of a fifth amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).
- Case No. U-18162 AT&T Michigan and Osirus Communications, Inc.  
Application filed January 9, 2020, for approval of a first amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to

implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).

- Case No. U-20148 AT&T Michigan and Spectrotel, Inc.  
Application filed January 2, 2020, for approval of a first amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Petition of US Telecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C 160(c) to Accelerate Investment in Broadband and Next-Generation Networks, WC Docket No. 18-141, FCC 19-66 and FCC 19-72, filed May 4, 2018).
- Case No. U-20667 CenturyTel Midwest-Michigan, Inc., CenturyTel of Michigan, Inc., CenturyTel of Northern Michigan, Inc., and CenturyTel of Upper Michigan, Inc., all d/b/a CenturyLink and CSC Wireless, LLC, d/b/a Altice Mobile  
Application filed November 25, 2019, and an amended application filed January 10, 2020, for approval of a commercial mobile radio services agreement.

47 USC 252(e)(2) and (3) provides in part:

- (2) The State commission may only reject
  - (A) an agreement (or any portion thereof) adopted by negotiation under subsection (a) of this section if it finds that--
    - (i) the agreement (or portion thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement; or
    - (ii) the implementation of such agreement or portion is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity; . . . .
- (3) Notwithstanding paragraph (2), but subject to section 253 of this title, nothing in this section shall prohibit a State commission from establishing or enforcing other requirements of State law in its review of an agreement, including requiring compliance with intrastate telecommunications service quality standards or requirements.

After reviewing the applications, the Commission finds that they should be approved. The Commission finds that the agreements and amendments are consistent with federal and state law and are in the public interest. Under 47 USC 252(i) and MCL 484.2359(2), the services provided under the agreements shall be made available to other telecommunications carriers upon the same terms and conditions.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

A. The interconnection agreements and amendments listed above are approved.

B. Approval of the interconnection agreements and amendments does not alter the duty of the parties to comply with relevant federal and state law and past and future Commission orders and rules.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

Any party aggrieved by this order may file an action in the appropriate federal District Court under 47 USC 252(e)(6). To comply with the requirement to notify the Commission of an appeal, appellants shall send required notices to both the Commission's Executive Secretary and to the Commission's Legal Counsel. Electronic notifications should be sent to the Executive Secretary at [mpscdockets@michigan.gov](mailto:mpscdockets@michigan.gov) and to the Michigan Department of the Attorney General - Public Service Division at [pungpl@michigan.gov](mailto:pungpl@michigan.gov). In lieu of electronic submissions, paper copies of such notifications may be sent to the Executive Secretary and the Attorney General - Public Service Division at 7109 W. Saginaw Hwy, Lansing, MI 48917.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Sally A. Talberg, Chairman

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Daniel C. Scripps, Commissioner

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Tremaine L. Phillips, Commissioner

By its action of January 23, 2020.

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Lisa Felice, Executive Secretary

# PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN )

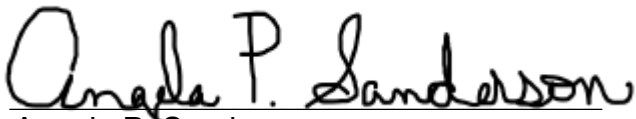
Case No. U-16116 *et al.*

County of Ingham )

Brianna Brown being duly sworn, deposes and says that on January 23, 2020 A.D. she electronically notified the attached list of this **Commission Order via e-mail transmission**, to the persons as shown on the attached service list (Listserv Distribution List).

  
Brianna Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 2020.



Angela P. Sanderson  
Notary Public, Shiawassee County, Michigan  
As acting in Eaton County  
My Commission Expires: May 21, 2024

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**Service List for Case: U-16526**

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**Service List for Case: U-17112**

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