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APPLICATION OF CENTURYTEL O SAN MARCOS, INC. d/b/a CENTURYLINK FOR APPROVAL OF LRIC STUDY FOR CONVENIENCE FEE CHARGE PURSUANT TO SUBST. R. 26.214	§	PUBLIC UTILITY OF TE	CLERK ISSA

COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION ON DEFICIENCY/COMPLETENESS OF APPLICATION

Staff recommends the application be deemed sufficient, based on the attached memorandum of Stephen Mendoza. This recommendation does not address the merits of the application; such a recommendation will be filed as prescribed by the Administrative Law Judge.

Dated: July 9, 2013

Respectfully Submitted,

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I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on July 9, 2013, in accordance with P.U.C. Procedural Rule 22.74.

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Memorandum

TO:

Maria Faconti

Legal Division

FROM:

Stephen Mendoza

Rate Regulation Division

DATE:

July 9, 2013

RE:

Docket No. 41585 – Application of CenturyTel of San Marcos, Inc. for Approval

of LRIC Study for Convenience Fee Charge, Pursuant to P.U.C. SUBST. R.

26.214

On June 14, 2013, CenturyTel of San Marcos, Inc. ("CenturyTel/San Marcos") filed a notice of intent to file a long run incremental cost (LRIC) study for Convenience Fee Charge pursuant to P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.214. On June 17, 2013, Order No. 1 was issued which required the Commission Staff (Staff) to file a recommendation regarding the sufficiency of the LRIC study. On July 5, 2013, CenturyTel/San Marcos filed its LRIC study.

After reviewing the LRIC study submitted by CenturyTel/San Marcos, Staff recommends that it be deemed **SUFFICIENT** under P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.214(d)(2).

