

Decision No. C04-0810

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO**

DOCKET NO. 02M-259T

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IN THE MATTER OF QWEST CORPORATION'S COLORADO PERFORMANCE  
ASSURANCE PLAN.

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**COMMISSION ORDER**

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Mailed Date: July 23, 2004  
Adopted Date: July 20, 2004

**I. BY THE COMMISSION**

**A. Statement**

1. The Colorado Performance Assurance Plan of Qwest Corporation calls for an Independent Monitor to perform various dispute resolution services for the Commission. By Decision No. C03-60, January 16, 2004, the Commission appointed Telecom Dispute Solutions, Inc., Ashton, Maryland, as the Independent Monitor. By this Order the Commission appoints Thomas G. Barkin of Eugene, Oregon as the successor Independent Monitor, effectively immediately.

2. It is essential that the Independent Monitor be served with all filings that are made in this docket. The order below sets forth the manner in which parties will serve the Independent Monitor.

**II. ORDER**

**A. The Commission Orders That:**

1. Thomas G. Barkin, Eugene, Oregon, is appointed the Independent Monitor under Qwest Corporation's Colorado Performance Assurance Plan. The Commission approves the

assignment of all rights and obligations to Barkin under the Services Agreement previously entered into between the Commission and Telecom Dispute Solutions, Inc., on January 15, 2003.

2. All pleadings and filings shall be served on the Independent Monitor by both email and first-class mail. Service by email shall be to [tpmbarkin@yahoo.com](mailto:tpmbarkin@yahoo.com). Service by first-class mail shall be sent to the following address:

Thomas G. Barkin  
2190 Charnelton Street  
Eugene, Oregon 97405

3. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING  
July 20, 2004.**

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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