The Arizona Consumers Council through the undersigned and pursuant to A.A.C. Rules moves to intervene the matter captioned above. In support of this motion, the Arizona Consumers Council states as follows:

1. The Arizona Consumers Council is voluntary non-profit consumer organization created under the laws of Arizona.

2. The Council has represented its supporters, residents and the public of the state of Arizona before this commission in a number of dockets including Electric Restructuring Rules, APS and TEP cases as well as a number of dockets involving Qwest and its predecessor companies.

3. The Council has testified before this Commission in various issues concerning the former U.S. West as well as Qwest.

4. The Arizona Consumers Council, its supporters and those consumers we represent will be directly and substantially affected by the decisions made in this proceeding.

5. Intervention by the Council will not materially affect the processes and will give the Commission a view of the issues not now contemplated by the parties to this Docket.

6. Granting of this Application will not unduly broaden the issues presented by the parties to the proceeding.
7. I apologize if this request is late but I only recently received notification of this proceeding.

For the reasons presented, The Arizona Consumers Council respectfully requests that this Motion to Intervene be granted.

RESPECTFULLY submitted this 7th day of September, 2004

ARIZONA CONSUMERS COUNCIL

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