DOCKET NO. ____ In the Mutter of IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY CORPORATION QWEST APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO ITS **NETWORK EXCHANGE** AND SERVICES TARIFF Public Utilities Commission of the State of South Dakota MEMORANDA 经运营机

Qwest Corporation 125 South Dakota Avenue Sioux Falls, SD 57194



August 21, 2001

Ms. Debra Elofson, Executive Director Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Dear Ms. Elofson:

Qwest Corporation has attached for filing with the Commission the following pages from our Exchange and Network Services Tariff:

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This filing makes the following changes:

1. Introduces a 1-year Rate Stability Plan (RSP) option for Advanced Digital Switched Services (DSS) arrangements.

2. Reduces the non-recurring charge when a DSS facility is provisioned on a DS3 from

\$900 to \$325.

3. Introduces a Rollover and a Signaling Design Change Charge for DSS and UAS to cover these special functions rather than assessing the current non-recurring charges.

Qwest requests an effective date of September 23, 2001. If additional information is needed, please call me on 605-335-4596.

We would appreciate acknowledgment of receipt of this filing. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached for your convenience.

Sincerely.

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Colleen E. Sevold

Manager-Regulatory Affairs

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS NEW SERVICES CLASSIFICATION FILING

The state of the s	Requested Classification: (X) Non-Competitive () Emerging Competitive () Fully Competitive
2)	This service will be offered: (X) Intrastate, IntraLATA () Intrastate, InterLATA () Interstate
3)	Detailed Description of Service: This filing makes changes to the DSS Service offerine as outlined on the cover page.
4)	Reason for Change: These changes are being made for competitive reasons. The one-year Rate Stability Plan is being requested by our customers.
5)	Basis for Rates: The estimated revenue impact is an annual reduction of \$23,252.
6)	Quantification of Customer Impact: Affects only customers subscribing to the service
7)	Proposed Effective Date: September 23, 2001

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- D. Rates And Charges
 - 1. DSS will be provided at the following rates and charges:

		USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	MONTHLY RATE
	 Stand alone DSS facility and common equipment, per 24 channel facility 			
	 All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks[1] 	D7W	\$1100.00	\$310.00
	- All advanced trunks[1]	D7Z	1100.00	150.00
	 DSS facility and common equipment provisioned on DS3 Service, per DSS facility activated 		·	
	- All advanced trunks	D3F	325.00 (R)	****
	Basic trunks with flat usage, each			
	- In-only trunk with hunting	T2D1X	86.00	30.00
	- Out-only trunk	T2DOX	85.00	30.00
*	- Two-way trunk with hunting	T2DCX	86.00	30.00

^[1] Same nonrecurring charge applies to change the system from all basic combination trunks to all advanced or vice versa.

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 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each 	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	MONTHLY RATE
 In-only trunk with DID and hunting[1] Out-only trunk with answer supervision 	T2J1X	\$81.00	\$23.00
	T2JOX	87.00	23.00
 Two-way trunk with DID, hunting, and answer supervision[1] Two-way data trunk[1] 	T2JCX	82.00	23.00
	T2JCD	82.00	23.00

2 Nonrecurring change charges apply as follows:

 DSS Facility and Common Equipment Change Charge 	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge
 Change system from all basic/combination channels to all advance or vice versa. Rollover Charge 	N/A	[2]
Move existing DS1 to DS3 on vacant channels	N/A	\$325.00
Signaling Design Change Charge	REALV	325.00
Trunk Change ChargesMiscellaneous changes within the		
categories of basic or advanced. - Change from basic trunks to	REAFZ	38.00
 advanced trunks or vice versa. Add, change to or from, or rearrange hunting arrangement 	REAF1	62.00
within a trunk group.	REAF2	39.00

Requires an appropriate Direct Inward Dialing trunk circuit termination at rates and charges as found elsewhere.

^[2] Same nonrecurring charges as for initial installation.

