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Jean Jewell, Secretary  
Idaho Public Utilities Commission  
472 West Washington Street  
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CEN-T-14-05  
CGS-T-14-05

**Re: Case No.: [New]  
Application for Approval Interconnection Agreement**

Dear Ms. Jewell:

Enclosed for filing are an original and three (3) copies of the Interim Interconnection Agreement by and between CenturyTel of Idaho, Inc. d/b/a/ CenturyLink, CenturyTel of the Gem State, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink and Electric Lightwave LLC for the State of Idaho. CenturyLink respectfully requests that this matter be placed on the Commission Decision Meeting Agenda for expedited approval.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning the enclosed. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Maura E. Peterson

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Enclosure

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**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**APPLICATION OF CENTURYTEL OF  
IDAHO, INC. d/b/a CENTURYLINK AND  
CENTURYTEL OF THE GEM STATE,  
INC. d/b/a CENTURYLINK FOR  
APPROVAL OF THE  
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT  
WITH ELECTRIC LIGHTWAVE LLC  
FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO PURSUANT  
TO 47 U.S.C. §252(e)**

CASE NO.:

CEN-T-14-05  
CGS-T-14-05

**APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF  
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT**

CenturyTel of Idaho, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink and CenturyTel of the Gem State, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink") hereby file this Application for Approval of Interim Interconnection Agreement by and between CenturyTel of Idaho, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink, CenturyTel of the Gem State, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink and Electric Lightwave LLC for the State of Idaho. The Agreement with Electric Lightwave LLC ("Electric Lightwave") is submitted herewith.

This Agreement was reached through voluntary negotiations without resort to mediation or arbitration and is submitted for approval pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended by the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "Act").

Section 252(e)(2) of the Act directs that a state Commission may reject an agreement reached through voluntary negotiations only if the Commission finds that: the agreement (or portion(s) thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to this