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Service Commission**

Mr. Carson Coffman
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Also Sent Via Facsimile to 573-256-6201.

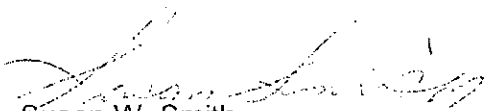
Subject: Agreement between Socket Telecom, LLC and GTE Midwest
Incorporated

Dear Mr. Coffman;

As you are aware, on March 21, 2002 an Agreement was signed between Socket Telecom, LLC and GTE Midwest Incorporated (d/b/a Verizon) adopting the Interconnection, Resale and Unbundling Agreement between GTE Midwest Incorporated and AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. with those agreed upon exceptions noted in the adoption letter. The adoption was approved on July 7, 2002 in Case No. TK-2002-1085, by the Public Service Commission of the State of Missouri. This Agreement contains provisions regarding capacity planning and forecasting that have not been adhered to by Socket Telecom, LLC. The Agreement also contains provisions for cost recovery that we would like to discuss with your company. We have received a copy of the forecast provided to LaCondra Thompson by Socket on February 18, 2004; however, certain items on this forecast appear inaccurate and also need to be discussed further. It is CenturyTel's desire to establish a meeting with Socket as soon as possible to discuss the Agreement, Socket's immediate and future trunking needs, and how they may be accommodated.

We look forward to meeting with Socket on these issues as soon as possible.
Please contact me at (903)792-3499 to establish a convenient time.

Sincerely,


Susan W. Smith
Director - External Affairs

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Phone: _____	Date: <u>03-24-04</u>
Re: <u>Agreement</u>	CC: _____
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