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Federal Communications Commission
Experimental Radio Service
P.O. Box 358320
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Attention: Kimberly Baum, Room 230
Electronic Engineer
Experimental Licensing Bureau

Re: U S WEST Communications, Inc.
FCC Form 442 Application for New
Experimental Radio Service Authorization

Gentlemen:

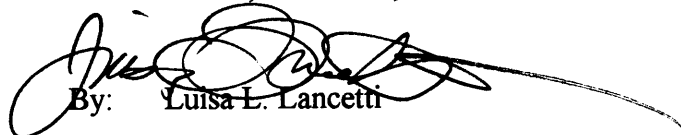
U S WEST Communications, Inc. ("Applicant"), by its attorneys, hereby submits for filing an original and two copies of an application on FCC Form 442 for a new Experimental Radio Service authorization.

Applicant seeks experimental authority in order to test LMDS technology utilizing experimental equipment. Applicant respectfully requests expedited consideration of the subject application. Applicant is concurrently filing a request for Special Temporary Authority for a period of 60 days pending issuance of permanent authorization.

This application is accompanied by a check made payable to the Federal Communications Commission for \$45 for the prescribed filing fee (Fee Code EAE). Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Elridge Stafford at (202) 429-3134.

Sincerely,

WILKINSON, BARKER, KNAUER & QUINN


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Enclosures

cc: Ms. Kimberly Baum, FCC
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