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- D. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)
 - 3. Digital Switched Service Rate Stability Plan
 - a. The Digital Switched Service Rate Stability Plan (RSP) is an optional payment arrangement, offered under contract between the Company and the customer. DSS RSP allows a customer to pay a guaranteed fixed monthly rate for the DSS facility and common equipment over a 1-year to 10-year period, and/or, receive stabilized monthly rates and/or discounted nonrecurring charges for DSS Basic Trunks and Advanced Trunks with DID over a 1-, 3-, 5- and 7-year period.
 - b. If Waiver Policy conditions are met, as specified in the Termination Liability/Waiver Policy, set forth in 2.2.14.B., termination charges will not apply if the DSS facility and common equipment for all advanced trunks is moved to an existing DS3 facility.
 - c. Other nonrecurring charges, specified previously, may apply.

d. The following rates apply for rate stabilized DSS facility and common equipment.

	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	MONTHLY RATE	
 DSS facility and common equipment, per 24 channel facility				
• 1 Year				
 Discounted DS1 with advanced trunks only[1] 	D7ZDA	\$ 935.00	\$145.00	
* 3 years				
 All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks All advanced trunks Discounted DS1 with basic trunks or a combination of basic and 	D7W2X D7Z2X	1,100.00 1,100.00	290.00 126.90	
advanced trunks[1] - Discounted DS1 with	D7WD3	550.00	290.00	
advanced trunks only[1]	D7ZD3	550.00	126.90	

Requires a 1-, 3-, 5- or 7-year contract for trunks in addition to this rate. 111

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	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE	
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 All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks All advanced trunks Discounted DS1 with basic trunks or a combination of basic and 	D7W3X D7Z3X	\$1,100.00 1,100.00	\$275.00 109.98	
advanced trunks[1]	D7WD5	-	275.00	
 Discounted DS1 with advanced trunks only[1] 	D7ZD5		109.98	(M)

^[1] Requires a 1-, 3-, 5- or 7-year contract for trunks in addition to this rate.

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	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE	
• 7 years				
 All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks All advanced trunks Discounted DS1 with basic trunks 	D7W4X D7Z4X	\$1,100.00 1,100.00	\$275.00 108.57	
or a combination of basic and advanced trunks[1]	D7WD7		275.00	
 Discounted DS1 with advanced trunks only[1] 	D7ZD7	-	108.57	
• 10 years				
All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunksAll advanced trunks	D7W5X D7Z5X	1,100.00 1,100.00	275.00 105.75	
Discounted DSS facility and common equipment provisioned on DS3 Service, per DSS facility activated[1]				
1 yearAll advanced trunks	D3FDA	325.00		(N) (N)
3 yearsAll advanced trunks	D3FD3	325.00 (R)		
5 yearsAll advanced trunks	D3FD5			
7 yearsAll advanced trunks	D3FD7	-	_	

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e. The following trunks are available on a rate stabilized basis. The following rates apply for all 1-year rate stabilized trunks or under 241 3-year to 10-year rate stabilized trunks. All 3-year to 10-year rate stabilized trunks in quantities of 241 or more, shall be priced on an Individual Case Basis.

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		USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE	
(1)	1-Year Plan				(N)
	 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] 				,
	 In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with 	TY411	\$111.35	\$56.50	
	answer supervision - Two-way trunk with DID	TY4O1	73.95	22.31	
	and answer supervision	TY4C1	112.20	56.50	(N)
(2)	3-Year Plan				(T)
	 Basic trunks with flat usage, each[1] 				,
	In-only trunkOut-only trunkTwo-way trunk	T5F13 T5FO3 T5FC3	43.00 43.00 43.00	56.00 (I) 22.00 (R) 56.00 (I)	
	 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] 				
	 In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with 	TY413	65.50	57.00	
	answer supervision - Two-way trunk with DID	TY4O3	43.50	23.60	
	and answer supervision	TY4C3	66.00	57.00	

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Requires a 1-, 3-, 5- or 7-year contract for the DS1 in addition to this rate.

^[2] Separate DID Trunk Termination charges do not apply.

