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Name: U S WEST, Inc.

Internal Address: Law Department, 1801 California Street,

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**ASSIGNMENT**

For the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, James R. Corliss, of 12481 Fillmore Street, Thornton, Colorado 80241, do hereby assign, sell and set over to U S WEST, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a place of business at 1801 California Street, Denver, Colorado 80202, U.S.A., hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, domestic and foreign, in and to the inventions and discoveries in

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set forth in the application for United States Letters Patent executed by me on this 8 day of October 1998, including the right of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives to make applications and to receive Letters Patent for said inventions and discoveries in any and all foreign countries in its or their own name or names, or in my name, at its or their election, and I hereby assign, sell and set over to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, all rights of priority in and to said inventions and discoveries in all countries.

And I hereby agree for myself, my heirs, successors, assigns or other legal representatives to execute any and all papers, including applications for Letters Patent of any and all kinds and in any and all countries and to perform any and all acts which said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives may deem necessary to secure thereto the rights herein assigned, sold and set over.

And I hereby represent and warrant that I have not granted any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

10-8-1998  
DATE

James R. Corliss  
JAMES R. CORLISS

STATE OF COLORADO )  
COUNTY OF Boulder ) ss.

On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1998, personally appeared before me JAMES R. CORLISS, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged that she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Yvonne R. Spain  
Notary Public  
My Commission expires: 9/13/2002

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