

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of an Application for Approval of the March 26, 2003 Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Between NorthStar Access, L.L.C. and Qwest Corporation (Originally Approved in Docket No. P-5668,421/M-98-1286); Setting Forth the Terms and Conditions under Which NorthStar Access, L.L.C. Agrees to Withdraw its Opposition to and to Encourage the Expedious Processing of the Review of the Proposed Merger Between US West, Inc. and Qwest Communications International, Inc. In Exchange, Qwest Agreed to Be an IntraLata Toll Provider for NorthStar Access, L.L.C.'s Customers, Improve/Enhance Their OSS and Permit Northstar Access, L.l.c. to Adopt Interconnection Agreements Filed in Other States

The above entitled matter has been considered by the Commission and the following disposition made:

**Approved, with the exceptions recommended by the Department of Commerce in its attached comments**

**This decision is issued by the Commission's consent calendar subcommittee, under a delegation of authority granted under Minn. Stat. § 216A.03, subd. 8 (a). Unless a party, a participant, or a**

**Commissioner files an objection to this decision within ten days of receiving it, it will become the Order of the full Commission under Minn. Stat. § 216A.03, subd. 8 (b).**

The Commission agrees with and adopts the recommendations of the Department of Commerce which are attached and hereby incorporated in the Order.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

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Executive Secretary

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