



March 23, 2012

Transmittal No. 18

Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

Attention: Competitive Pricing Division, Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued on behalf of the CenturyLink operating companies (CLOC) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8 and 9 is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

These revisions, scheduled to become effective April 1, 2012, consist of tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheets:

<u>Tariff F.C.C. No.</u>	<u>Check Sheet No.</u>
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2	11th Revised Page 1 5th Revised Page 1.1
3	11th Revised Page 1 4th Revised Page 1.1
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9	12th Revised Page 1

This filing is made on not less than nine days notice under authority of Special Permission No. 12-007 of the Federal Communications Commission. CenturyLink proposes to revise the federal universal service fund (USF) end user contribution factor for the second quarter 2012 to 0.174 consistent with the requirements of the Commission's USF Order.¹

¹ *In the Matter of Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service*, CC Docket No. 96-45, Public Notice (DA 12-396) released March 13, 2012.

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In accordance with the requirements of Section 61.21(a)(3) of the Commission's Rules, the FCC Registration Number (FRN) for CenturyLink is 0018-6268-53. CenturyLink is filing this transmittal on behalf of issuing carriers on Attachment A:

Support material in accordance with Sections 61.38 and 61.41 through 61.49 of the Commission's Rules is provided, where required, for this filing.

Payment in the amount of \$845.00 has been electronically transmitted to the US Bank in St. Louis, Missouri, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically via ETFS as a proprietary document.

All correspondence and inquiries in connection with this filing should be addressed to me at 5454 West 110th Street, Mailstop KSOPKJ0502-508, Overland Park, Kansas 66211, (913) 345-7572.



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Attachments

Transmittal Letter
Revised Tariff Pages
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Attachment A

ATTACHMENT A

Federal Registration Numbers for CENTURYLINK OPERATING COMPANIES

Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 Participants

0002-7744-87
0002-7672-83
0002-8537-11
0002-3903-26
0004-2533-73
0004-3122-29
0004-5472-61

Tariff F.C.C. Nos. 2 and 3 Participants

0005-8277-87
0005-8277-12

Tariff F.C.C. No. 6 Participants

0001-7308-86	0001-7435-41
0004-2533-81	0004-3122-45
0003-9369-52	0004-5470-48
0001-6733-59	0004-5472-95
0004-3122-37	0004-3121-95
0001-7724-82	0004-5470-22
0002-7159-02	0001-7484-66
0006-2304-60	0001-7684-49
0005-7862-23	0001-6854-29
0004-0850-80	0004-3122-11
0004-0850-98	0004-3122-52
0002-6483-68	0004-3121-53
0001-6775-41	0004-5469-82
0004-5470-71	0004-3121-61
0001-7323-38	0001-6188-18
0001-7100-11	0006-1607-41
0001-7738-11	0004-5470-14

Tariff F.C.C. No. 7 Participants

0004-3337-79
0004-3337-53
0004-3336-88
0004-3337-95

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**Federal Registration Numbers for
CENTURYLINK OPERATING COMPANIES**

Tariff F.C.C. No. 8 Participants

0004-5470-55
0001-7127-51
0001-5846-97
0001-5825-43
0005-7613-09
0001-5620-99
0004-3122-60
0001-5660-41
0001-6234-38
0001-6172-65
0001-6302-43
0004-5470-06
0004-5470-89
0002-6419-67

Tariff F.C.C. No. 9 Participants

0004-1465-85	0005-0517-68
0004-1404-22	0001-6851-48
0001-8252-98	0002-3825-70
0002-9015-51	0001-9523-40
0005-0517-43	0002-3825-70
0002-5952-47	0001-5666-94
0002-3420-38	0002-9388-43
0002-6434-35	0001-7701-22
0002-3372-44	0004-1839-19
0002-3916-39	0001-7770-36