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		USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE	
(3)	5-Year Plan				(T)(M)
	 Basic trunks with flat usage, each[1] In-only trunk Out-only trunk Two-way trunk 	T5F15 T5F05 T5FC5	- - -	\$27.60 27.60 27.60	(M)
	 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with 	TY415	-	54.00	
	answer supervisionTwo-way trunk with <i>DID</i>and answer supervision	TY4O5 TY4C5		21.60 54.00	
(4)	7-Year Plan				(T)
	Basic trunks with flat				
	usage, each[1] - In-only trunk - Out-only trunk - Two-way trunk	T5F17 T5FO7 T5FC7		27.60 27.60 27.60	
	 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] In-only trunk with DID 	TY417		54.00	
	Out-only trunk with answer supervisionTwo-way trunk with DID	TY4O7	7 –	21.60	
	and answer supervision	TY4C7	7	54.00	

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^[1] Requires a 1-, 3-, 5- or 7-year contract for the DS1 in addition to this rate.

^[2] Separate DID Trunk Termination charges do not apply.

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WEEKLY FILINGS

For the Period of August 23, 2001 through August 29, 2001

If you need a complete copy of a filing faxed, overnight expressed, or mailed to you, please contact Delaine Kolbo within five business days of this filing. Phone: 605-773-3705 Fax: 605-773-3809

CONSUMER COMPLAINTS

CN01-001

In the Matter of the Complaint filed by Betty Best on behalf of Best Business Products, Sloux Falls, South Dakota, against MidAmerican Energy Company Regarding the Unauthorized Use of Personal Property.

The Complainant states that MidAmerican Energy provides service to her building and to the business adjacent to hers. MidAmerican has attached meters and shutoffs to Complainant's building for both her business and for the business adjacent to hers. Complainant has requested that MidAmerican remove the meters and shutoffs that are not directly benefiting Complainant's property. Complainant requests that the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission intervene in this matter in requiring MidAmerican to remove the meters and shutoffs at its own to require MidAmerican to produce documentation from the Complainant authorizing it to place the matters and shutoffs on her property.

Staff Analyst: Mary Healy Staff Attorney: Karen Cremer Date Docketed: 08/23/01 Intervention Deadline: N/A

NATURAL GAS

NG01-009

In the Matter of the Application of NorthWestern Public Service for Approval of Tariff Revisions.

Application by NorthWestern Public Service for approval of tariff revisions updating the fuel retention percentage found in the Gas Transportation Tariff General Terms and Conditions. This annual adjustment is proposed to be effective October 1, 2001.

Staff Analyst Dave Jacobson Staff Attorney: Kelly Frazier Date Docketed: 08/29/01 Intervention Deadline: 09/17/01

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In the Matter of the Filing by Qwest Corporation for Approval of Revisions to its Exchange and Network Services Tariff.

On August 23, 2001, Qwest Corporation filed revisions to its Exchange and Network Services Tariff for approval. The purpose of the revisions is to 1) introduce a 1-year Rate Stability Plan (RSP) option for Advanced Digital Switched Services (DSS) arrangements, 2) reduce the non-recurring charge when a DSS facility is provisioned on a DS3, and 3) introduce a Rollover and Signaling Design Change Charge for DSS and UAS. Qwest is also asking for a proposed effective date of September 23, 2001.

Staff Analyst: Heather Forney Staff Attorney: Kelly Frazier Date Occketed 08/23/01 Intervention Deadline: 09/07/01



September 7, 2001

Ms. Heather Forney, Utility Analyst Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Re. Docket TC01-141

Dear Ms. Forney:

Attached are revised pages for Docket TC01-141. The revisions made define a rollover charge and a signaling design change charge.

If you have any questions, please call me on 605-335-4596.

