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From: Guy Miller [mailto:guy.miller@CenturyTel.com]
Sent: Thursday, October 17, 2002 4:51 PM
To: dayna.garvin@wcom.com
Cc: Huynh, Doan; Morris, Stephen F.
Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Yes, if you do have existing agreements with Verizon in MO then these are honored until one year from the acquisition date (until 8/31/03). Just tell us which agreement applies to your requests. I am unclear if you can just pick one to use overall or if the physical switch and network- Brooks vs, ICIX- dictates which applies. I suspect the latter but will ask Regulatory for clarification from the PSC.

Your interconnection orders for MO will be placed in a different Access Services Center than the one for which I gave a fax number to you earlier today. I will be traveling tomorrow but can follow up with obtaining the MO fax number for you on Monday.

Guy

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From: Dayna Garvin [mailto:dayna.garvin@wcom.com]
Sent: Thursday, October 17, 2002 6:21 PM
To: Guy Miller
Cc: 'Huynh, Doan'; Morris, Stephen F.
Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO
Importance: High

Guy,

As promised, I am getting back to you on what we believe to be our next steps in Missouri.

Steve Morris, my Regulatory contact for Missouri, reminded me that the MO PSC stipulation order regarding CenturyTel's acquisition of the Verizon properties in MO., allows us to continue to operate under our existing contracts with Verizon in MO until we negotiate a new contract with Century. We currently have contracts for Brooks and Intermedia in MO with Verizon.

So..I have instructed Darren Dickson, my MO network engineer to further discussions for interconnection with Century based on the fact that we do indeed have an interconnection agreement in place that can be used until we replace with a CenturyTel contract. Darren was told that no work toward interconnection could transpire until we had a valid contract. Based on the stipulation agreement, we believe one is in place.

Concurrently, if you could continue to review whether there will be an ICA available in the very near future for us to review, I would appreciate you sending it to me once filed with the MO Commission so we can continue our work toward an agreement with CenturyTel.

Dayna

-----Original Message-----

From: Dayna Garvin [mailto:dayna.garvin@wcom.com]

Sent: Friday, October 18, 2002 12:26 PM

To: Guy Miller

Cc: 'Huynh, Doan'; 'Morris, Stephen F.'

Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Thanks Guy. We will likely use both the Intermedia and Brooks agreements, as we have both companies serving different areas. Thank you in advance for the fax number in Missouri. I'll make sure our network engineers get this number, when provided, on Monday.

Dayna

-----Original Message-----

From: Guy Miller [mailto:guy.miller@CenturyTel.com]

Sent: Monday, October 21, 2002 8:48 AM

To: dayna.garvin@wcom.com

Cc: Huynh, Doan; Morris, Stephen F.

Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

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-----Original Message-----

From: Dayna Garvin [mailto:dayna.garvin@wcom.com]
Sent: Monday, October 21, 2002 12:14 PM
To: Guy Miller
Cc: 'Huynh, Doan'; 'Morris, Stephen F.'
Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Guy, received this message from my network engineer, this morning. Will you advise Craig Brown that we do indeed have a valid ICA to begin work in MO.

I will forward the fax number to network engineering, but would appreciate you talking with your engineering group so that these orders will not be rejected.

Thanks.

P.S. Howard Saltzman did speak with John McCallister who stated that while he was willing to help, he is not in charge of CLEC network interconnection. So, do we escalate network issues to you?

I called Craig Brown at Century this morning and asked to set-up a network planning meeting. Craig stated that we do not have an ICA approved yet and that he cannot have a meeting until he gets the word that there is a valid contract. He also stated that he talked with John McCallister(Century) this morning and that John was not aware that they have to honor our ICG opted into contract.

Can you have Guy Miller get ahold of John McCallister and Craig Brown to let them know that we do indeed have a signed contract that Century has to honor!

Thanks,

Darren L. Dickson

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Planning Engineer

Local Network Planning - Switch

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From: Guy Miller [mailto:guy.miller@CenturyTel.com]
Sent: Monday, October 21, 2002 1:09 PM
To: dayna.garvin@wcom.com
Cc: Huynh, Doan; Morris, Stephen F.
Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Dayna-

I am afraid nothing is ever simple in our world...

First, the good news- yes, I finally did get the fax re MCI Metro's opting in to the ICG- AL agreement. I have instructed our appropriate folks to work with WCOM regarding any AL interconnection request pursuant to the language of the agreement.

The bad news- Re MO, you indicated that your Intermedia and Brooks Fiber acquisitions has interconnection agreements with Verizon in MO. I correctly agreed that if that was so, that CenturyTel would honor those agreements until 8/30/03 per the MO PUC stipulation. Unfortunately, there are no such agreements in the Verizon database. Let me be clear- we have access directly into the Verizon server wherein resides their agreements; this is not a CTL database, it is Verizon's. For the state of MO, I can find no ICIX or Brooks agreements (nor any other known WCOM entity). Obviously, we cannot accept any interconnection order without verifying that an agreement exists and confirming our interconnection obligations within the agreement language.

