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Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW, TW-B-204
Washington, DC 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued on behalf of the CenturyLink Operating Companies (CLOC) FRN 0018-6268-53 and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 9 is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. CenturyLink is filing this transmittal on behalf of issuing carriers on Attachment A.

This material, scheduled to become effective on September 1, 2012, consists of tariff pages indicated on the following check sheet(s):

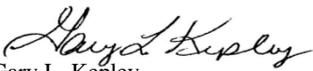
<u>FCC Tariff No.</u>	<u>Check Sheet No.</u>
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This filing is made on one day's notice under authority of Special Permission No. 12-030 of the Federal Communications Commission and proposes to introduce Contract No. 12-001, a discount pricing plan for DS1 and DS3 services for which concurrent subscription is required to this contract offer and the following Access Tariff: Qwest Corporation (QC) Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, Contract No. 12-003. This contract offer will be available for subscription only from September 1, 2012 through October 1, 2012..

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.

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Attachments: Attachment A
Revised Tariff Pages

ATTACHMENT A

Federal Registration Numbers for **CENTURYLINK OPERATING COMPANIES**

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