Sincerely,

Colleen E. Sevold

Manager-Regulatory Affairs

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- Loop Diversity and Avoidance defined in the Private Line Transport Services Catalog, is available with DSS.
 - * Customers subscribing to Loop Diversity must also subscribe to additional DSS facilities, common equipment and trunks for the secondary route.
 - * Customers subscribing to Avoidance must pay DS1 ICB transport channel that specified in the Private Line Transport Services Catalog, between the local serving office and the alternate serving office.
- The DSS facility and common equipment may be provided from a foreign central office or foreign exchange at the DS1 interoffice mileage rates specified in the Provide Line Transport Services Catalog. DS1 interoffice mileage discounts may be applicable. Associated charges will be applied to the DSS facility and common equipment and will not apply to the trunks.
- Voice Grade 32 and Voice Grade 33 circuits, and 56 kbps and 64 kbps Digital Services are available with DSS on vacant DSS facility channels at regulations, takes and charges specified in the Private Line Transport Services Catalog.
- Customers are required to provide muxing/demuxing, at the customer premises, for trunks riding the DSS facility, if appropriate.
- Private Mobile Radio Carriers, and Interexchange Carriers in the provision of services to their customers. Other digital services are offered by the Company for interconnection specifically for these Carriers.
- 15 The DSS facility and common equipment for all advanced trunks may be prevened on an existing DS3 facility.
- A Rollover Charge is assessed when a customer has an existing DS3 facility from their premises to their service central office, has multiplexed it to multiple DS1 channels, and is now defining one of the DS1 channels to transport Digital matched Service that has previously been provided on a stand alone DS1 facility.

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The customer may request a Signaling Design Change to their existing service. A Signaling Design Change is a change to a DSS Facility, which requires an engineering review. An engineering review is a review by Company personnel of the existing service and the requested changes to determine what change in the design, if any, is necessary to meet the changes requested by the customer. The Signaling Change charge is assessed when a customer requests a signaling change because the signaling requirements for their PBX or other CPE have changed

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15.1 DIGITAL SWITCHED SERVICE (Cont'd)

D. Rates And Charges

1. DSS will be provided at the following rates and charges:

		USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate
*	Stand alone DSS facility and common equipment, per 24 channel facility			
	 All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks[1] 	D7W	\$1100.00	\$310.00
	- All advanced trunks[1]	D7Z	1100.00	150.00
*	DSS facility and common equipment provisioned on DS3 Service, per DSS facility activated			
	- All advanced trunks	D3F	325.00 (R)	
Ą	Basic trunks with flat-usage, each			
	- In-only trunk with hunting	T2D1X	86.00	30.00
	- Out-only trunk	T2DOX	85.00	30.00
	- Two-way trunk with hunting	T2DCX	86.00	30.00

Same nonrecurring charge applies to change the system from all basic combination tranks to all advanced or vice versa.

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 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each 	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate
 In-only trunk with DID and hunting[1] Out-only trunk with answer supervision Two-way trunk with DID, 	T2J1X	\$81.00	\$23.00
	T2JOX	87.00	23.00
hunting, and answer supervision[1] Two-way data trunk[1]	T2JCX	82.00	23.00
	T2JCD	82.00	23.00

2. Nonrecurring change charges apply as follows:

DSS Facility and Common Equipment Change Charge	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge
 Change system from all basic/combination channels to all advance or vice versa. 	N/A	[2]
 Rollover Charge 		
 Move existing DS1 to DS3 on vacant channels 	N/A	\$325.00
 Signaling Design Change Charge 	REALV	325.00
 Trunk Change Charges 		
 Miscellaneous changes within the categories of basic or advanced. Change from basic trunks to advanced trunks or vice versa. Add, change to or from, or rearrange hunting arrangement 	REAFZ REAF1	38.00 62.00
within a trunk group.	REAF2	39.00

Requires an appropriate Direct Inward Dialing trunk circuit termination at rates and charges as found elsewhere.

^[2] Same nonrecurring charges as for initial installation.

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 - Impital Switched Service Rate Stability Plan
 - The Digital Switched Service Rate Stability Plan (RSP) is an optional payment arrangement, offered under contract between the Company and the customer. USS RSP allows a customer to pay a guaranteed fixed monthly rate for the DSS facility and common equipment over a 1-year to 10-year period, and/or, receive stabilized monthly rates and/or discounted nonrecurring charges for DSS Basic Trunks and Advanced Trunks with DID over a 1-, 3-, 5- and 7-year period.
 - b If Waiver Policy conditions are met, as specified in the Termination Liability/Waiver Policy, set forth in 2.2.14.B., termination charges will not apply if the DSS facility and common equipment for all advanced trunks is moved to an existing DS3 facility.
 - Cuber nonrecurring charges, specified previously, may apply.

d The following rates apply for rate stabilized DSS facility and common equipment.

