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IN THE WORKERS COMPENSATION COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
IN AND FOR THE AREA OF KALISPELL
BEFORE THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION JUDGE

CASSANDRA SCHMILL, )	) ) WCC NO. 2001-0300 )
Petitioner,	
vs.	PETITIONER'S RESPONSE TO QWEST CORP.'S RESPONSE TO AMENDED SUMMONS
LIBERTY NW INS. CORP.,	) AND NOTICE OF ATTORNEY FEE LIEN
Respondent/Insurer,	
and	
MONTANA STATE FUND,	
Intervenor.	
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COMES NOW the Petitioner, CASSANDRA SCHMILL, by and through her attorney of record, and files the following response to Qwest Corp.'s response to the Amended Summons and Notice of Attorney Fee Lien.

The pleading filed by Qwest Corp. is basically a motion for extension of time. The Petitioner does not object to the request for an extension so long as the extension is limited to an additional 30 days. If Qwest Corp. needs additional time after the expiration of 30 days, then Petitioner would request that the insurer file a pleading with the Court outlining the due diligence taken to respond to the Amended Summons and why additional time is needed in order to do so.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, the Petitioner respectively requests that the Court issue an order requiring Qwest Corp. until February 22, 2006, in which to file a response to the Amended Summons and Notice of Attorney Fee Lien.

DATED this 26 of January, 2006.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I, Robin Stephens, do hereby certify that on the day of January, 2006, I served a true and accurate copy of the PETITIONER'S RESPONSE TO QWEST CORP.'S RESPONSE TO AMENDED SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF ATTORNEY FEE LIEN by U.S. mail, first class, postage prepaid to the following:

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