

**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

August 27, 2020

Ms. Debra Howland  
Executive Director and Secretary  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 South Fruit Street  
Concord, NH 03301

**RE: Interconnection Agreement between TDS Telecom and Level 3 Communications, L.L.C.**

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing is an Interconnection Agreement (the "Agreement") between TDS Telecommunications LLC ("TDS Telecom") and Level 3 Communications, L.C.C. ("Level 3"). The Agreement is filed jointly on behalf of TDS Telecom and Level 3.

**TDS Telecom and Level 3 jointly request that the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission ("NHPUC") approve the Agreement, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 252(e).**

The Agreement is the result of arms-length negotiations between the two parties, does not discriminate against any other telecommunications carrier, and is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity. Approval of the Agreement will increase competition and will likely benefit New Hampshire consumers.

The Agreement is filed in electronic format in accordance with the NHPUC's suspension of the paper filing rules. Hard copies of the filing will not follow.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure

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