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OSS facility and common equipment, per 24 channel facility

- * 1 Year
 - Discounted DS1 with advanced trunks only[1] D7ZDA \$ 935.00 \$145.00 (N)
- * 3 years

n	All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks All advanced trunks Discounted DS1 with basic trunks	D7W2X D7Z2X	1,100.00 1,100.00	290.00 126.90
jo-	or a combination of basic and advanced trunks[1] Discounted DS1 with	D7WD3	550.00	290.00
	advanced trunks only[1]	D7ZD3	550.00	126.90

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		USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE	
奉	5 years				(M)
	 All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks All advanced trunks Discounted DS1 with basic trunks 	D7W3X D7Z3X	\$1,100.00 1,100.00	\$275.00 109.98	
	or a combination of basic and advanced trunks[1]	D7WD5	_	275.00	
	 Discounted DS1 with advanced trunks only[1] 	D7ZD5	_	109.98	(M)

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	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE	
* 7 years				
 All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunks All advanced trunks Discounted DS1 with basic trunks 	D7W4X D7Z4X		\$275.00 108.57	
or a combination of basic and advanced trunks[1]	D7WD7		275.00	
- Discounted DS1 with advanced trunks only[1]	D7ZD7		108.57	
• 10 years				
All basic trunks or a combination of basic and advanced trunksAll advanced trunks	D7W5X D7Z5X		275.00 105.75	
Discounted DSS facility and common equipment provisioned on DS3 Service per DSS facility activated[1]	, ————————————————————————————————————			
 1 year All advanced trunks 	D3FDA	325.00		(N) (N)
3 yearsAll advanced trunks	D3FD3	325.00 (R)	_	
5 yearsAll advanced trunks	D3FD5	MATE.	-	
7 yearsAll advanced trunks	D3FD7	-		

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e. The following trunks are available on a rate stabilized basis. The following rates apply for all 1-year rate stabilized trunks or under 241 3-year to 10-year rate stabilized trunks. All 3-year to 10-year rate stabilized trunks in quantities of 241 or more, shall be priced on an Individual Case Basis.

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	USOC No	ONRECURRING CHARGE	MONTHLY RATE	
(1) 1-Year Plan				(N)
 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with answer supervision Two-way trunk with DID and answer supervision 	TY411 TY4O1 TY4C1	\$111.35 73.95 112.20	\$56.50 22.31 56.50	(N)
(2) 3-Year Plan				(T)
 Basic trunks with flat usage, each[1] In-only trunk Out-only trunk Two-way trunk 	T5F13 T5F03 T5FC3	43.00 43.00 43.00	56.00 (I) 22.00 (R) 56.00 (I)	
 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with answer supervision Two-way trunk with DID and answer supervision 	TY413 TY4O3 TY4C3	65.50 43.50 66.00	57.00 23.60 57.00	
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Requires a 1-, 3-, 5- or 7-year contract for the DS1 in addition to this rate.

^[2] Separate DID Trunk Termination charges do not apply.

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	USOC	Nonrecurring Charge	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE	
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 Basic trunks with flat usage, each[1] In-only trunk Out-only trunk Two-way trunk 	T5F15 T5F05 T5FC5		\$27.60 27.60 27.60	(M)
 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with 		-	54.00	
answer supervision - I wo-way trunk with D and answer supervision		_	21.60 54.00	
(4) 7-Year Plan				(T)
 Basic trunks with flat usage, each[1] In-only trunk Out-only trunk Two-way trunk 	T5F17 T5F07 T5FC7	 	27.60 27.60 27.60	
 Advanced trunks with fla usage, each[1,2] In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with answer supervision Two-way trunk with D 	TY417 TY4O7		54.00 21.60	
and answer supervision	n TY4C7		54.00	

¹¹¹ Requires a 1-, 3-, 5- or 7-year contract for the DS1 in addition to this rate.

^[2] Separate DID Trunk Termination charges do not apply.



