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WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU SHORT TERM NETWORK CHANGE NOTIFICATION FILED BY CENTURYLINK LOCAL OPERATING COMPANIES

Report No. NCD-1909

September 20, 2010

Re: SHORT TERM NETWORK CHANGE CERTIFICATION RECEIVED

CenturyLink Local Operating Companies (CenturyLink), an incumbent local exchange carrier (LEC), has filed certification that short term public notice of network change(s) 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). Upon initial review the filing appears to be complete. *See* 47 C.F.R. §§ 51.325 through 51.335. Specific network change information can be obtained on the Internet at: http://about.centurylink.com/legal/fcc_change_notifications.html

The incumbent LEC's certification(s) refer(s) to the change(s) identified below:

- CenturyLink will be upgrading remote equipment, central offices, and termination equipment which can impact the optical and electrical interface to the customer, in addition to adding capacity to current facilities. Additionally, the company will be performing copper replacements in Missouri and Texas.
- Location of Change(s): Alabama, Missouri and Texas.
- Planned Implementation Date(s): October 4, 2010 – December 15, 2010.

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An objection to an incumbent LEC's short term notice may be filed by an information service provider or telecommunications service provider that directly interconnects with the incumbent LEC's network. Such objections must be filed with the Commission, and served on the incumbent LEC, no later than the ninth business day following the release of this public notice. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 51.333(c). The effective implementation date of all changes is subject to the FCC's public notice period under section 51.333(b). *See* 47 C.F.R. § 51.333(b).

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 (e-mail), of the Competition Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau. The tty number is (202) 418-0484.

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