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Ms. Sandra Paske  
Secretary to the Commission  
Public Service Commission of Wisconsin  
P.O. Box 7854  
Madison, Wisconsin 53707-7854

Re: Application for the Approval of an Interconnection Agreement negotiated between Wisconsin Bell, Inc., d/b/a AT&T Wisconsin and Level 3 Communications, LLC

Dear Ms. Paske:

Wisconsin Bell, Inc., d/b/a AT&T Wisconsin and Level 3 Communications, LLC hereby request approval, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 252, of this Interconnection Agreement negotiated between Wisconsin Bell, Inc., d/b/a AT&T Wisconsin and Level 3 Communications, LLC.

I have been authorized by Level 3 Communications, LLC to submit for Commission approval, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. s 252(e), the attached agreement.

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Sincerely,

Janet Arnold

Attachment

**AMENDMENT**

**BETWEEN**

**WISCONSIN BELL, INC. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN**

**AND**

**LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS, LLC**



Signature:       eSigned - Gary Black      

Signature:       eSigned - Kristen E. Shore      

Name:       eSigned - Gary Black        
(Print or Type)

Name:       eSigned - Kristen E. Shore        
(Print or Type)

Title:       VP-Carrier Relations        
(Print or Type)

Title:       Executive Director-Regulatory        
(Print or Type)

Date:       06 Feb 2015      

Date:       09 Feb 2015      

**Level 3 Communications, LLC**

**Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN by  
AT&T Services, Inc., its authorized agent**

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| State     | CLEC OCN |
| WISCONSIN | 5489     |

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| ACNA(s)     | LVC          |

**AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
WISCONSIN BELL, INC. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN  
AND  
LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS, LLC**

This Amendment (the "Amendment") amends the Interconnection Agreement by and between Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Wisconsin ("AT&T WISCONSIN") (previously referred to as "SBC Wisconsin") and Level 3 Communications, LLC ("Level 3"). AT&T WISCONSIN and Level 3 are hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties" and individually as a "Party".

WHEREAS, AT&T WISCONSIN and Level 3 are parties to an Interconnection Agreement under Sections 251 and 252 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), dated February 22, 2005 and as subsequently amended (the "Agreement"); and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual agreements set forth herein, the Parties agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

1. This Amendment is composed of the foregoing recitals, the terms and conditions contained herein, and Pricing Sheet immediately following, all of which are hereby incorporated in this Amendment by this reference and constitute a part of this Amendment.
2. The Parties agree to amend the Agreement to add sections 4.2.12 through 4.2.12.8 to Appendix 911, as follows:
  - 4.2.12 Additional Level 3 Responsibilities where Level 3 is transporting 911 calls from wireless carrier or Commercial Mobile Radio Service providers. These provisions shall apply in addition to the above Facilities and Trunking responsibilities.
    - 4.2.12.1 "E911 Customer" means a municipality or other state or local government unit, of one (1) or more municipalities or other state or local government units to which authority has been lawfully delegated to administer the 911 system within their jurisdiction pertaining to the emergency systems, including the establishment of service specifications and granting of final approval (or denial) of service configurations that are or will be provided by Level 3, at a minimum, for emergency police and fire services through the use of one (1) telephone number, 911, rather than an individual PSAP. "Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP)" means an answering location for 911 calls originating in a given area. The E911 Customer may designate a PSAP as primary or secondary, which refers to the order in which calls are directed for answering. Primary PSAPs answer calls; secondary PSAPs receive calls on a transfer basis. PSAPs are public safety agencies such as police, fire, emergency medical, etc., or a common bureau serving a group of such entities.
    - 4.2.12.2 Where Level 3 has existing trunk arrangements for the commingling of wireline and wireless traffic ("commingled") or places orders for new commingled trunk arrangements and/or augmentation from the Level 3 Switch and the applicable AT&T Selective Router, Level 3 certifies and attests that it has represented to

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each E911 Customer that wireline and wireless traffic types will be routed over the same common trunk group and assures that such certification and attestation is true and accurate. Therefore, the default routing will be the same for both traffic types, and that the E911 Customer has approved such commingled trunk arrangements.