October 17, 2001

Ms. Heather Forney, Utility Analyst Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Re: Docket TC01-141

Dear Ms Forney:

I have attached a revised Page 9 for this filing. According to the Product Manager, she did not notice that some of the rates were incorrect.

I have also attached another document which she believes will answer your questions — Late Request Responses.

The non-recurring costs shown on Attachment A are Total Service Long Run Incremental costs (TSLRIC). In addition to these costs are Directly Attributable Costs and Common Costs. The contribution shown is the difference between the price and TSLRIC. This contribution number then represents the amount that goes toward covering Directly Attributable Costs and Common Costs. This contribution amount may also contribute towards some profit. The TSLRIC does include costs associated with some elements for which there is a cost of money.

If you have any further questions, I would suggest we have a conference call with the Product Manager.

Sincerely.

Colleen E. Sevold

Manager-Regulatory Affairs

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15.1 DIGITAL SWITCHED SERVICE

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The following trunks are available on a rate stabilized basis. The following rates apply for all 1-year rate stabilized trunks or under 241 3-year to 10-year rate stabilized trunks. All 3-year to 10-year rate stabilized trunks in quantities of 241 or more, shall be priced on an Individual Case Basis.

		USOC	NONRECURRING CHARGE	STABILIZED MONTHLY RATE
, market Specific man	1-Year Plan			
	 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with 	TY411	\$111.35	\$56.50
	answer supervision	TY401	73.95	22.31
	 Two-way trunk with DID and answer supervision 	TY4C1	112.20	56.50
(2)	3-Year Plan			
	Basic trunks with flat			
	usage, each[1] - In-only trunk - Out-only trunk - Two-way trunk	T5F13 T5FO3 T5FC3	43.00 43.00 43.00	28.50 28.50 28.50
	 Advanced trunks with flat usage, each[1,2] 			
	 In-only trunk with DID Out-only trunk with 	TY413	65.50	56.00 (R)
	answer supervision Two-way trunk with DID	TY4O3	43.50	22.00 (R)
	and answer supervision	TY4C3	66.00	56.00 (R)

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Requires a 1-, 3-, 5- or 7-year contract for the DS1 in addition to this rate.

^[2] Separate DID Trunk Termination charges do not apply.

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Nevember 29, 2001

Ms. Debra Elofson, Executive Director Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building Fierre, South Dakota 57501

Re: Docket TC01-141

Dear Ms. Elofson:

Owest is hereby notifying the Commission that it is withdrawing the filing made in Docket TC01-141.

We would appreciate acknowledgment of receipt of this letter. A duplicate copy is attached for your convenience.

Sincerely.

Calleen E. Sevold

Manager-Policy & Law

CC: Heather Forney, Utility Analyst



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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY QWEST)
CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL OF) W
REVISIONS TO ITS EXCHANGE AND) A
NETWORK SERVICES TARIFF)

ORDER PERMITTING
WITHDRAWAL OF FILING
AND CLOSING DOCKET
TC01-141

On August 23, 2001, Qwest Corporation (Qwest) filed revisions to its exchange and network services tariff for approval with the Public Utilities Commission (Commission). The purpose of the revisions was to 1) introduce a 1-year Rate Stability Plan (RSP) option for Advanced Digital Switched Services (DSS) arrangements, 2) reduce the non-recurring charge when a DSS facility is provisioned on a DS3, and 3) introduce a Rollover and Signaling Design Charge Charge for DSS and UAS. Qwest asked for a proposed effective date of September 23, 2001.

On December 3, 2001, Qwest requested that its filing be withdrawn.

At its regularly scheduled December 12, 2001, meeting, the Commission considered this matter. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL 49-31-3 and ARSD 20:10:01:02.04. The Commission found that Qwest's request to withdraw its filing is reasonable and closed the docket. It is therefore

ORDERED, that Qwest shall be permitted to withdraw its filing, and it is further ORDERED, that this docket is closed.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 2000 day of December, 2001.

The undersigned hereby certifies that this decument has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly acutressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon. By Allamas Allas (OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

JAMES A. BURG, Chairman

PAM NELSON, Commissioner