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Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, SW, TW-B-204  
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Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

Qwest Communications Company (Qwest) FRN 0018-4219-41, hereby files with your office revised tariff material, as included hereto, in compliance with the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This material consists of tariff pages as indicated:

Tariff F.C.C. No. 7,  
Title Page Release 3; Check Sheet, Page 0-1,  
Release 15; Section 1: Page 1-1, Release 2; Section  
2: Page 2-14, Release 13

Informational Tariff  
Title Page 2nd Revised; Check Sheet 14th Revised;  
Section 1: Page 1, 1st Revised; Section 3: Page 2  
12th Revised

Qwest is proposing to increase the Universal Service Fund charge in both its Informational Tariff and its Tariff F.C.C. No. 7, 45-Day Tariff. In this filing Qwest is also changing language associated with the application of the tariff to clarify where service is being provided.

These revisions are scheduled to become effective on not less than one day's notice on January 1, 2012 pursuant to Section 61.23(c) of the Commission's Rules.

The Tariff filing fee in the amount of \$845.00 is being paid by credit card through the appropriate entries in Section E of the ETFS generated Form 159.

All correspondence and inquiries in connection with this filing, including service copies of petitions, should be directed to:

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Attachments: Tariff Pages