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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
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Re: Case No. TA-2000-815

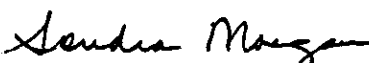
Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed please find the original plus eight (8) copies of Amendment to Application for filing on behalf of CenturyTel Northwest Arkansas, LLC in the above referenced matter. Please bring this matter to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel. A copy of this filing is being sent to all parties of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.

By: 
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Enclosures

cc: Office of Public Counsel
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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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In the Matter of the Application of)
CenturyTel Northwest Arkansas, LLC)
for Designation as a Telecommunications)
Company Carrier Eligible for Federal Universal)
Service Support pursuant to § 254 of the)
Telecommunications Act of 1996.)

Case No. TA-2000-815

AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION

Comes now CenturyTel Northwest Arkansas, LLC ("CenturyTel" or "Applicant") and for its Amendment to Application states to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") as follows:

1. On June 14, 2000, CenturyTel filed an application with the Commission requesting that it be designated as an eligible carrier to receive Universal Service Fund support pursuant to Section 254 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

2. On June 19, 2000, the Commission issued its Order Directing Filing directing CenturyTel to file an amended pleading or exhibit in order to comply with Commission rules 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(K) and (L).

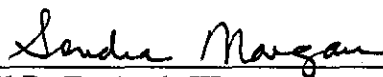
3. Since CenturyTel is a newly certificated company which has not yet begun to provide service to customers, CenturyTel does not have any pending action or final unsatisfied judgments or decisions against it from any state or federal agency or court which involve customer service or rates, which action, judgment or decision has occurred within three (3) years of the date of the application.

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4. Since CenturyTel is a newly certificated company which has not yet begun to provide service to customers, no annual report or assessment fees are overdue.

Wherefore, CenturyTel respectfully requests that the Commission accept its Amendment to Application and consider the information found therein along with its prior Application and for any other relief appropriate in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,



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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was hand-delivered this 20th day of June, 2000 to:

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