If you have physical copies of the signed agreements, you may send hard copies directly to me at 100 CenturyTel, Monroe, LA 71203 or less preferable, send me an email with a PDF copy showing the signatures. Option 2 is for WCOM to contact Verizon and determine why they have no record of these agreements in the server to which they have given CTL access for just this purpose then let me know when they have verified that they exist and placed them in the database.

I will gladly release our folks to work with you once we have this issue properly resolved.

Guy

-----Original Message-----

From: Guy Miller [mailto:guy.miller@CenturyTel.com]

Sent: Monday, October 21, 2002 2:12 PM

To: dayna.garvin@wcom.com

Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

California?

Dayna-

I just want you to know I am not deliberately being obstructive. I just need to see something in writing with a signature. I was willing to do the legwork using the Verizon server since that is rather easy for me, they just weren't there...

If you can get Myra or somebody to send me copies, we can get this on the road for you the minute I see those agreements.

Guy

-----Original Message-----

From: Dayna Garvin [mailto:dayna.garvin@wcom.com]
Sent: Monday, October 21, 2002 3:28 PM
To: 'Guy Miller'; Jespersen, Kathy; Neal, Myra
Cc: 'Huynh, Doan'; 'Morris, Stephen F.'
Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO
Importance: High

Guy,

I have copied my counterpart who handles Verizon, Kathy Jespersen on this response. I am quite sure they opted Brooks and Intermedia into Verizon agreements. Per my understanding, Verizon finally agreed to let them opt into the CA Verizon/ICG contract as the opt in for Missouri.

Kathy, Myra; will you confirm.

Steve Morris: I believe you told me that the opt ins were approved by the MO Commission on August 21st? Please confirm.

Dayna

-----Original Message-----

From: Myra Neal [mailto:myra.neal@wcom.com]
Sent: Monday, October 21, 2002 3:42 PM
To: dayna.garvin@wcom.com; Guy Miller; Jespersen, Kathy
Cc: 'Huynh, Doan'; 'Morris, Stephen F.'
Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Dayna,

Intermedia and Brooks opted into the ICG Telecom Group/GTE California on June 18, 2002 the Commission received the joint filings. The Commission approved both of the agreements on August 15, 2002 case numbers CK-2002-1145 and CK-2002-1146.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Dayna Garvin [mailto:dayna.garvin@wcom.com]

Sent: Monday, October 21, 2002 5:53 PM

To: 'Guy Miller'; Neal, Myra; Jespersen, Kathy; Morris, Stephen F.

Cc: Huynh, Doan

Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Myra, Kathy, Steve: I have a copy of the VZ (GTE/ICG) agreement electronically but it is not the final document for Brooks and Intermedia in MO. Will you provide an electronic copy of the final contracts please to Guy Miller?

-----Original Message-----

From: Guy Miller [mailto:guy.miller@CenturyTel.com]

Sent: Tuesday, October 22, 2002 8:52 AM

To: myra.neal@wcom.com; dayna.garvin@wcom.com; Jespersen, Kathy; Morris, Stephen F.

Cc: Huynh, Doan

Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

The Commission order is printing out as I type this. Re the agreement, yes, I need a copy. As you would do for your own company, I cannot agree to follow any specific obligations until I have the written and signed text of those obligations to reference. You may send the hard copy to me at 100 CenturyTel Drive, Monroe, LA 71203. Upon receipt, I will notify our engineering and field personnel of our specific interconnection obligations. Please note, however, that I will be in Dallas all day tomorrow. If your copy arrives then, I will process it first thing Thursday AM upon my return to the office.

Guy

-----Original Message-----

From: Myra Neal [mailto:myra.neal@wcom.com]

Sent: Tuesday, October 22, 2002 10:31 AM

To: dayna.garvin@wcom.com; Guy Miller; Jespersen, Kathy; Morris, Stephen F.

Cc: Huynh, Doan

Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Dayna,

I have confirmed with Steve and we do not have an electronic copy of the ICG Telecom Group and Verizon California agreement that we filed in Missouri. I do have a hard copy of that ICA, if Guy is willing to send me his mailing information I can overnight a copy to him. Guy should also have on his fax the Commission order that includes the Brooks and Intermedia notices updates and the signatures pages of the parties in agreement to the adoption.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Dayna Garvin [mailto:Dayna.Garvin@wcom.com]
Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2002 6:24 PM
To: Guy Miller; myra.neal@wcom.com; 'Morris, Stephen F.'
Cc: 'Huynh, Doan'; Dickson, Darren L.
Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

Guy,

Hope your trip to Dallas was a good one. As you can imagine, my network folk are anxious to get started.

Can you give me the high sign that we are able to start discussions in Missouri? I know that Myra Neal sent you a hard copy of the Verizon agreement. Please let me know if there are additional issues.

Dayna

-----Original Message-----

From: Guy Miller [mailto:guy.miller@CenturyTel.com]

Sent: Friday, October 25, 2002 7:28 AM

To: Dayna.Garvin@wcom.com; myra.neal@wcom.com; Morris, Stephen F.

Cc: Huynh, Doan; Dickson, Darren L.

Subject: RE: Interconnection agreement in MO

I informed the MO engineer that we had a valid agreement and he could accept your request for discussion. I put a copy of the relevant interconnection sections in the mail to him so that he would know what the language obligates us to. He should receive that mailing sometime today.

Guy