- 4.2.12.3 Level 3 shall order a separate E911 Trunk Group from **AT&T WISCONSIN** for each county, default PSAP, or other geographic area that Level 3 serves when the E911 Customer for such county or geographic area has a specified varying default routing condition.
- 4.2.12.4 Where separate trunking is required by the E911 Customer, Level 3 shall order and maintain Type 2C Trunk Groups (as defined below) for E911 traffic that originates as wireless or Commercial Mobile Radio Service (“CMRS”) traffic destined for the appropriate E911 Selective Router; and it will order and maintain separate Trunk Groups for E911 traffic that originates as wireline traffic (“Wireline Trunk Groups”) destined for the appropriate E911 Selective Router. Except as otherwise advised by Level 3 to AT&T, all Trunk Groups will be used for commingled traffic from other carriers. Applicable rates for E911 Trunks are commission approved and are set forth in the Pricing Sheet. Type 2C Trunk Groups provide a one-way terminating Trunk-Side connection between Level 3 and **AT&T WISCONSIN**'s E911 Selective Router and are equipped to provide access to E911 services for wireless traffic.
- 4.2.12.4.1 Level 3 may combine Type 2C Trunk Groups and Wireline Trunk Groups over the same DS1 facilities, provided that the facilities are obtained from the applicable Access Tariff. In addition, other than in **AT&T CALIFORNIA** and **AT&T NEVADA**, the facilities must terminate directly into AT&T's E911 Selective Router (e.g., not through a Digital Access and Crossconnect System (“DACs”). In **AT&T CALIFORNIA** and **AT&T NEVADA**, the DS1 facilities must connect to a predefined hub/multiplexer rather than directly to the E911 Selective Router.
- 4.2.12.5 Level 3 shall submit ASRs in accordance with **AT&T WISCONSIN**'s technical references located on AT&T's Prime Access and CLEC Online websites to order Type 2C Trunk Groups and Wireline Trunk Groups, respectively.
- 4.2.12.6 When Level 3 requests diverse facilities, **AT&T WISCONSIN** will provide such diversity where technically feasible, at standard tariff rates.
- 4.2.12.7 Level 3 is responsible for the resolution of all 911 issues that arise on the Level 3 Trunk Groups due to the commingling of E911 traffic. “Level 3 Trunk Group” means a group (set) of one or more 911 trunks (DS0 switch port, or DS0 channel on a DS1 switch port) from a Level 3 switch capable of transmitting Automatic Number Identification (ANI) associated with a call to 911 from Level 3 to **AT&T WISCONSIN**'s Selective Router to the E-911 System. This includes Type 2C Trunk Groups and Wireline Trunk Groups.
- 4.2.12.8 **AT&T WISCONSIN** shall not be liable to Level 3, its End Users or E911 calling parties, or any other parties or persons for any Loss arising out of the provision of E911 Service as set forth in this Amendment or for any errors, interruptions,

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defects, failures or malfunctions of E911 Service, including any and all equipment and data processing systems associated therewith. Therefore, in addition to the indemnification provisions set forth in the Agreement, Level 3 shall indemnify and hold **AT&T WISCONSIN** harmless against any Claim or Loss arising from the use of E911 Services provided herein. Notwithstanding the above, **AT&T WISCONSIN's** liability and potential damages, if any, for its recklessness or intentional misconduct, is not limited by any provision of this Amendment.

3. EXCEPT AS MODIFIED HEREIN, ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE UNDERLYING AGREEMENT SHALL REMAIN UNCHANGED AND IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.
4. In entering into this Amendment, neither Party waives, and each Party expressly reserves, any rights, remedies or arguments it may have at law or under the intervening law or regulatory change provisions in the underlying Agreement (including intervening law rights asserted by either Party via written notice) with respect to any orders, decisions, legislation or proceedings and any remands thereof.
5. This Amendment shall not modify or extend the Effective Date or Term of the underlying Agreement, but rather, shall be coterminous with such Agreement.
6. Pursuant to Wisconsin Statute § 196.40, this Amendment shall become effective ten (10) calendar days after the mailing date of the final order approving this Amendment.

PRICING SHEETS

| Attachment | State | Product                   | Rate Element Description                                        | COS (Class of Service) | USOC  | Zone | Monthly Recurring Charge (MRC) | Non-Recurring Charge (NRC) First | Non-Recurring Charge (NRC) Additional | Per Unit |
|------------|-------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-------|------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Wireline 5 | WI    | EMERGENCY NUMBER SERVICES | 911 Selective Router Interconnection - Analog Channel Interface | OE9XX                  | EVG9X |      | \$ 26.29                       | \$ 737.59                        |                                       |          |
| Wireless 5 | WI    | 911/E911                  | 911 Trunks - Per Trunk Terminated                               |                        | EVG9X |      | \$ 26.29                       | \$ 737.59                        |                                       |          |