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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 Qwest Corporation (Qwest) FRN 0003-7467-57 (Concurring Carriers, The Malheur Home Telephone Company FRN 0003-7467-65 and El Paso County Telephone Company FRN 0004-3212-46), and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, effective as reflected on the attached tariff pages, is sent to you in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

This material consists of tariff pages indicated on the following check sheet(s):

Tariff F.C.C. No.	Check Sheet Revision No.
1	272nd Revised Page 0-1 5th Revised Page 0-1.43

Qwest is filing three new Contract Tariffs in Section 24, Contract Tariffs. Qwest is filing these Contract Tariffs under authority granted in Section 69.727 of the Commission's Rules and is in compliance with terms contained in Section 61.55 of the Commission's Rules. Per Section 61.58 this filing is being made on not less than one day's notice.

The Tariff filing fee in the amount of \$720.00 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