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WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU SHORT TERM NETWORK CHANGE NOTIFICATION FILED BY QWEST

Report No. NCD-1255

May 3, 2006

Re: SHORT TERM NETWORK CHANGE CERTIFICATION RECEIVED

Qwest, an incumbent local exchange carrier (LEC), has filed certification that short term public notice of network change has been provided through its publicly accessible Internet site, as required by section 51.329(a) of the rules of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), together with certification of service on identified interconnecting carriers, as required by section 51.333(a). Specific network change information can be obtained on the Internet at: <http://www.qwest.com/disclosures>

The incumbent LEC's certification refers to the change identified below:

Qwest Disclosure Number	Implementation Date(s)	Announcement Title of Proposed Network Change(s)
551	<u>2006</u> April 15 thru December 31	Copper Retirements in Arizona, Colorado, Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, South Dakota & Washington.

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An objection to an incumbent LEC's short term notice may be filed by an information service provider or telecommunication service provider that directly interconnects with the incumbent LEC network. Such objections must be filed with the Commission, and served on the ILEC, no later than the ninth business day following the release of this public notice. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 51.333(c).

The original filing is available for inspection and copying at the FCC Public Reference Room, Portals II, 445 12th Street, S.W., Suite CY-A257, Washington, D.C. 20554.

For further information, contact Carmell Weathers, (202) 418-2325 (voice), or carmell.weathers@fcc.gov (email), of the Competition Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau. The TTY number is (202) 418-0484.

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